

Winter 2026

BELIEVERS: GROWING IN NUMBER AND MATURITY

Meditate: (12 min) Perseverance until Deliverance

Prayers for Perseverance

- By faith [Moses] left Egypt, not fearing the king's anger; he persevered because he saw Him who is invisible. Heb 11:27
- All these people [forefathers] were still living by faith when they died. They did not receive the things promised...[i]nstead, they were longing for a better country—a heavenly one. Therefore God...has prepared a city for them. Heb 11:13
- ...[W]e know that suffering produces perseverance; perseverance, character; and character, hope. And hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us. Rom 5:3-5

Prayers for Deliverance

- Speak up for those who cannot speak for themselves, for the rights of all who are destitute. Speak up and judge fairly; defend the rights of the poor and needy. Prov 31:8-9
- You are my hiding place; you will protect me from trouble and surround me with songs of deliverance. Ps 32:7
- The LORD looked and was displeased that there was no justice. He...was appalled that there was no one to intervene...Is 59:15-16
- My righteousness draws near speedily, my salvation is on the way, and my arm will bring justice to the nations. The islands will look to me and wait in hope for my arm. Is 51:5

Prayers of Lament/Adoration (5 min)

Lament

- Uyghurs are suffering, believers more than most; persecution is common as is fear
- The suffering is profound: loss of family, culture, freedom, health, even to death
- Forces of Evil crush and destroy in unthinkable ways – oppressors themselves are also destroyed
- Justice seems far away
- "LORD, you are the God who saves me; day and night I cry out to you. May my prayer come before you; turn your ear to my cry." Ps 88:1-2

Adore

- Suffering is fueling new responsiveness to Jesus and a surge in hunger for the Word
- Ecclesia are multiplying in organic ways
- God draws near the oppressed – thank Him for dreams and visions
- What humans intend for evil, God always uses for good (Gen 50:20)
- The gates of hell will not prevail against the growth of God's kingdom (Mt 16:18)

Prayers for Believers' Perseverance (12 min)

- Special courage for believers across both homeland and diaspora – may they grow in courage and grace
- A sense of Abba's loving gaze and Spirit's deep comfort as believers share in Christ's suffering
- For creative ways to gather, grow, share, disciple, and access the Word
- For believers to grow in hope and to boldly minister that hope to others
- For God's global Body to persevere in prayer/action on behalf of Uyghurs



Prayers for Deliverance (12 min)

- Freedom: free the captives, re-unite families, restore cultural flourishing
- Identity: end the false choice between following Jesus and being Uyghur
- Unity: end petty divisions that plague Christ's Body writ large
- Peace: reconcile majority/minority ethnicities
- Strongholds: resist destructive spirits – fear, weariness, hopelessness, fundamentalism, radicalization
- Justice: end forced labor, boarding schools, language elimination, organ harvesting, violence, transnational oppression



Prayers of Adoration, Praise (5 min)

- Justice is His name:
“And will not God bring about justice for his chosen ones, who cry out to him day and night? Will he keep putting them off? I tell you, he will see that they get justice, and quickly. However, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on the earth?” Luk 18:6
- Celebrate! The glorious end of God’s story is already written:
“After this I looked, and there before me was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, tribe, people and language, standing before the throne and before the Lamb...” Rev 7:9



God's people
are not
powerless in
bringing
justice!

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