

## **PRAY THE NEWS** Zimbabwe is grappling with a severe drought, made worse by the El Niño phenomenon, threatening food security for over six million people.



The drought has led to partial or complete crop failure across most parts of the country, severely impacting food and nutrition security.

El Niño has historically disrupted climatic patterns in Zimbabwe, resulting in dry spells, reduced rainfall, and increased temperatures. The 2023/2024 farming season has been particularly devastating, with widespread crop failures and water shortages.

## TODAY, WE PRAY THE NEWS FOR ZIMBABWE:

## Prayer points:

Pray for provision and relief for the people of Zimbabwe who are suffering from severe drought, hunger, and water shortages.

Pray for strength and resilience for the communities in Zimbabwe, and for the empowerment of church leaders and organisations to respond effectively to the disaster.

Pray for health and protection of all affected by the drought, especially vulnerable groups such as children, pregnant women, and the elderly and for the spread of diseases like cholera and malaria to be controlled.

Pray for strength and support for the aid workers and healthcare workers dealing with these crises.