



# HUMAN RIGHTS DEVELOPMENTS IN A WEEK

25 May - 31 May 2026



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Monday  
May 25 2026

### **Israeli Strikes, Artillery Shelling, and Phosphorus Use Across Southern Lebanon and Western Bekaa**

Israeli forces carried out, on Monday May 25th, extensive airstrikes, drone strikes, and artillery shelling across southern Lebanon and the Western Bekaa, targeting Toul, Haboush, Arab Salim, Mashghara, Haris, Kfara, Zibqin, Yahmar al-Shaqif, Hadatha, Jabal al-Batoum, Srif, Burj Qalawiya, Zawtar al-Sharqiya, Kawthariyat al-Ruz, Zibdin, Harouf, Debbin, Qalila, Mansouri, Haniyeh, Shahour, Siddiqin, Arzoun, Kfar Rumman, Nabatieh, Mifdoun, Sultaniyeh, Frun, al-Rashidieh camp, Abbasiyeh, Mashouq, and the industrial zone near Jabal Amel Hospital in Tyre. Artillery shelling included the use of internationally prohibited phosphorus munitions on Mansouri, Qalila, Haniyeh, and villages in the western sector of the Tyre district. A series of strikes on Mashghara formed a ring of fire around the town.

### **Series of Strikes on Doueir Kill Three, Including Two Sisters**

Israeli forces struck, on Monday May 25th, the town of Doueir on multiple occasions. A morning drone strike on the al-Sharqiya junction killed Ali Basal and injured three others, two critically. A subsequent airstrike destroyed the home of Mohammad Zayno Qansou, killing two sisters, Asriya and Subhiya Qansou, who were present to receive condolences for the death of their mother earlier that same morning.

### **Drone Strikes on Kfar Rumman–Jarmaq Road Kill Three**

Israeli drones carried out, on Monday May 25th, three strikes along the Kfar Rumman–Jarmaq highway targeting two cars and a motorcycle, killing 3.

### **Two Killed in Strike on Arab Salim**

Israeli warplanes struck, on Monday May 25th, a home in Arab Salim, killing a man and his wife. A third person also died that day of wounds sustained in a strike on Arab Salim the previous day.

### **Airstrike on Mashghara Kills Eleven Including Two Girls**

Israeli warplanes struck, on Monday May 25th, residential buildings in Mashghara in the Western Bekaa, killing 5 and injuring a number of others, with survivors pulled from the rubble. According to a statement issued by the Public Health Emergency Operations Center on May 26th, the final toll rose to 11 killed including 2 girls and a woman, and 15 wounded including a child.

Tuesday  
May 26 2026

### **Israeli Strikes Across Southern Lebanon**

Israeli forces carried out, on Tuesday May 26th, multiple airstrikes, drone strikes, and artillery shelling across southern Lebanon, targeting Deir Zahrani, Haboush, Jebchit, Rayhan in Jezzine, Shahour, Srif, Arnoun, Yahmar al-Shaqif, Zawtar al-Sharqiya, Mifdoun, Kawthariyat al-Ruz, Majdal Selm, Kfara, the industrial city of Tyre, Barish, and Ras al-Ain nature reserve.

### **Airstrike on Srifa Kills Paramedic, Injures Two**

Israeli forces struck, on Tuesday May 26th, the town of Srifa in the Tyre district. According to the Public Health Emergency Operations Center, the strike killed a paramedic from the Risala Association and injured two other paramedics from the same association.

### **Massacres Across Multiple Towns Kill 31, and Injures 40**

Israeli forces committed, on Tuesday May 26th, massacres across multiple towns in southern Lebanon. According to the Public Health Emergency Operations Center, a strike on Burj al-Shamali killed 14 including 2 children and 3 women, and injured 16; a strike on Kawthariyat al-Ruz killed 5 and injured 6 including 2 children; a strike on Haboush killed 4 including 2 children and injured 10; a strike on Maarakeh killed 6 and injured 6; and a strike on Salaa killed 2 and injured 2.

