

MISSION WINDOW

CHINA



BACKGROUND

- **Population:** 1.41 billion
- **Area:** 9,596,961 km²
- **Major Religion:** Buddhism, Taoism, Folk religions, Non-religious
- **Official Language:** Mandarin Chinese
- **Catholic Dioceses:** 100 (with both state-recognized and underground communities)



CHRISTIAN PRESENCE



Ranked #8 Globally



70-100 million Christians



MISSION SNAPSHOT

- **Catholic Church:** one of Asia's largest Christian populations, divided between registered and underground churches.
- **Mission:** family life, small communities, and personal witness as means of growth.
- **Challenges:** government regulations restricting religious activity in several areas.

Capital: Beijing | 1 CNY = \$0.14

"The kingdom of God is like a mustard seed... though it is the smallest of all seeds, yet when it grows, it becomes the largest of garden plants."

(Matthew 13:31-32)