



Gang violence and political instability are devastating the small Carribean nation of Haiti.

Over the past year, gang-related violence has surged in Haiti, with more than 2,500 people killed, kidnapped, or injured. The capital, Port-au-Prince, has become a hotbed of conflict, with armed groups controlling large areas and leaving citizens trapped in their homes or forced to flee.

The violence has led to a collapse in essential services. Schools, hospitals, and even ports are under siege. In some parts of Port-au-Prince, nearly all daily life has halted due to blockades and ongoing attacks. Gangs also target women and girls with horrific sexual violence.

The UN's appeal for \$674 million in 2024 has so far been only minimally funded. The country is at a critical tipping point. Haiti's crisis is not just about gang violence—it's a complex mix of political turmoil, economic collapse, and human suffering on an immense scale.

TODAY, WE PRAY THE NEWS FOR HAITI:

- We pray for peace in Haiti, that the violence caused by armed gangs would cease, and that those living in fear would find safety and security.
- We pray for healing and provision, as many Haitians face extreme hunger, lack of clean water, and medical shortages. Lord, provide for their physical needs, and strengthen aid workers and humanitarian efforts to reach those in urgent need.
- We pray for wisdom and unity among leaders, both within Haiti and internationally, as they seek long-term solutions to the political and humanitarian crises.