

# PRAY THE NEWS

*Cuba's ongoing energy crisis has intensified, driven by acute fuel shortages caused by American fuel blockades.*

Tightened U.S. sanctions and fuel shipment restrictions have severely limited oil imports, leaving ageing power infrastructure without sufficient supply.

Dependent on imported fuel, particularly from Venezuela and Mexico, Cuba has been hit hard as the United States has seized control of significant Venezuelan oil operations and is using that leverage to pressure Havana.

As outages continue, protests have broken out in Havana and Santiago, with people calling for electricity and improved living conditions.

The United Nations warns the country is nearing "humanitarian collapse". For ordinary Cubans, this means darkness at home, spoiled food, limited transport and deepening uncertainty.

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

- We pray for those living without reliable electricity, fuel and food, that essential supplies would reach communities quickly.
- We pray for wisdom and restraint between Cuba and the United States, that policies and responses would reduce rather than deepen suffering.
- We pray for stability and dignity for the Cuban people, that peaceful solutions would emerge and that hope would not be lost in prolonged hardship.