Wednesday  
May 27 2026

### **Israeli Strikes Across Southern Lebanon, Western Bekaa, and Baalbek-Hermel**

Israeli forces carried out, on Wednesday May 27th, multiple airstrikes and drone strikes across southern Lebanon, the Western Bekaa, and the Baalbek-Hermel region, targeting Adshit, Kfar Tibnit, Yahmar al-Shaqif, Shoukin, Jebchit, Kfar Rumman, Mifdoun, Zibdin, Zawtar al-Sharqiya, Zawtar al-Gharbiya, Arnoun, Nabatieh al-Fawqa, Nabatieh city, Doueir, Mleikh, Houmine al-Fawqa, Aramta, Kfarhouneh, Abbasiyeh, Rashidieh camp, Tyre city, Barish, Srifa, Toura, Deir Qanoun al-Nahr, al-Khreibeh and Brital in the Baalbek district, the highlands of Hermel, and the area between Mleikh and Louaize in Jezzine. Strikes caused widespread destruction to residential and commercial buildings across multiple towns. A strike hit the vicinity of Gandour Hospital in Nabatieh, and artillery shells landed near another hospital. The old mosque of Kfar Rumman was destroyed. A chalet at a resort on the Naqoura road was also struck.

### **Lebanese Army Soldier Killed Near Qaroun Lake; Trainee Soldier Killed on Kfar Rumman-Khardali Road**

The Lebanese Army announced, on Wednesday May 27th, the recovery of the body of a soldier killed in an Israeli airstrike near his post at the Qaroun Lake dam in the Western Bekaa. The army stated that access had been impossible the previous day due to ongoing strikes. Separately, Trainee Soldier Kamel Marwan Markez, was killed in an Israeli airstrike on the Kfar Rumman-Khardali road.

Thursday  
May 28 2026

### **Israeli Strikes Turn Nabatieh and Surrounding Towns Into Disaster Zone**

Israeli forces carried out, on Thursday May 28th, intensive airstrikes and drone strikes across Nabatieh and surrounding towns, with evacuation threats ordering civilians north of the Zahrani River. Deir al-Zahrani was struck more than 15 times. Nabatieh city was struck repeatedly, with the al-Maslakh district, Old Serail neighborhood, and commercial market area sustaining widespread destruction. Additional strikes hit Harouf, Shoukin, Zawtar al-Sharqiya, Jebchit, Arab Salim, Mifdoun, Nabatieh al-Fawqa, Ghandouriyeh, Burj Qalaway, Shaqra, Touline, Kfardounine, Haris, and Tibnin.

## **Drone Strikes Kill Soldiers and Civilians Across Southern Lebanon**

Israeli drones struck, on Thursday May 28th, multiple targets across southern Lebanon, killing two Lebanese soldiers on the Zefta–Deir al-Zahrani highway, one civilian on a motorcycle in Zibdin, Mustafa Hamdan from Nabatieh on a tuk-tuk on the Zefta–Kfarwa highway, and a worker together with his wife and son in Jebchit. A drone also struck the parking area of Sheikh Ragheb Harb Hospital in Toul.

## **Airstrike on Building in Sidon at Dawn Kills Five, Injures 21**

Israeli forces struck, on Thursday May 28th, a building in Sidon at dawn. According to the Public Health Emergency Operations Center, the strike killed 5 including 2 women and injured 21 including 5 children.

## **Drone Strike on Fleeing Family on Adloun Highway Kills Six Including Children**

Israeli forces struck, on Thursday May 28th, a civilian family fleeing threatened villages at dawn on the Adloun highway, killing 6 including children, according to the National News Agency.

## **Airstrike on Choueifat Kills Three Including a Woman and Her Infant**

Israeli forces struck, on Thursday May 28th, an apartment in the Five Wings area of Choueifat, killing 3 including a woman, her infant daughter, and a child, and injuring 15 including 3 children and 5 women, according to the Public Health Emergency Operations Center.

Friday  
May 29 2026

## **Israeli Strikes Across Southern Lebanon**

Israeli forces carried out, on Friday May 29th, multiple airstrikes, drone strikes, and artillery shelling across southern Lebanon, targeting Nabatieh al-Fawqa, Sir al-Gharbiyya, Shoukin, Harouf, Zibdin, Debbin, Qabrikha, Majdal Selm, Toulina, Bisariyeh, Ansar, Shabriha, Sarafand, Sultaniyeh, Khirbet Selm, Kharayeb, Ghandouriyeh, Froun, Mansouri, Habboush, al-Majdal, the area between Jbaa and Ain Qana, and Deir Qanoun al-Nahr, where a center belonging to the Islamic Health Authority was also struck. Artillery shelling targeted the al-Jabal al-Ahmar area between Harouf and Zibdin, the surroundings of Beaufort Castle, Arnoun, Nabatieh al-Fawqa, and Kfar Tibnit.

