
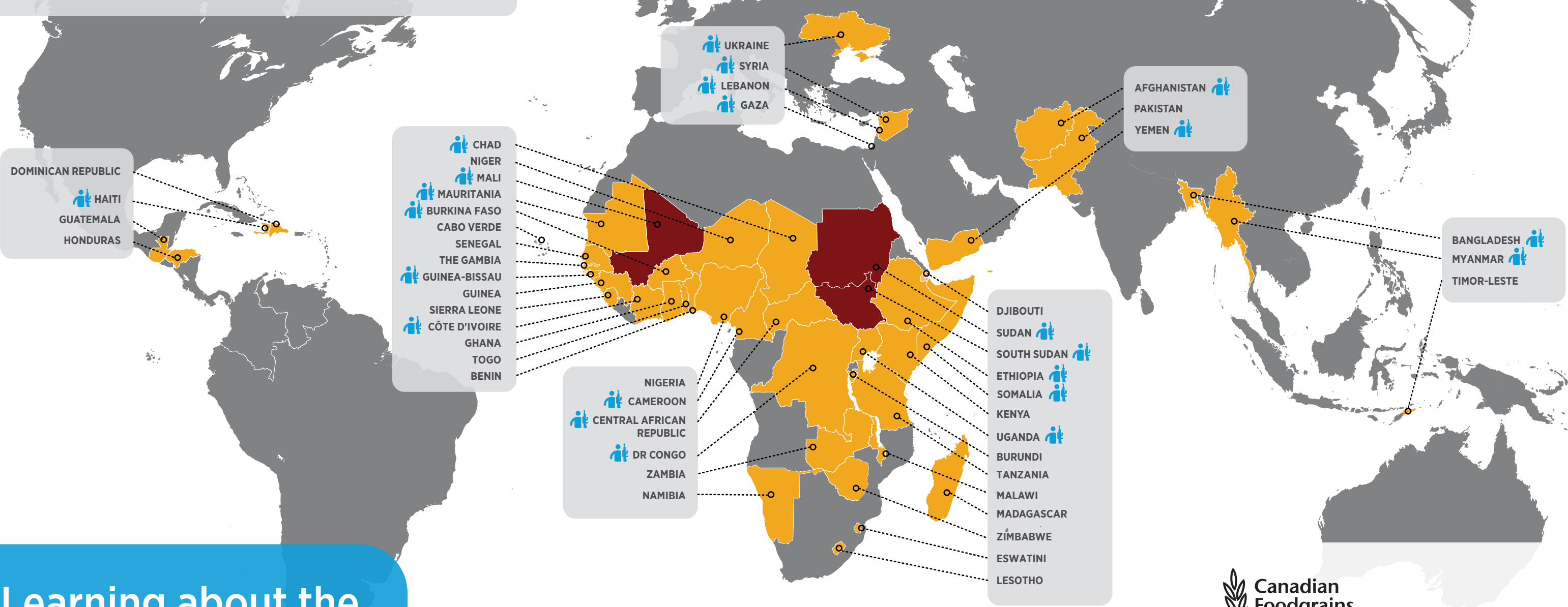


PRAYING FOR PEOPLE LIVING WITH HUNGER

More than 700 million people around the world live with food insecurity – meaning they don’t receive enough nutrition regularly.

162.57* million people are living in a hunger crisis. Highlighted are the countries where they live... including the 1.33* million people living in a **hunger catastrophe**. Conflict is the leading cause of hunger. Countries noted below with  are places where conflict is seen to be a major driver of food insecurity; sometimes this is because of violence within a country, and other times it is because the country hosts a large number of refugees who are fleeing conflict.



Learning about the degrees of hunger

What is the difference between a hunger crisis and a hunger catastrophe? This is based on the Integrated Food Security Phase Classification System (IPC) that shows the degrees of food insecurity that communities go through. To learn more, visit understandingipc.ca.

*statistics and information for this map were taken from www.ipcinfo.org/ipcinfo-website/ipc-dashboard/en in August 2024 and the Global Report on Food Crises 2024

*“Is not this the kind of fasting I have chosen: to loose the chains of injustice and untie the cords of the yoke, to set the oppressed free and break every yoke?
Is it not to share your food with the hungry...”*

Isaiah 58: 6-7a (ESV)

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