## AFRICAN FORUM ON RELIGION & GOVERNMENT Prayer Connection



## **Global Focus**



Inflation at the global level has increased dramatically with Russia's invasion of and war with Ukraine.

As of June 2022, the annual percentage change in the consumer price indices show nations in crisis:

## Zimbabwe: 191.6% Venezuela: 167.2% Turkey: 78.6% Ethiopia: 34% Ghana: 27.6% Russia: 15.9% Egypt: 13.1% Spain: 10.2%

These numbers translate to great economic hardships for middle to lowincome families, and food and housing instability.

For world leaders, for wisdom and courage. Pray especially for President Volodymyr Zelenskyy-for strength and protection.

(1 Timothy 2:1-4)

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For the Ukrainian army, especially as they are trying to prevent Russia from creating conditions to launch heavy and attacks constant toward civilian population centers (Sloviansk, Bahmut, Adeevka) Pray for those who are serving in the armed forces.

(Psalm 91)

Pray for people who were forced to evacuate to Russia. Pray for their protection and possibility to leave Russia as soon as possible. Many are looking for ways to escape, but don't have documents, money, pray that they would find needed help.

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Pray not only for Christians in Ukraine, but also pray for Christians in Russia to rise up and be bold in intervention in this spiritual war. We wrestle not against flesh and blood.

(Ephesians 6:12)

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Pray for encouragement for the Ukraine military members, veterans, and their displaced families encountering trauma and the effects of trauma.

Pray for soldiers and people who are captives now, pray for their lives and protection. Pray that the captive soldiers would stay strong and would be released to come home.

(Jeremiah 32:27)

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Pray for Sri Lanka to be able to provide for food and other critically necessary items to those suffering and needing them most. Pray for the critically needed humanitarian assistance.

# SriLanka

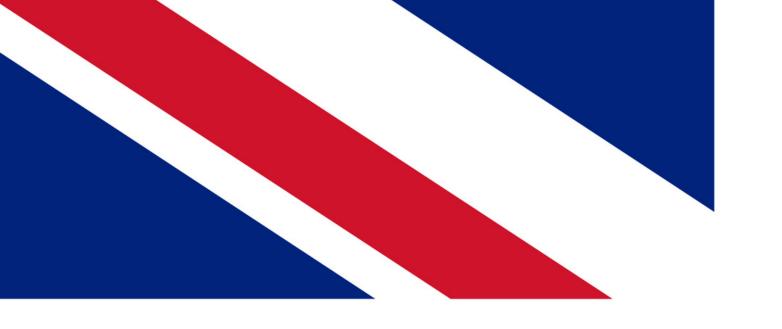
Pray for God's protection over the most vulnerable (elderly, children and the sick) as they wait in long lines and the heat for basic provisions.

## Sri Lanka

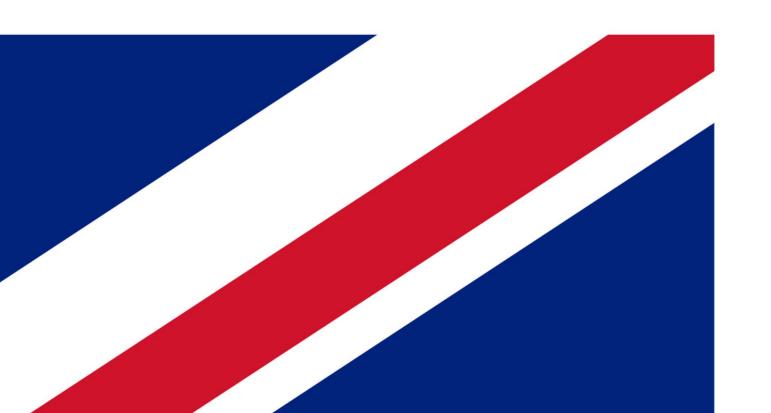
Pray for the end to violent protests and for a peaceful and meaningful open dialogue between citizens and government leaders.



