



**Salvation for all people
and the
Buddhist World**

*Rain down righteousness, let the
earth bring forth salvation...*
(Isaiah 45:8)

**24-7 PRAYER FOR REVIVAL
16 - 22 January 2023**

**THEME: SALVATION FOR ALL PEOPLE
Week 3: Pray for communities and the Buddhist World**

Rain down righteousness, let the earth bring forth salvation...
(Isaiah 45:8)

We will be praying for spiritual awakening in the lives of people and especially the Buddhist world from 2 - 22 January 2023.

Join Christians around the world in prayer for our Buddhist neighbours. A special focus for this year is the country of China. The guide culminates on January 22, the Chinese New Year.

[Download](#) the 21-Day Buddhist Prayer Guide.

MONDAY: 16 JANUARY 2023

SALVATION FOR BUSINESSPEOPLE

And you shall remember the LORD your God, for it is He who gives you power to get wealth, that He may establish His covenant which He swore to your fathers, as it is this day. (Deuteronomy 8:18).

Let us pray

Pray for the salvation and spiritual growth of businesspeople in your community (Colossians 1:9-12). Ask the Holy Spirit to reveal to them that God is the One who gives them the power to get wealth. Pray for the release of funds from businesses in your area to enable the advancement of Christ's kingdom and the completion of the Great Commission.

The Buddhist World: Sri Lanka

Sinhalese Buddhists make up 70 per cent of Sri Lanka's 22 million people. Pray that Christians will share the gospel in ways that are culturally acceptable to the Sri Lankans. Ask for God's

Spirit to move mightily through Sinhalese Buddhist communities, resulting in hearts that seek spiritual truth and families that respond to the love of the Father through Jesus (Zechariah 4:6).

TUESDAY: 17 JANUARY 2023

SALVATION FOR LEADERS IN GOVERNMENT

Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men, for kings and all who are in authority, that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and reverence. For this is good and acceptable in the sight of God our Savior, who desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. (1 Timothy 2:1-4).

Let us pray

Pray for the salvation of your local government leaders as well as those of your nation. Also include the President, prime minister and other ruling authorities. Ask the Holy Spirit to convince them to do their work with integrity, responsibility and dedication.

The Buddhist World: Bhutan

Tibetan Buddhism is woven into every fibre of Bhutanese culture. To convert to Christianity could mean losing jobs and being disowned by family and friends. Ask for the Holy Spirit to create a massive outpouring across Bhutan that would create visions of Jesus and a spiritual openness in every segment of society. Pray for the gospel to be taught through oral stories and traditional art forms as literacy is low and tools for evangelism in their language are very limited.

WEDNESDAY: 18 JANUARY 2023

SALVATION FOR MEDIA WORKERS

"What comes out of a man, that defiles a man. For from within, out of the heart of men, proceed evil thoughts, adulteries, fornications, murders, thefts, covetousness, wickedness, deceit, lewdness, an evil eye, blasphemy, pride, foolishness. All these evil things come from within and defile a man." (Mark 7:21-23).

Let us pray

Ask for the radical salvation of media workers. Pray that God will cause publishers of newspapers and magazines, as well as Internet websites, to report in a manner that is ethically and morally sound. Ask that God will redeem the media to advance His kingdom.

The Buddhist World: Nepal

Even though Nepal has been primarily a Hindu country in the past, Buddha is equally honoured along with Shiva and other Hindu gods. Ask that God will send dreams and visions of Jesus to lamas and the heads of Buddhist households in Nepal. Pray for labourers who will travel in mountainous areas, telling the stories of Jesus to whole families.

THURSDAY: 19 JANUARY 2023

SALVATION FOR JUDGES

You shall appoint judges and officers in all your gates, which the LORD your God gives you, according to your tribes, and they shall judge the people with just judgment. (Deuteronomy 16:18).

Let us pray

Pray for the salvation of judges and lawyers, for upright hearts, and that they will do their work in righteousness and with integrity. Pray that God will raise up more Christian judges and lawyers locally and globally who are guided by honesty and truth.

The Buddhist World: United States

Los Angeles is the most diverse Buddhist city in the world with 300 temples and meditation centres from nearly every Buddhist sect in the world. Los Angeles encompasses the entire spectrum of Buddhist beliefs. Pray that American Buddhists will be set free from the bondage of evil spirits. Pray that followers of Jesus in America will engage with and pray for Buddhist friends and neighbours with love, mercy and the truth of Jesus (Ephesians 6:18-20).

FRIDAY: 20 JANUARY 2023

SALVATION FOR MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS

"If you diligently heed the voice of the LORD your God and do what is right in His sight, give ear to His commandments and keep all His statutes, I will put none of the diseases on you which I have brought on the Egyptians. For I am the LORD who heals you." (Exodus 15:26).

Let us pray

Today, lift in prayer all medical professionals in your nation. Pray for each one of them to have the opportunity to surrender his/her life to the Lord Jesus Christ. Ask for each medical professional to have a personal conviction of sin and their need for Jesus as Saviour. Ask God to use Christian doctors and nurses not only to minister to the physical needs of their patients, but to their spiritual needs as well.

The Buddhist World: Thailand

The traditions of Buddhism include actions such as offering monks special treats, offering money for monks to do penance, listening to Buddha's greatest sermons, pouring sacred water and giving robes to monks. Pray that the generational cycle of traditions passed down will be broken so the truth of the grace of Jesus can be understood. Pray for a turning away from idolatry to serve the true and living God (Psalm 115:4-8).

SATURDAY: 21 JANUARY 2023

SALVATION FOR THE POOR AND SUFFERING

The poor shall eat and be satisfied; Those who seek Him will praise the LORD. Let your heart live forever! (Psalm 22:26).

Let us pray

Please pray for the salvation of people who live under difficult circumstances and for revival among them, so their lives will honour God. Pray for the poor and suffering to realise that the Lord hears their sighs and cries for help. Ask the Lord to provide them with the safety they yearn for (Psalm 12:5).

The Buddhist World: India

Many Hindus in India are converting to Buddhism. This is caused by the caste system that still governs society. Pray for the women and the girls who have been oppressed due to the caste system to realise that Jesus accepts all people. Ask for those church leaders, especially in rural areas, to be able to stand against Hindu persecution. Pray for the training of pastors, teachers, evangelists, and missionaries to share the gospel with Hindus and Buddhists alike.

SUNDAY: 22 JANUARY 2023

SALVATION IN YOUR NEIGHBOURHOODS

Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven. (Matthew 5:16).

Let us pray

Pray that Christ's Body will reflect the joy and love of Christ so that people around them, in particular neighbourhoods and communities, will be drawn to Jesus. Ask the Holy Spirit to give you spiritual insights into the needs of your neighbours so that you can pray for them with understanding.

The Buddhist World: Asia

Most Buddhists in Asia live in rural societies that maintain strong community bonds. Pray for the Good News not only to reach individuals but also families and villages. Pray that Buddhist-background believers will share their testimonies of Jesus personally with neighbours and friends. Ask for Christians to respond in obedience to God's Word and be His witnesses to their people group.
