



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*

SENEGAL: Eleven children have been enrolled in a new Christian school in a northern community. Pray for each child and family as they benefit from this academic opportunity and learn as well about God's love and salvation. Pray for the director and teachers, who have moved in from another part of the nation, that they would adjust well and find great favor in the community.

TOGO: An alumnus asks us to pray for an area made up of 46 villages in the southern part of the country. Muslims are winning the people's allegiance through helping them obtain wells and food. They are gaining minds through offering education in a boarding school, caring for and training children from ages 3 to 17. The village chiefs, while not following Islam themselves, are sympathetic to and defend the Muslims who are helping their people. The Assemblies of God has 5 churches among these 46 villages. Please pray

- that the Lord would use the churches and believers in the area to counteract these efforts to gain people, through showing Jesus' love, sharing the Way of salvation, and helping to meet their needs as the Spirit leads.
- that God would open the eyes of the village authorities and their people to the true motives of these benefactors.
- for discernment for parents who are considering turning their children over to the Islamic school, and for divine protection over the children already in the school. May each child have an opportunity to know the Truth of Jesus, despite being shielded from it.
- that the Lord would open doors in these communities and provide the means for more churches to be planted.

Please continue to pray concerning the stalled construction of a young church in northern Togo. Land was obtained and materials bought to begin building, but some people from the area opposed the sale of this land. Another person has now offered a plot of land over which these people would have no jurisdiction. Please pray that the legal process to acquire this land would proceed smoothly and quickly and that building can begin. Pray that those who oppose the believers would be overcome by the love of Jesus.

In the News

Intercede for two Iranian believers arrested on November 16. They had made plans to meet, and their phone calls were evidently intercepted by authorities. One, who had already lost his job because of his faith, was arrested at a friend's home and his whereabouts are unknown. The other was taken from his home and is believed to be at the notorious Rajai Shahr prison. Pray that God would be glorified through their lives and testimonies, that His Spirit would encourage them, and that they would be freed. See details and prayer requests at <https://tinyurl.com/ersali>.

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 <https://reachingmuslimpeoples.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://morningstarnews.org/>, <http://worldwatchmonitor.org/>, and <http://www.releaseinternational.org/>.

For prayer requests, visit <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://muslimsask.com/>, <http://www.unchangingword.com/> and <http://answerislam.org/>.