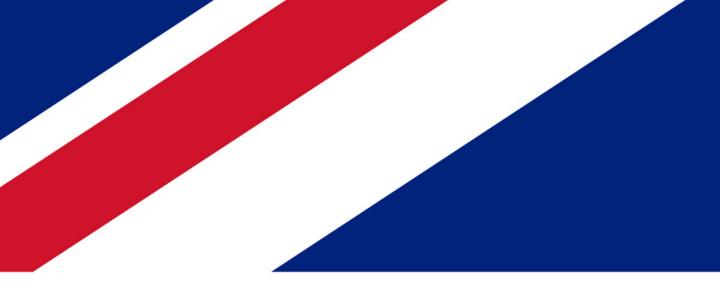
Pray for the people and nation of Japan as they recover from the assassination of former Japanese Prime Minister, Shinzo Abe.

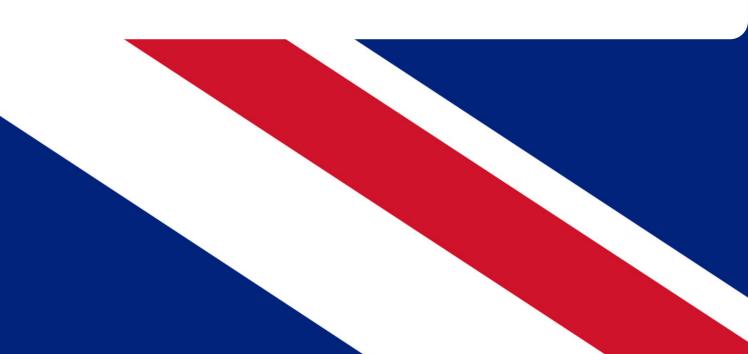


## United Kingdom

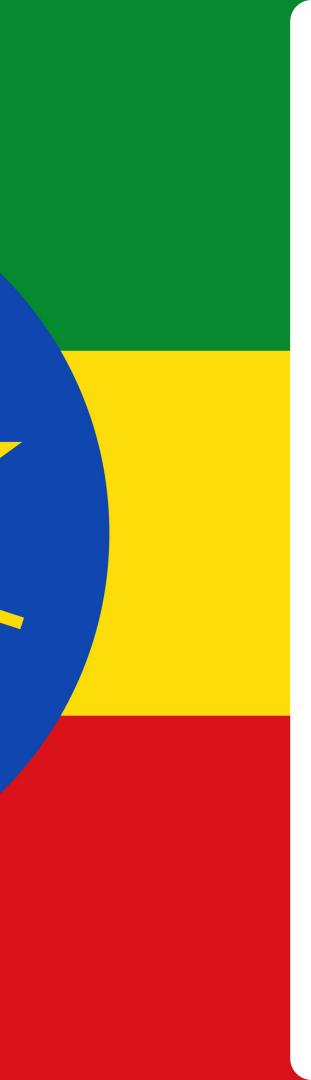


Pray for the people and nation of the United Kingdom following the resignation of Prime Minister Boris Johnson.





### Ethiopia



Pray for the people and of nation Ethiopia as they experience civil discord and unrest.



Please pray for Christians enduring ongoing attacks and persecution throughout West Africa.

