



# PRAY THE NEWS

*Global temperatures are likely to breach 1.5°C between 2025 and 2029, edging the planet closer to irreversible change.*

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The World Meteorological Organization has warned there is now an 86% chance that global temperatures will hit this critical milestone, which was set by the Paris Agreement in 2015.

The pace of global warm is being set in the Arctic, which is warming over 3.5 times faster than the global average.

Melting sea ice and thawing permafrost are accelerating sea-level rise, displacing coastal communities, and contributing to drought and hunger. This invariably, and disproportionately affects coastal, indigenous or vulnerable.

Climate change is no longer distant or theoretical. It is already reshaping lives, landscapes, and futures. As the planet warms, the world's most fragile communities are the first to suffer.

## **TODAY, WE PRAY THE NEWS FOR THE ARCTIC.**

- We pray for wisdom and urgency among world leaders as they make decisions that shape our planet's future.
- We pray for coastal, indigenous and vulnerable communities who are facing loss of habitat, livelihood, and cultural continuity.
- We pray for the Church to speak prophetically and act faithfully in the face of creation's suffering.