

AFTAB | EUROPE

“God, save me. Help me.” This was Aftab’s constant prayer for many years as he faced one life-threatening event after another. Falsely accused of blasphemy – a crime punishable by death – Aftab had to flee his home country. He thought friends in the local government would come to his aid.

No one was willing to help a Christian.

The consequences would be too great.

Weeks turned into months and months turned into years. His journey seeking asylum and safety took him to nine countries. He endured hunger and hopelessness, near-death experiences hiding in shipping containers and clinging to a raft by his fingertips, beatings from those in refugee camps who heard him speak openly about the mistreatment of Christians in his home country.

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DAY OF PRAYER

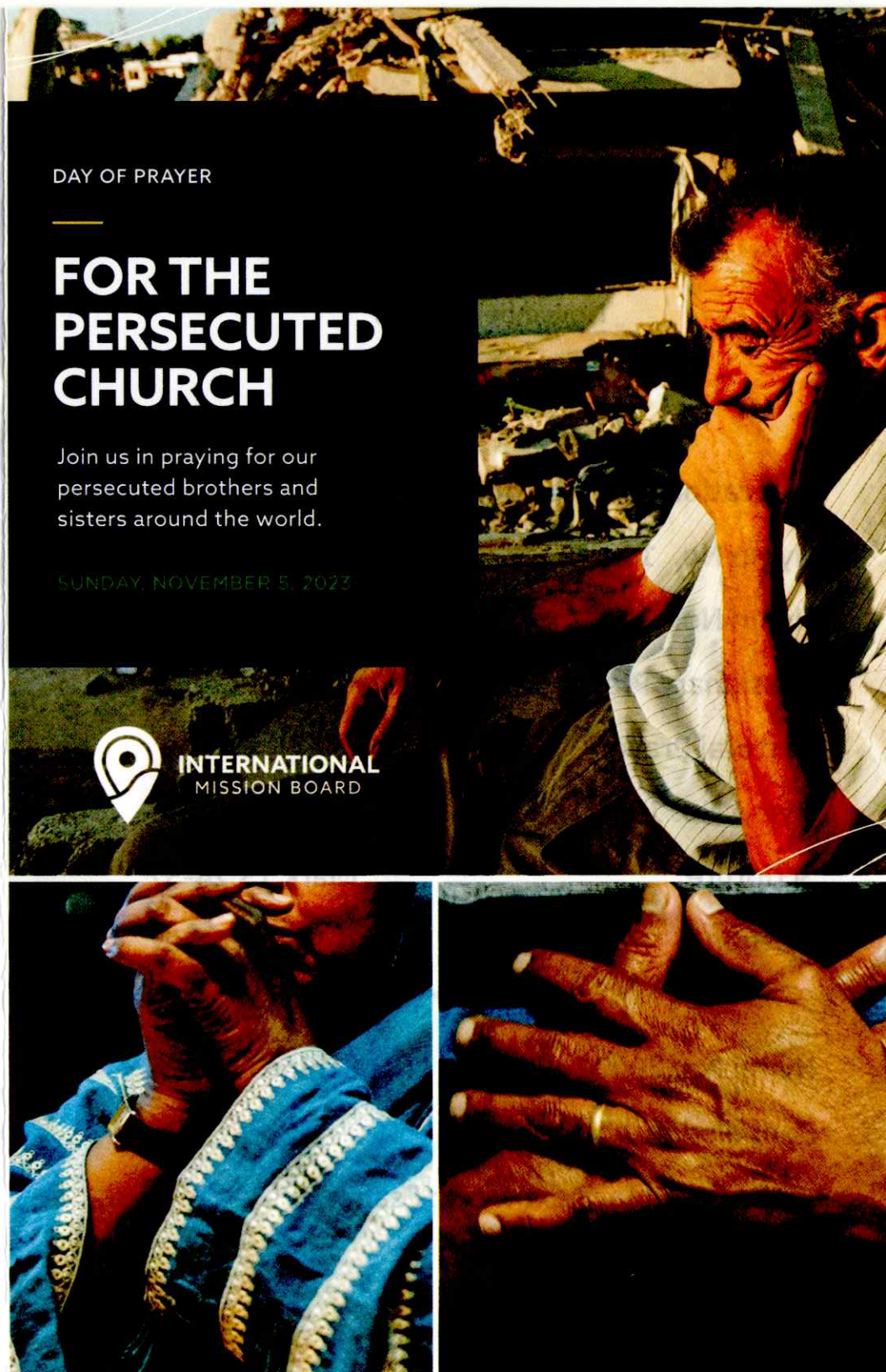
FOR THE PERSECUTED CHURCH

Join us in praying for our
persecuted brothers and
sisters around the world.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2023



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Rev. Michael Dickey

November 5, 2023

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Invocation and Welcome

Hymn No. 10 "How Great Thou Art"

Hymn No. 192 "Soon and Very Soon"

Missionary Prayer Calendar Helen Rideout

Pastoral Prayer

Hymn No. 193 "One Day"

Scripture Mark 13:24-37

Sermon Rev. Mike Dickey

"Be Alert!"

Hymn No. 290 "I am Thine O Lord"

Benediction

Pre-read for next week: Psalm 78

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIBLE STUDY: We will be going over Lesson 12 this week in our study of Job.

To subscribe to our text alerts, text "JOIN" to 804-430-6282. We send out prayer requests and reminders.

Be sure to look for our Daily Devotional on our website:
sapponybaptist1773.org

Missed a sermon? Or just want to hear it again? Our Past sermons are available on our website, Facebook, YouTube, and your favorite podcast app.

On Tuesday, November 21st. at 7pm we will host the Community Thanksgiving Service. Paster Carrie Moffitt from Concord UMC will bring the message.

APPALACHIA CHRISTMAS GIFT PACKING: This will be at Camp Kehukee on November 27-28 from 9am – 2pm.

Don't forget tickets for the chicken dinner to benefit Byron (Whistle) Bishop on Nov. 17th. 4pm – 6pm at Sussex Courthouse. \$15.00 Drive thru Pickup