Prayer for Sudan

Father, we pray for peace with justice to come for the people of Sudan.

We pray for the bishops: those within the country, those out of the country and those travelling within their diocese - we pray for whisper of your presence to sustain them and strengthen them that they may strengthen those they serve.

We pray for your mercy for those ordinary citizens in the uncertainty and every day difficulties they face - especially those living in besieged towns, who daily struggle for survival. Thank you that they are known by name to you, our loving heavenly father.

In spite of everything that speaks to the contrary, may they be continually buoyed up by hope in you the God of resurrection and new life through Jesus Christ our Lord.