

# UNDERGROUND CHURCH

*Middle East: Supporting & Sending Believers*

Calvary Boise has been involved in the house church movement in Iran since 2002, and by God's grace, by 2005, the house church network that was supported through Calvary Boise became one of the largest house church networks in Iran. Since then, many of our brothers and sisters in Iran have been arrested and imprisoned for their faith. Some were forced to flee to a nearby country only to find themselves unable to work as refugees, facing more persecution, and the danger of deportation.

## OPPORTUNITIES TO GET INVOLVED

### PRAY



1. Join us every Sunday, from 10:45AM-11:10AM in Preschool-108 to pray for the Underground Church and for those living as refugees because of their faith in Jesus.
2. Join us the first Wednesday of every month at Mixed Up Nutrition in Boise (513 N Milwaukee St.). This is an opportunity for us to gather with others in the Treasure Valley and pray for our brothers and sisters facing persecution for their faith. Our next meeting is this Wednesday, September 4, at 10:00AM.

### ENCOURAGE



Can you write a letter to encourage a fellow believer facing persecution? Two rounds of letters have already been sent overseas, translated, and given to brothers and sisters in Christ who need encouragement. Join us in writing a simple letter that can give hope to those in very difficult and uncertain circumstances. For details, contact [info@calvaryboise.com](mailto:info@calvaryboise.com).

### SUPPORT

- Financial needs for our brothers and sisters are significant. Things like rent, utilities, healthcare, and legal fees create challenges for many. If you would like to help support the families who are refugees in the Middle East and the Underground Church, you can do so at the following link: [calvaryboise.com/middleeast](http://calvaryboise.com/middleeast).
- Do you have an old computer or cell phone that you can donate to support church leaders in Toronto and in Turkey? We are looking for unlocked cell phones and computers that we can bring to our brothers and sisters to help them stay connected and support them with job training. Many jobs now require computer skills and access to computers, which are expensive. If you have an old computer or cell phone that you could donate, please email [info@calvaryboise.com](mailto:info@calvaryboise.com) for more information.



### GO



As H&M begin ministry in the Middle East to support leaders in the Underground Church, we anticipate having opportunities for others from our church to visit in 2025 and encourage the believers who are refugees, and other brothers and sisters. Would you be interested in going? For more info visit [calvaryboise.com/middleeast](http://calvaryboise.com/middleeast). To join the interest list, send an email to [info@calvaryboise.com](mailto:info@calvaryboise.com).



## MIDDLE EAST - SPRING 2025 7 CHURCHES OF REVELATION TOUR

Calvary Boise has been ministry partners with the Underground Church for many years. We have an opportunity to learn and grow in our own discipleship and understanding of God's word, while also supporting the underground church as we continue our partnership in this region. This trip is a tour of the seven churches of Revelation in Asia Minor. Some of the proceeds of this trip will go to support the work of the underground church and a special conference for persecuted believers.

**Approximate Dates:** Spring Break, 2025 (exact dates to be confirmed)

**Approximate Cost:** \$5,000

#### Next Steps:

- Scan the QR code to let us know you are praying for this vision trip and may be interested in more updates.
- Join us for an interest meeting Sunday, October 13 at 1:30PM in the Gym.



## STAY INFORMED

If you would like to stay up-to-date with all that is going on with Middle East Missions and know how to be praying, sign up to receive the newsletter. Just send an email to Naghmeh at [middleeastmissions2024@gmail.com](mailto:middleeastmissions2024@gmail.com).