

PRAY FOR PERSECUTED BROTHERS & SISTERS

Pray for the Persecuted Christians in Myanmar/Burma



Evangelical Christians: About 2.5 % Total Population: 54,336,000

Myanmar Bishops Oppose Human Rights Abuses in Public Statement

06/13/2022 Myanmar (International Christian Concern) - In the wake of bombings and destruction of villages, local Catholic bishops came together to speak against such atrocities.

Since the Myanmar military's government attempted coup, more than 1,900 people including over 100 children have been killed. States with a strong Christian presence, including Chin and Kayah, have been attacked by air strikes and artillery shelling, resulting in many displaced civilians.

In response to such tragedies, seventeen Catholic bishops convened together between June 7th and 10th. At the end of the assembly, a document objecting to the coup's attacks against civilians was released.

In an official statement, the Catholic Bishops' Conference of Myanmar (CBCM) said, "Human dignity and the right to life can never be compromised. We

strongly demand respect for life, respect for the sanctity of sanctuary in places of worship, hospitals and schools again."

The Catholic bishops urge fellow leaders around the world to pray for peace in this conflict-ridden region.

Christians from all denominations are lumped into one category by the world. They make no difference between Catholics, Protestants, Mormons, Seventh-Day Adventists, Baptists, etc. If the world persecutes those whom they believe to be Christians then true Christians will be persecuted. So we pray.