

Intercede for the Muslim World

"I have other sheep that are not of this sheep pen. I must bring them also. They too will listen to my voice, and there shall be one flock and one shepherd" (Jn 10:16).

Today's Prayer Requests: From Students, Alumni, and Missionaries

DR CONGO: An alumnus writes that, on a recent trip to visit churches within the country, "I met an imam and shared with him the good news of the grace of God. I entrusted him to the hands of the Lord; pray that He will reveal himself to this imam. And pray for DR Congo. Thank you." Let's intercede with our brother for these needs:

- For the salvation of this imam and of those he teaches and influences.
- For God's intervention and peace in Beni Territory in the northeast, where jihadist attacks by the Ugandabased Allied Democratic Forces have become all too common. In March alone at least 44 were killed and at least 15 presumed kidnapped. Pray for our Assemblies of God churches and pastors here, that they might share God's peace with those who fear. Pray that the Holy Spirit would pierce the hearts of the terrorists, for their salvation.
- For presidential elections, delayed since 2016 and likely now until 2019. This delay and opposition clashes have caused turmoil in the nation. Pray especially that the Church here would boldly demonstrate what it is to be of God's kingdom and not of any earthly kingdom. People need an eternal hope!

NORTH AFRICA: The nations of North Africa today are Islamic strongholds, and most are ignorant of the area's Christian heritage. An Assemblies of God media ministry is producing "The Heritage Project," an eight-episode docudrama depicting the history of Christianity in North Africa before the arrival of Islam. The series will be available in English, French, Spanish, Farsi, and Egyptian Arabic. A worker involved in the project asks us to pray

- "for God's anointing over the shoots. Most of the actors are not Christians. We have had some repeat actors who have come to know Jesus through working with [us]; pray for more of that."
- for the salvation of Muslim actors who have become interested in the stories.
- for funds to shoot the last three episodes later this year.

For more information about the project, see http://www.imm.edu/heritage-project/.

SENSITIVE COUNTRY: A student invites us to thank God with him for the recent salvation of five Muslims in his area. "It is very difficult here for people to make the decision to follow Jesus," he notes. "It is even more difficult for them to stand firm. Pray for them as they are discipled, and for their witness in their communities."

In another part of this nation, a new work that last year was composed of just the pastor and one convert has now grown to 13: the pastor, his new wife, seven adults, and four children! Pray for their continued growth spiritually and numerically.

Prayer Resources

For the 2018 World Watch List, ranking the 50 nations where believers suffer most, see https://tinyurl.com/WWL2018.

Global Initiative is a ministry of Assemblies of God World Missions, USA. Visit http://globalinitiativeinfo.com/ for information about praying for Muslims and weekly requests.

Muslim women need your prayers! You can join a prayer network and receive regular requests at http://sayhelloinfo.com/.

For a weekly lesson and prayer topic about an aspect of Islam, see https://prayingformuslims.com/.

For suggestions on starting a prayer group, see http://www.waast.org/pray-with-us/pray-for-the-unreached/.

For news updates concerning persecuted Christians, visit http://worldwatchmonitor.org/, and http://www.releaseinternational.org/.

For prayer requests, visit http://www.opendoorsusa.org/pray/ and http://www.opendoorsusa.org/pray/ and http://www.opendoorsusa.org/pray/ and http://www.persecution.com/public/pray.aspx.

To help you answer Muslims' questions about God's Word, see http://www.unchangingword.com/ and http://www.unchangingword.com/ and http://answeringislam.org/.