

Prayer Points for December 2024

The next day of prayer and fasting for our Global Prayer campaign will be on Wednesday, 4th December, 2024.

Please join us! Check out our website for all our Australian prayer initiatives icej.org.au/pray-with-us

Also make sure to join us **every Wednesday at 4:00 PM (Israel time)** for the weekly Isaiah 62 Global Prayer Gathering.

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Prayer for Israel

1. THE NORTHERN FRONT

After 14 months of intense cross-border exchanges, there is a fragile ceasefire taking hold between Israel and Hezbollah in Lebanon. Many Israelis are sceptical about this truce, especially as it seeks to implement UN Security Council resolution 1701 from 2006, which was never enforced in all these years. Yet the deal also severs the linkage Hezbollah made with the fighting in Gaza, leaving Hamas isolated and a hostage deal there more likely. It will take some time to accurately assess whether this is a good agreement or not, but we can thank the Lord for answering our prayers concerning the Hezbollah threat to Israel. Over the recent months, Israel has severely weakened the Iranian-backed terror militia, eliminated its top leaders, and destroyed

most of its missile and drone arsenal. Much of this has come about because Israel's military and intelligence agencies focused on the Hezbollah threat over recent years and already had plans in place for dealing quick blows to the radical Islamist militia. We also need to pray that Israel will be successful in demanding full compliance with the truce terms by Hezbollah and Lebanon. Please pray that Israel's leaders will have the wisdom and accurate, timely information to keep the enemy from returning to the border area to threaten communities in northern Israel. Also pray that Hezbollah will not be able to rearm, and that it will completely lose its influence and power over Lebanon. Finally, pray that the 60,000+ Israeli evacuees from northern Israel can safely return to their homes.

2. THE SOUTHERN FRONT

We can be thankful that the IDF has severely battered and reduced Hamas as a fighting force in Gaza, and that its leadership there has been decimated. Please continue praying that the last remnants of Hamas and Islamic Jihad in Gaza will be quickly routed and removed from the Gaza Strip, so that neither terror militia will have any sway or control over the people of Gaza. Most importantly, please continue to pray for the safe return of the remaining 101 hostages in Gaza, whether through rescue efforts, offers of rewards, or the renewed talks for a Gaza truce and hostage deal on terms favourable to Israel.

3. IRAN

Please pray that Israel will stop any threat coming from Iran, whether from missiles, drones, terror attacks, spying operations, cyber-attacks, and especially any nuclear threat. Pray that Iran will not be able to harm Israel or Jews abroad. Pray that the radical Islamic regime in Tehran will lose its grip on power and be driven from Iran by its own people. Pray that the proxy militias which Iran has recruited, trained, and armed across the region will all lose any trust in Iran, and completely break away from the Ayatollahs.

4. THE HOME FRONT

Please keep praying for the people of Israel as they continue to cope with more than one year of intense fighting on seven fronts. Pray they will renew their strength and resolve to achieve total victory. Pray that the devastated communities on the Gaza and northern borders will be able to safely return home and start rebuilding their lives. Pray for all the families that have lost loved ones in battle. Pray for comfort, patience and renewed hope for the families of the hostages. Pray for the many Israelis traumatized by this prolonged war. Pray for God to use the current difficulties to draw the people of Israel closer to Him and their Messiah.



Thank you for joining with us in prayer!

