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Prayer Point

June 2019

"You have been a refuge for the poor, a refuge for the needy in their distress, a shelter from the storm and a shade from the heat. For the breath of the ruthless is like a storm driving against a wall." - Isaiah 25:4

DR Congo - Pray for useful and correct medical advice to go out in the eastern part of DRC (North Kivu Province) where they are battling an Ebola epidemic. About 1,200 people have died due to lack of awareness and misinformation. Pray that Ebola stops spreading in Congo, Uganda, South Sudan, before it threatens to get out of control.

South Sudan - Conflict is down from that past years, but due to bad weather, years of conflict and pests, an estimated 7.7 million people will be in need of food assistance during the peak of the lean season. Pray for the Tearfund food assistance program running till August feeding 1,200 families (about 8,400 people) to get them through till harvest season.

India - Pray for the government of India (just re-elected) that they will rule justly, and that assistance will be provided to all who suffered from the recent cyclone that hit Orissa state on the east coast.

Cyclone Idai - We are continuing to provide food to those who have lost everything in the wake of cyclone Idai. Pray for ongoing relief efforts and that re-building efforts go smoothly.

Encouragement - Pray that organizations mandated to support, fight their fatigue, and do not get discouraged by rapid and unpredictable significant changes that happen in the countries in crisis. Pray that they find energy and motivation to continue to respond with adequate resources in place.

Syrian Refugees - Pray for 938,500 Syrian refugees in Lebanon who struggle to meet ends while having very limited access to health, education and employment opportunities, and still live in makeshift camps and abandoned garages with no water and basic living conditions. More than 40% of those are children 0-12 years of age, whose childhood is spent in isolation and stress.

Displaced People - Pray for 68.5 million forcibly displaced people around the world, including refugees and internally displaced people impacted by violence, fragility, disasters and conflict. Pray for stability in the biggest crisis-affected countries Syria, Yemen, Iraq, South Sudan. We pray that the governments of these countries make wise decisions and that donors continue making impactful contributions to these countries.

Fiscal Year End - Our fiscal year ends on June 30. Pray that we receive many donations in June in order to hit our targets. Pray for God's wisdom and discernment as we finalize our budget for next year and that we know where God is leading us.

Submit Your Request - Do you have a prayer request or point of thanks? Let us know at pray@tearfund.ca. We are always delighted to pray for you and everything you say remains 100% confidential.