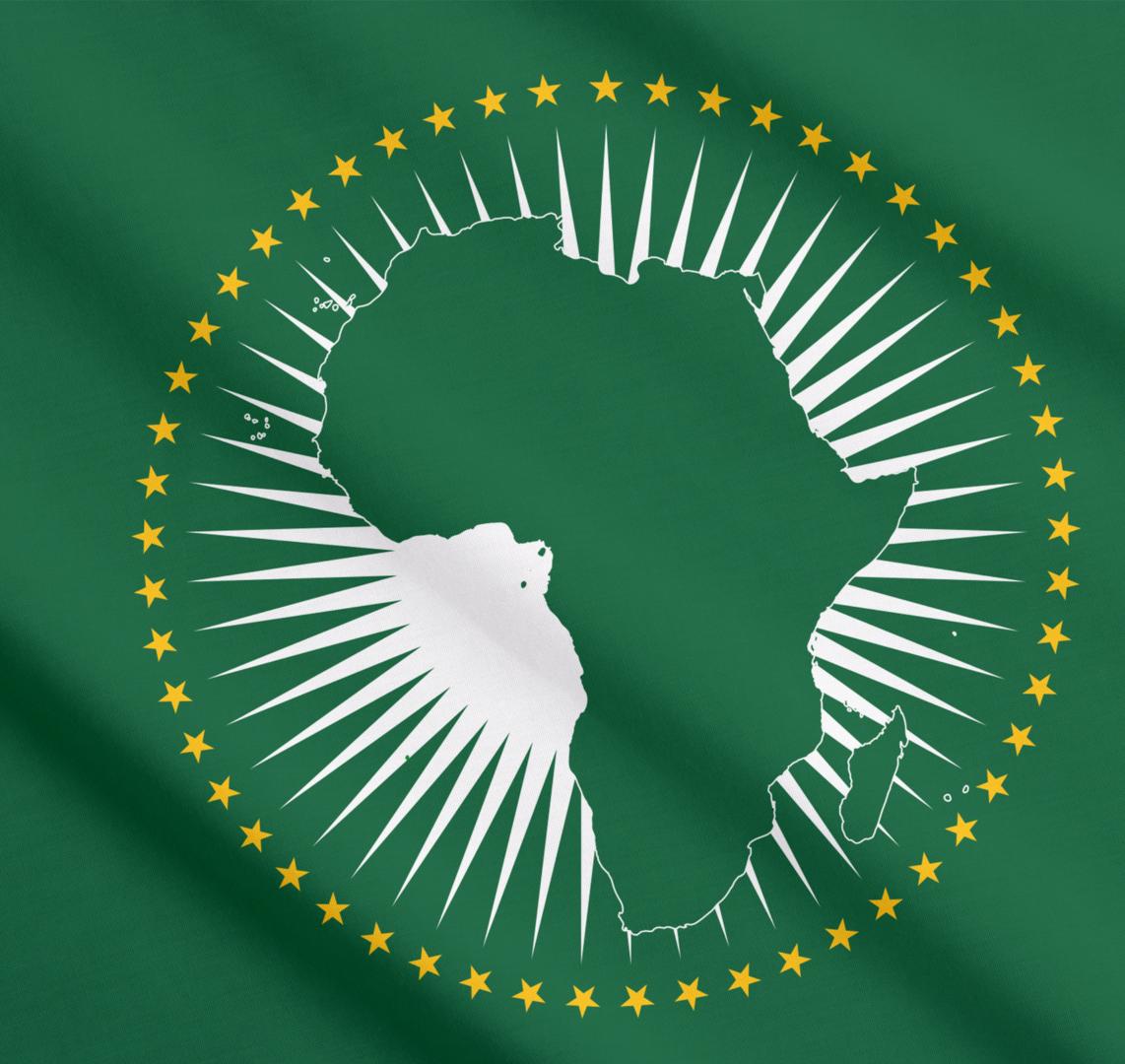


Churches and Christians leaders are increasingly having to protect themselves and minister to those affected by ongoing extremist attacks and violence.



Continue to pray for protection and comfort.

(Psalm 27)



#### ELECTIONS

Let us pray for upcoming elections in African nations.

These are crucial transition times and could be hotspots.



#### ALGERIA

#### 2022 Algerian Council of the Nation elections were held on 5 February 2022.



#### ANGOLA

The Angolan general election will be held 24 August 2022.



#### CHAD

The parliamentary election will be held in September.

The presidential election will be held in August / September



#### **EQUATORIAL GUINEA**

The legislative election date has not yet been set.

