

A young child with dark skin and short hair is shown in profile, eating from a bright green bowl. The child has some white residue on their chin. In the background, other people are blurred, suggesting a communal setting like a school or a community center.

Cyclone Idai Prayer Guide

Please pray with us for the people affected by Cyclone Idai. Your prayers are absolutely critical in helping us as we seek to help. God can do more in 5 minutes than we can in 5 years.

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- Pray that God would prevent the spread of waterborne diseases like Cholera, Typhoid and Malaria.
- Pray that God would strengthen the local churches in the area. That He would empower their leaders and help them shine brightly in a dark time.
- Pray that churches and individuals in Canada would be generous in their giving. That God would move in their hearts and give to help the relief and recovery efforts.
- Give thanks to God that many people have generously donated to help those in need.
- Pray that God would be glorified in this horrible situation. That He would send comfort and grace to everyone affected.
- Pray that loss of life would be limited. That people who are trapped in trees and on roofs get rescued quickly.
- Give thanks to God that not more people were killed and that He still is in control.

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- Pray that clean water is made available to everyone on the ground.
- Pray that God would provide the relief and recovery workers from around the world with wisdom, strength, compassion, and discernment.
- Give thanks to the many relief organizations who have responded.
- Give thanks that Tearfund is able to be connected in so many networks. That we have the ability to respond and work together with like-minded organizations.
- Pray that the church in Canada would stand together with their Christian brothers and sisters abroad who are suffering. That they would mourn when they mourn and rejoice when they rejoice.
- Pray that all the money sent get used in a responsible manner and that all the Christian organizations are good stewards of the money they receive.
- Pray for all the women, children, handicapped, and orphans who have been affected. That God would comfort them in their distress and that local churches and Christians would come around them.
- Pray for the recovery efforts that will take months and years. That the rebuilding is smooth and steady.
- Pray for the farmers and their crops. Many farmers have lost everything and food shortage is of great concern for the upcoming months. Please pray that re-planting goes well and the harvest is bountiful.
- Pray that people would come to know Christ as Lord and Saviour.

To sign-up for monthly prayer points, or to download points from prior months, please visit: Tearfund.ca/pray

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