

# Prayer Points

June 2026



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Deuteronomy 31:6

**Ethiopia** – Worsening drought conditions plague eastern communities, causing rising food insecurity and forcing people to move from their homes. An election is also underway, which is expected to bring violence and unrest.

**Pray for:**

- clean water access and drought resilience for the land and crops
- discernment for local churches and community leaders as funding pools shrink and needs rise
- resources for crowded camps taking internally and externally displaced families
- a peaceful election, and wisdom and discernment for Ethiopia’s leadership

**DR Congo** – Northeastern regions battle a new strain of the deadly Ebola virus. Tearfund’s local partner, Communauté Baptiste au Centre de l’Afrique (CBCA), has activated an emergency response plan to help prevent further spread and support affected communities.

**Pray for:**

- healing, protection, and peace for those affected by the outbreak
- wisdom, strength, and endurance for local churches, our partners at CBCA, and healthcare workers.
- Quick development of containment and treatment strategies

**India** – Heatwaves are arriving earlier, lasting longer and putting increasing stress on the people and agriculture, making life harder for families living in urban areas, especially those without access to clean water and stable housing.

**Pray for:**

- protection for vulnerable people from extreme heat
- access to clean water and basic needs
- for farmers whose crops, livestock, and income are threatened by the intense heat

**Kenya** – Ongoing strikes and protests in the transportation sector against rising fuel costs have disrupted daily life, making it difficult for Tearfund’s local partners to continue working and serving vulnerable communities. At least 4 people have been killed during the unrest.

**Pray for:**

- peace and safety for those affected by the unrest
- wisdom and resolution among leaders so work, businesses, and daily life can continue
- protection and strength for local partners as they serve those in need

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**Pray for:**

- food and clean water for children and families, and strength for farmers growing crops in difficult conditions
- wisdom and guidance for local churches and community leaders
- hope for those affected by conflict, instability, and separation from their families as they flee their homes

**Tanzania** – Local businesses and families are navigating a shifting economic landscape, relying on steady growth to create jobs and keep the cost of living manageable.

**Pray for:**

- wisdom for leaders managing national resources and investments
- stable prices and affordable living costs for everyday families
- strength for local partners serving communities

**Tearfund Canada** – As Bishop Joseph, our partner from South Sudan, finishes his final speaking events, we look ahead with gratitude and trust that God will use this time to transform hearts and minds. We also welcomed a new staff member last month.

**Pray for:**

- smooth preparations and meaningful connections for the remaining tour dates
- energy, inspiration, guidance, and blessing as Bishop Joseph shares the stories of South Sudan with churches
- thanksgiving for our new Donor Relations Coordinator, and for a smooth transition into the role

**Bring Back the Buffalo Project** – Praise God! 17 buffalo (15 females and 2 bulls) were safely transported to Star Blanket Cree Nation in Saskatchewan this May.

**Pray for:**

- strong herds and healthy land to sustain them
- blessing and long-term impact for Star Blanket Cree Nation
- continuing growth of the herds

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