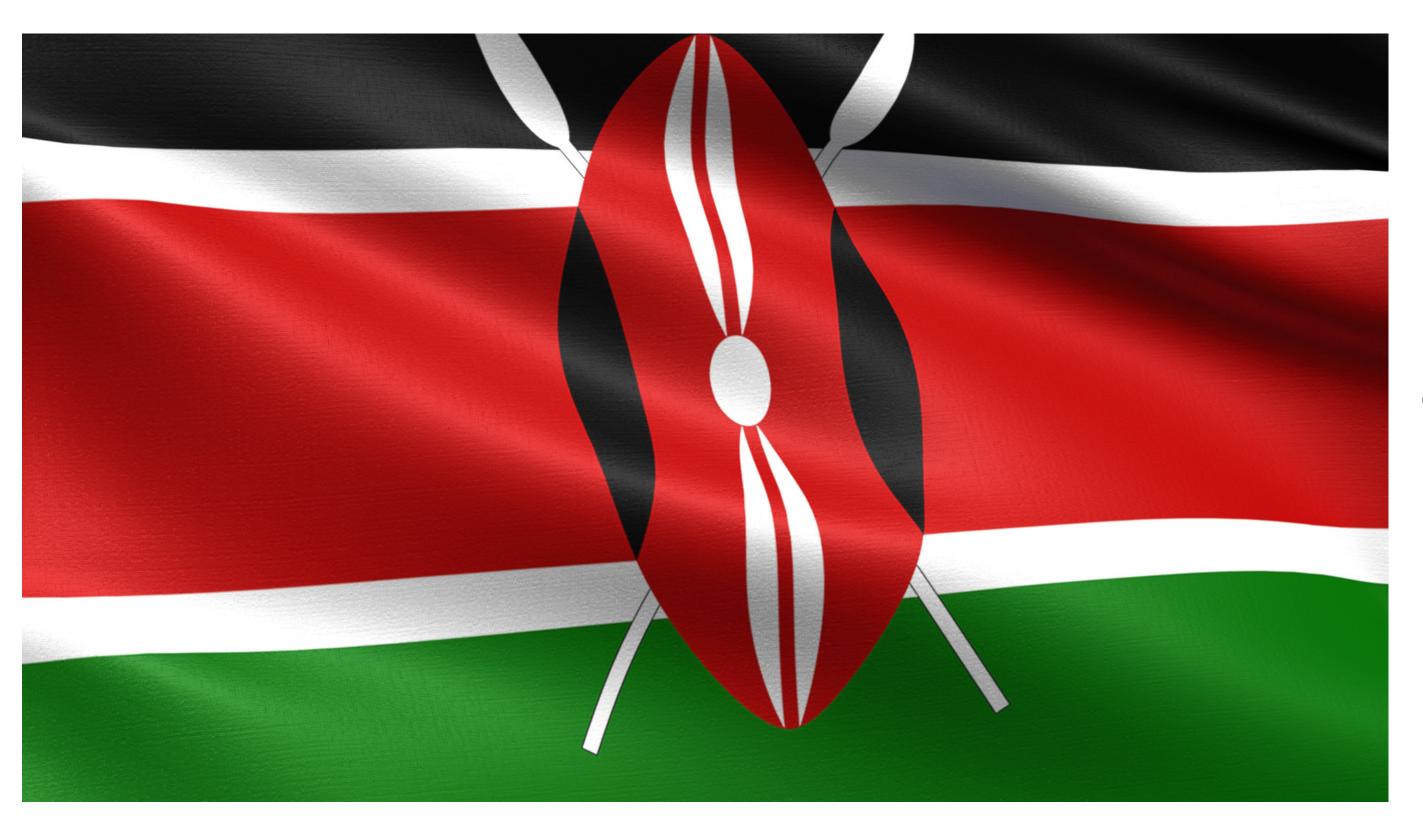


#### GAMBIA

The parliamentary election was held on 9 April.



