

**“Our prayers must mean something to us
if they are to mean anything to God.”**

-Maltbie D. Babcock

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Weekly Prayer Requests 02/17/12

INTERNATIONAL CONCERNS

Syria: Residents Bracing For Full-blown War

<http://edition.cnn.com/2012/02/14/world/meast/syria-unrest/index.html>

Syrian opposition activists fear they are past the point of no return in their struggle against the al-Assad regime, which stepped up its siege on the city of Homs and reportedly launched fresh attacks across the country. At least 49 people were killed. Fear and horror paralyzed Homs, which was struck by heavy shelling and snipers.

Honduras: Nearly 300 Killed In Prison Fire

<http://edition.cnn.com/2012/02/15/world/americas/honduras-fire-deaths>

At least 272 inmates were dead and the fate of 105 others was unknown Wednesday as families clamored to learn whether their loved ones died in a prison fire in central Honduras. The fire was one of the worst tragedies of its kind in decades in Latin America and focused renewed attention on the often poor conditions of prisons in the area. Pray for the families and loved ones of the dead and lost.

OTHER PRAYER REQUESTS

Taliban Will Not Talk Peace With Afghanistan

<http://edition.cnn.com/2012/02/14/world/asia/afghanistan-taliban>

The Taliban have met with U.S. officials to discuss possible peace talks, but do not want to negotiate with Afghan President Hamid Karzai's government, saying that talks with what he called a "puppet" government would be pointless.

Israel And Iran Blame The Other For Bombings

<http://edition.cnn.com/2012/02/15/world/asia/thailand-blasts-iranians>

Israel and Iran traded accusations Wednesday over a string of bombings in other countries, with Israel pointing fingers at Tehran and the Iranian regime calling such claims a "prelude" to an Israeli attack. The fight came as authorities arrested three Iranians in connection with a string of blasts in Bangkok.

THE PERSECUTED CHURCH

Islamabad: Alleged Murderer In Prison

<http://www.asianews.it/news-en/Islamabad-Shahbaz-Bhatti>

Abid Malik, one of two men suspected of murdering a Catholic Minister for Religious Minorities Shahbaz Bhatti, was arrested recently in Dubai. He is being detained and questioned. However, Zia ur Rehman, the second suspect to have taken part in the murder in Islamabad, is still at large. Pray that he is found soon.

US: Global War On Christians In The East

<http://www.thedailybeast.com/newsweek/2012/02/05/ayaan-hirsi-ali>

From one end of the muslim world to the other, Christians are being murdered for their faith. Christians are being killed in the Islamic world because of their religion. It is a rising genocide that ought to provoke global alarm, yet it goes largely unnoticed. Pray for safety for Christians in the East as well as the media to begin reporting the facts.

LOCAL PRAYER REQUESTS



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