

# Taiwan - Window International Network (WIN)

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## Taiwan

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### PRAYER FOR THIS COUNTRY

Although Taiwan has enjoyed relative independence for more than 60 years, China has rapidly increased its intimidation of the tiny island nation in recent years. China's overall strategy continues to use both persuasion and coercion to hinder the development of attitudes favoring independence in the "rebel" Taiwan. China's focus on building military strength is seen as a threat by Taiwan as it continues to maintain its autonomy. Taiwan has continued to foster connections with sympathetic international allies. With a strong economy, Taiwan is a leader in computer technology. Unlike China, Taiwan seems more committed to freedom of religion though Christians only make up six percent of the population. Most are committed to the traditional ethnic religion. China's intervention in Hong Kong has caused many in Taiwan to be fearful of what their future holds.

### Praise Report

Praise God that the Taiwanese Church increasingly sees the need for reaching out to people from different ethnic groups, social backgrounds and even to send missionaries to other Asian nations (The Bible, Romans 3:22).

### Prayer Requests

There are more than 700,000 migrant workers in Taiwan, mainly from Indonesia, Philippines, Vietnam and Thailand. Pray that churches will reach out to these migrant workers (The Bible, Hebrews 13:2).

Many people actively practice idol and ancestor worship, making it very difficult to become a Christian as it means turning their backs on the traditional practices. Pray for courage (The Bible, 1 Chronicles 16:26).

## Call to Salvation

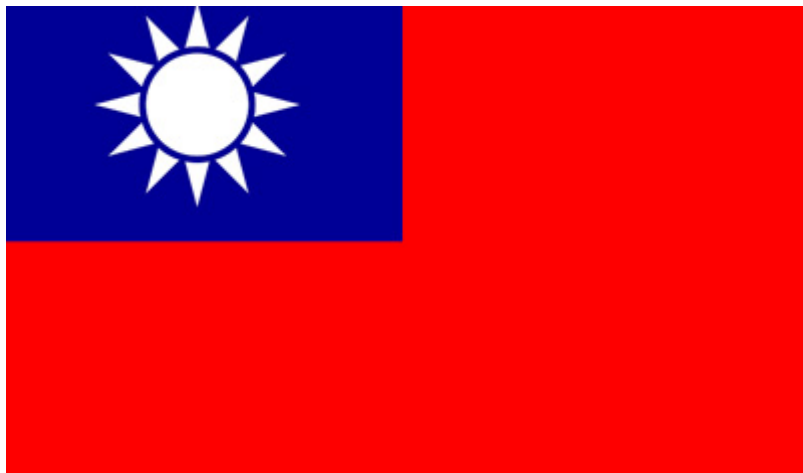
Pray that many people will sense the emptiness in their hearts and recognize their need for a Savior (The Bible, [Isaiah 43:1](#)).

*Sources:*

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## MORE ABOUT THIS COUNTRY

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## CHIEF OF STATE

President Tsai Ing-wen

## HEAD OF GOV.

Premier Mao Chi-kuo

## POPULATION

23,415,000

## CHRISTIANS

4.2%

## EVANGELICAL CHRISTIANS

1.5%

## DOMINANT RELIGION

Ethnic Religions

## PERSECUTION RANKING

Not Ranked

## REFUGEES

Unknown

## LIFE EXPECTANCY

78.97 yrs

## LITERACY RATE

98.29%

POPULATION BELOW POVERTY LINE

1.5%