#### **GUINEA BISSAU** The legislative election will be held on 18 December.



#### KENYA

#### The general election will be held on 9 August.



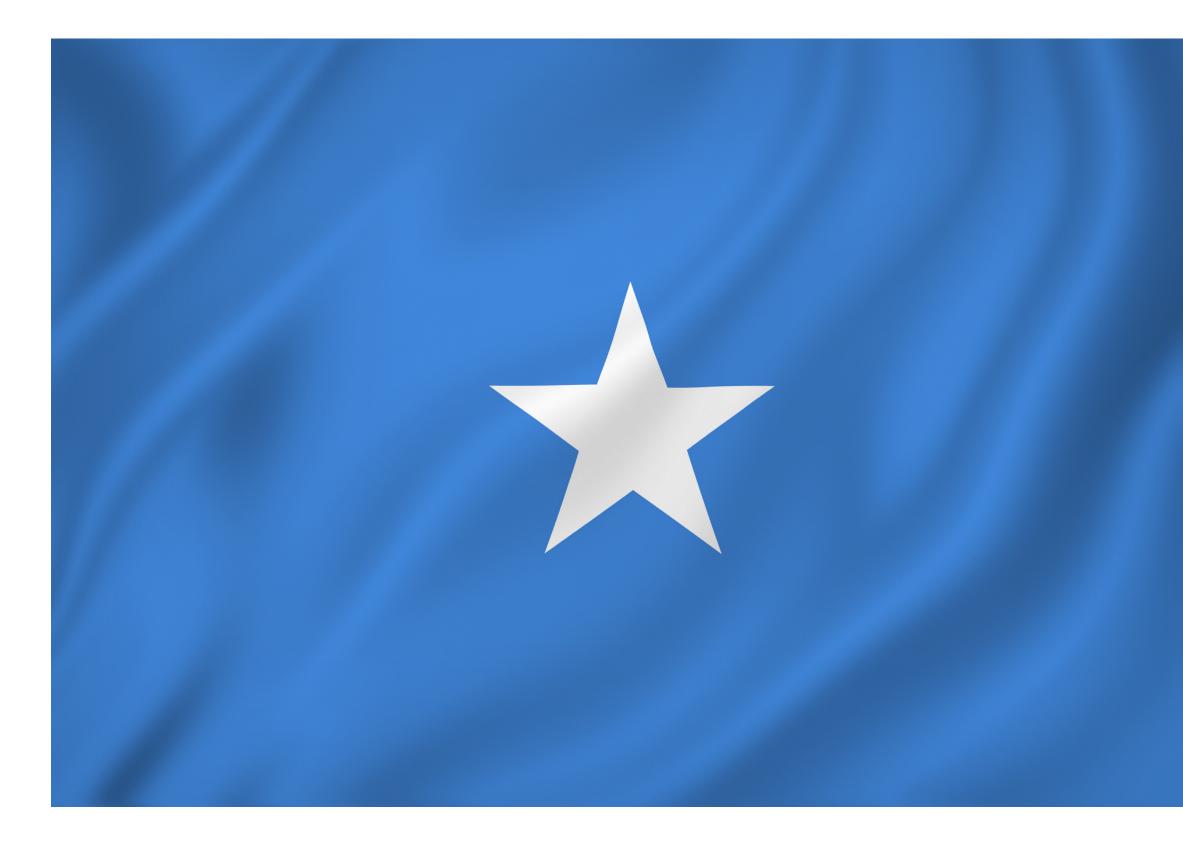
#### LIBYA

The parliamentary election date has not yet been set.



#### SENEGAL

#### The parliamentary election will be held on 31 August.



#### SOMALIA

#### The presidential election was held on 15 May.



#### SOMALILAND

The presidential election will be held on 13 November.

