



Intercede for the Muslim World!

There is no fear in love. But perfect love drives out fear... (1Jn 4:18a).

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

BURKINA FASO: In recent months some 250 Assemblies of God pastors and 5,000 church members have been displaced by terrorist activity the north. Leaders of the Burkina Faso AG ask us to pray for the following needs:

- The Enemy is using this conflict to bring deep ethnic division and to sow hatred, particularly between northern and southern tribes. Pray that the Lord would help His people to resist the temptation to reject others, and to show the love of Jesus that supersedes human divisions.
- Pray for believers who have stayed in the danger zones in the north. Many of these are secret believers, having left their former religion. Pray God would give them divine boldness to witness.
- Pray for southerners living in the north as government workers. Many are believers; pray they would have opportunities to share the gospel of peace.
- Pray for the pastors and families who have been displaced and whose churches have been closed. Many want to return. Pray that the Lord would make a way for them to reopen their churches and continue the work.

NORTHERN GHANA: An alumnus who serves here shares these requests:

- Pray for the many Muslims who know the Way to salvation but hesitate to commit themselves to Jesus for fear of persecution. May His love help them overcome their fears.
- Pray for a lady who has accepted Jesus and had been coming to church. Her Muslim husband, bending to pressure from the community, has forbidden her to attend. Pray that God would strengthen her faith and work in the heart of her husband, that he would come to salvation.
- Pray for a convert whose family has threatened not to bury him if he dies a Christian—a very serious threat. Pray he would stand firm and for divine peace in his heart.
- Pray for a young pastor in a community where the people are trying to close the church. Pray for spiritual breakthroughs in communities that forbid a church to be planted or try to close existing churches

GUINEA-CONAKRY: A student asks for prayer for a man who recently accepted Jesus. His wife has been taken from him and some are threatening to take his children, who have been unable to attend school. His plantation has been burned. Pray that the Lord would intervene, and that this family would be reunited and come to know Jesus.

SENEGAL: An alumnus writes: “[recently] the Mouride brotherhood inaugurated a mosque in Dakar, which mobilized a great crowd, and on October 17 they are going to mobilize another crowd in [their headquarters city]. May the Lord send confusion to this meeting. May the authorities take courage and stop this type of gathering. May the Holy Spirit submit this country to obedience to Jesus.”

Prayer Resources

For the 2019 World Watch List, ranking the 50 nations where believers suffer most, see <https://tinyurl.com/WWL19>.

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://answeringislam.org/>.