



Respecting democracy is the necessary way to save Honduras from death and violence

At this time of social and political crisis that the Honduran people are going through, due to the re-election of the current President through an electoral process marked by irregularities that harm the will of the people, MICAH GLOBAL, inspired by the message of justice and peace of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, declares the following:

1. We must express our deep outrage and rejection of the institutional violence against the population of that country, which has legitimately gone into the streets to demonstrate against the fraudulent actions that the political and electoral authorities support to prevent the will of the people from being fulfilled at the polls.
2. We express our solidarity with the families of those whose relatives were tortured and murdered. We believe that the peace and harmony of Hondurans is of greatest value. Respecting democracy and the rights of citizens is necessary to preserve a society from death and violence.
3. We recognize that this situation has accentuated the divisions in the country and that includes the local church. However, in the midst of differences, we encourage communities of faith to remember and recognize the call of Jesus Christ to be promoters of Peace, Justice, Truth and Mercy in all circumstances. We are disciples with dual citizenship, with a serious responsibility for the integral well-being of our communities.
4. We encourage our communities and faith-based organizations in Latin America and the world to pray for the Honduran people, as well as to intercede with national and international jurisdictions so that the voices of solidarity for justice, respect for rights and democracy prevail in the current electoral process in Honduras.

We dream together with our brothers and sisters for a new dawn in Honduras. Our voices of protest will allow us to build a country where justice and peace meet, and well-being reaches everyone (Psalm 85:10).