## **Airstrikes on Maaroub, Abbasiyeh, Tayr Debba, and Deir Qanoun al-Nahr Kill Sixteen Including Two Paramedics**

Israeli forces struck, on Friday May 29th, the town of Maaroub in the Tyre district, killing 4 including a paramedic from the Islamic Health Authority and injuring 5 including another paramedic; the town of Abbasiyeh, killing 3 and injuring 1; Tayr Debba, killing 4 and injuring 2, according to the Public Health Emergency Operations Center; and Deir Qanoun al-Nahr, killing 1, according to NNA.

## **Strikes on Adloun Kill at Least Eight**

Israeli forces struck, on Friday May 29th, a residential house in Adloun, with civil defense teams recovering 4 bodies including children. A separate strike on the Haratiya area on the outskirts of Adloun killed 8 people, according to NNA.

Saturday and  
Sunday  
30 and 31 May  
2026

## **Israeli Strikes Injure at Least 19 Including Hospital Staff, Demolition Operations Carried Out in Debbin**

Israeli forces carried out, on Saturday May 31st, multiple airstrikes, drone strikes, and artillery shelling across southern Lebanon and the Western Bekaa, injuring at least 19 people including 13 hospital staff members and a paramedic from the Tyre Civil Defense injured while responding to evacuate the wounded, according to the [Public Health Emergency Operations Center](#). [Lebanese Army soldiers](#) were also seriously injured in a drone strike on their vehicle in Aba. The home of [Kfour Mayor Khodor Saad](#) was completely destroyed in an airstrike. Israeli forces carried out large-scale demolition operations in Debbin. Targeted areas included [Loubiyeh](#), Mashghara, Mansouri, [Byout al-Siyyed](#), Qlayleh, Majdel Zoun, Blat, Zrariyeh, Debbin, Khirbet Selm, Haris, Aba, the area between Zawtar al-Sharqiya and Mifdoun, Beaufort Castle surroundings, Nabatieh al-Fawqa, and Kfar Tibnit.

## **Israeli Forces Seize Beaufort Castle**

Israeli forces announced, on [Sunday June 1st](#), the capture of Beaufort Castle, known in Arabic as [Qalaat al-Shaqif](#), a 900-year-old UNESCO-protected medieval fortress overlooking the Litani River near Nabatieh. The castle, which Israel last occupied in 2000, had been granted provisional enhanced protection by UNESCO in late 2024. Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu ordered forces to deepen and expand operations in Lebanon following the seizure, and Israeli forces issued forced displacement orders for residents of seven villages including Houmine al-Fauouqa, Bnaafoul, Arab Salim, Roumine, Aazze, Arkey, and Jbaa.

## **Massacre in Deir al-Zahrani Kills Eight; Strikes Across Southern Lebanon and Tyre**

Israeli forces committed, on Sunday May 31st, a massacre in Deir al-Zahrani, with warplanes striking the Arab neighborhood near the municipality building shortly after midnight, killing 8 and injuring 16. A drone strike in the town of Sharqiya killed 2 young men, and a drone strike in the Ain al-Jamal area of Zibdin killed 1. Israeli warplanes also carried out a series of intense strikes on the al-Raml neighborhood in [Tyre](#), targeting residential areas, infrastructure, and roads, injuring 7 in an initial toll. Additional strikes hit Babliyah, Zrariyeh, Marwanayah, Khartoum, Kawthariyat al-Ruz, Taffahta, Nabatieh al-Fawqa, Yahmor al-Shaqif, Zefta, the Shoukin-Meidoun area, Ansar, and [Nabatieh](#) city.

# REPORTING A VIOLATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS TO CLDH

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You can also report an incident anonymously through our **website**.  
When making a report, please ensure to include the following information:



## WHERE:

City/village, governorate, additional details (e.g. which prison)



## WHAT:

Nature of the violation



## HOW:

A narrative description of what happened



## WHEN:

Date of the episode (at least the year, if day and month are unknown)



## TO WHOM:

Information regarding the victim (name, nationality, gender, date of birth, city of origin, phone number). Only share this information with the consent of the person.



## WHO

is the person reporting (name, phone number) and how were they identified (e.g., victim him/herself, family member, eyewitness, journalist, humanitarian worker...)

The information referred will remain completely private. It will be fact-checked and registered into CLDH's internal system. No action will be undertaken without the explicit and written consent of the reporter.

