

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ!

We, the bishops of the Evangelical churches of Belarus, call you to fasting and prayer.

At this time, when brother rebelled against brother, when blood is shed in Ukraine, and our country is involved in the war, when many people experience grief and suffering, when there is a spiritual battle for the peoples, the Church does not stand aside: Church shares the suffering of people, spiritually awake and praying. Like Moses, who raised his hands in prayer on the mountain for the army of Joshua, who fought in fulfillment of God's will, we stand today in prayer for the will of God in our circumstances.

Prayer reinforced by fasting is very important. Therefore, we urge churches to pray and fast on March 3, 4 and 5, and ministers in churches to organize prayer services on these days. Pray for an end to the war, God's protection, the eradication of the spiritual foundations of hatred and war, for our brothers and sisters in Ukraine, Russia and our country, for the restoration of God's peace.

“... if you hide your face, they are troubled; if you take away their spirit, they die and return to their dust; send forth Your Spirit, they are created, and You renew the face of the earth. May the glory be to the Lord forever...” (Ps. 103:29-31).

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