

Updates & prayer points:

1. PRAY FOR AMERICA'S FOREIGN RELATIONS

The Israeli Defense Force (IDF) has destroyed an estimated 280 miles-worth of Hamas' tunnels in Gaza. As progress toward the disarmament of Hamas and the establishment of an international stabilization force has stalled, six IDF brigades and 18 battalions have been deployed to protect communities along Israel's southern border. The Israeli military has also reportedly eliminated the majority of senior Hamas commanders and military strategists.

A wooden-lined tunnel was recently discovered in Tijuana, Mexico, that appears to lead from the border city into the United States. Mexico's attorney general reported that the nearly 870-foot tunnel was found during a raid conducted by Mexican federal officials, with assistance from the Mexican navy. Mexican law enforcement retrieved material as part of the raid that led them to believe the tunnel was used to store and smuggle narcotics, weapons, and explosive materials.

Pray for U.S. diplomats and national security officials as they engage in efforts to strengthen alliances and counter threats.

2. PRAY FOR AMERICA'S FAITH:

A recent poll released by the Pew Research Center found that 68 percent of Americans say belief in God is not required "in order to be moral and have good values." The majority of those respondents do not consider religion important in their lives. However, the Reverend Canon J. John of Great Britain said people who dismiss a need for God are deceiving themselves. "Certainly, a person can be moral and have good character who does not have God in his life; but if he thinks those traits and the good things he does will give him eternal benefit, he is deceived. Moreover, he bears a spirit of disobedience, mocking God by ignoring the still, small voice within him that he is wrong."

Pray for hearts and minds in this nation to be awakened and drawn to the saving grace of the Lord Almighty.

PRAY FOR AMERICA'S LEADERS:

EXECUTIVE BRANCH: PRAY FOR THE PRESIDENT AND HIS ADMINISTRATION

- *Pray for Secretary Mullin, Counsel Percival, and DHS and ICE officials as they seek to ensure claims for asylum are legitimate.*

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH: PRAY FOR SENATORS AND REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS

- *Pray for senators and representatives as they address the online targeting of children.*

JUDICIAL BRANCH: PRAY FOR SUPREME COURT JUSTICES AND FEDERAL JUDGES

- *Pray for the justices of the Supreme Court as they finalize outstanding opinions of the current term.*

最新消息及禱告事項：

1. 為美國的外交關係祈禱

以色列國防軍(IDF)已摧毀加薩走廊總長約280英里的哈馬斯地道。由於哈馬斯解除武裝和建立國際穩定部隊的進程停滯不前，以色列國防軍已部署六個旅和十八個營，以保護以色列南部邊境沿線社區。據報道，以色列軍方也消滅了哈馬斯的大部分高級指揮官和軍事戰略家。

近日，墨西哥蒂華納發現一條木質內襯隧道，該隧道似乎從這座邊境城市通往美國。墨西哥總檢察長報告稱，這條近870英尺長的隧道是在墨西哥聯邦官員在墨西哥海軍的協助下進行的突襲行動中發現的。墨西哥執法部門在突襲行動中繳獲的物品使他們相信，該隧道曾被用於儲存和走私毒品、武器和爆炸物。

請為美國外交官和國家安全官員祈禱，願他們在努力加強聯盟和應對威脅時平安無事。

2. 為美國的信仰祈禱：

皮尤研究中心最近發布的一項民意調查顯示，68%的美國人認為，信仰上帝並非「擁有道德和良好價值觀的必要條件」。大多數受訪者認為宗教在他們的生活中並不重要。然而，英國的約翰·約翰牧師指出，那些忽視上帝存在的人是在自欺欺人。「當然，一個人可以擁有良好的道德和品格，即使他的生活中沒有上帝；但如果他認為這些品質和善行會給他帶來永恆的益處，那他就是在自欺欺人。此外，他帶有悖逆之心，無視內心深處那微弱的、告訴他自己錯了的聲音，從而嘲弄上帝。」

祈求上帝喚醒這個國家的人民的心靈，引領他們歸向全能主的救贖恩典。

為美國領導人祈禱：

行政部門：請為總統及其政府祈禱

- 請為穆林部長、珀西瓦爾律師以及國土安全部和移民及海關執法局的官員祈禱，願他們能確保庇護申請的合法性。

立法部門：請為國會的參議員和眾議員祈禱

- 請為參議員和眾議員祈禱，願他們在處理兒童網路犯罪問題時一切順利。

司法部門：請為最高法院大法官和聯邦法官祈禱

- 請為最高法院大法官祈禱，願他們順利完成本屆任期尚未結案的判決。