

A photograph of a destroyed church in Myanmar. The church's spire and some structural elements remain standing amidst a sea of rubble, including twisted metal and charred wood. The scene is hazy, suggesting smoke or dust. A white circular logo with the text '24 HOURS 24' is overlaid in the upper center. The '24' is in a large, red, stylized font, with 'HOURS' in a smaller, black, sans-serif font between the two '24's. The background shows the skeletal remains of the church building, with a prominent spire reaching towards the sky. The ground is covered in debris, and the overall atmosphere is one of devastation.

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Lord of mercy, we bring you in prayer to the faithful of Myanmar, those who live in the jungle, hiding from strife and conflict, those who have had to leave their homes and seek refuge.

We pray for the priests and religious sisters who, despite the dangers, continue to visit half-empty villages, because people hide for fear of attacks in the forests.

We pray that, at every celebration of Holy Mass, they may be guided by your spirit of strength. On their visits, they set up simple altars with what they have, sometimes placed in a bamboo basket, and there they celebrate baptisms, hear confessions, pray the rosary, comfort the sick, bless their tents and become instruments of your peace.

Listen to the pains and sorrows of this people, hear their prayers full of pain and hope.

Please, Lord, protect them, take care of their families who are waiting for their return and provide the basic necessities of life.

May they never feel abandoned, may they find your strength in every suffering.

Amen.