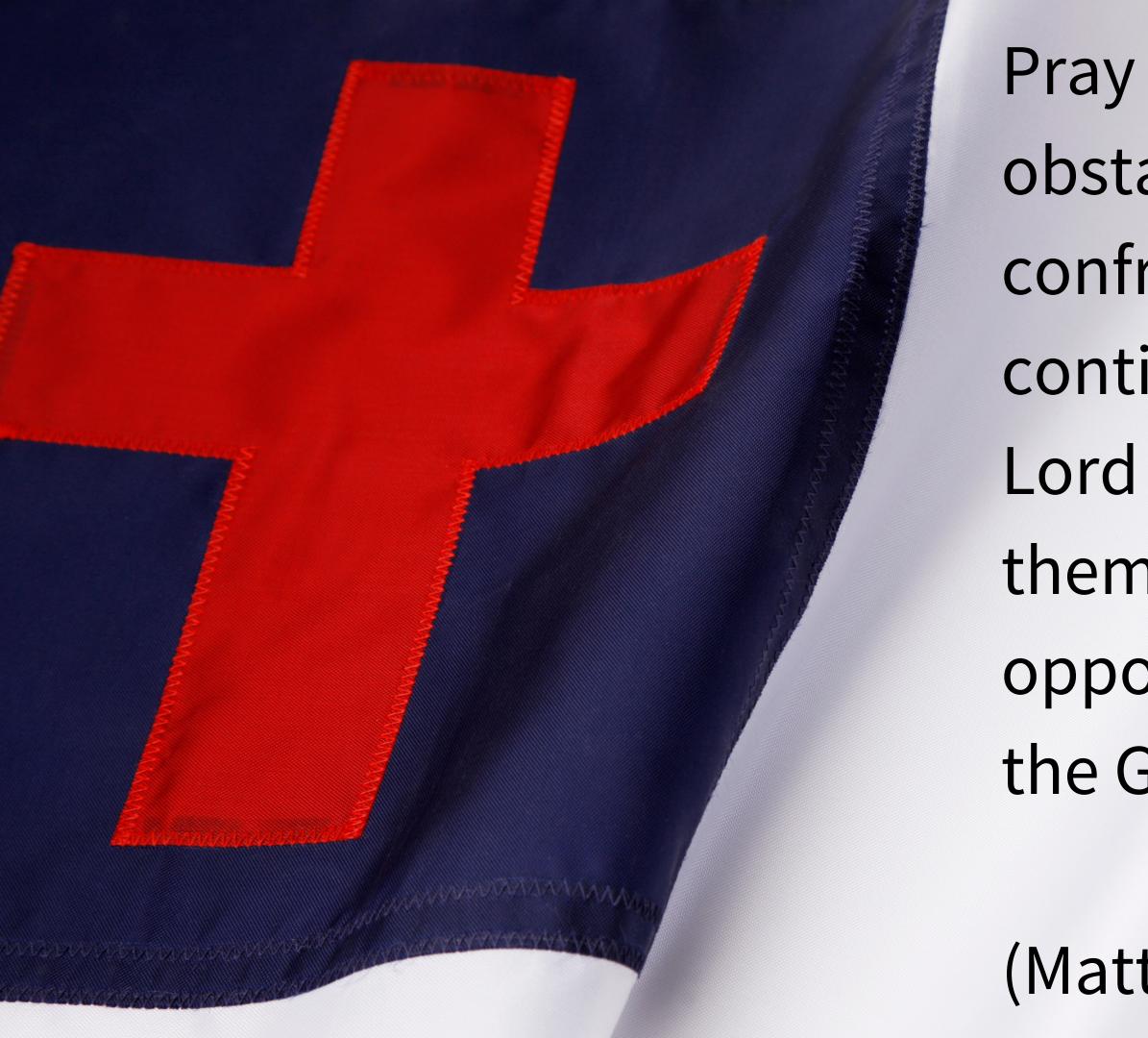


#### AFRICA

Join us in praying that God would give us a leadership in Africa that is God-fearing and that upholds righteousness and justice so that the nations of Africa would be healed and would arise to fulfill their Godgiven mandates.



Join us as we pray for **Christian leaders around** the globe as they deal with these, and other



Pray that despite the obstacles that often confront them, they will continually lean on the Lord to lead and guide them to see and pursue opportunities to advance the Gospel.

#### (Matthew 24:13,14)

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## Thank you for continuing to pray for the nations.



