



Intercede for the Muslim World!

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures forever. Let the redeemed of the Lord tell their story (Ps 107:1-2).

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

BENIN: The Benin Assemblies of God has sent out and supports 33 home missionaries, most of whom work in the Muslim-dominated north. They have four workers serving in four other Muslim-majority West African nations. **Praise God** for His provision; according to the missions director, during this difficult time all have received their regular monthly support. **Please pray** He would meet these needs cited by those serving outside Benin:

- the establishment of an AG primary school in two of these nations
- the purchase of land in one nation, and the construction of the meeting place
- evangelism materials (literature, equipment)
- a means of transportation for ministry (vehicle or motorcycle)

Another worker will begin serving in a fifth nation whenever restrictions due to COVID-19 are lifted. Pray that the Lord would pave the way before him, meet his needs, and prepare hearts to receive the gospel.

Please pray for these needs expressed by various workers within Benin:

- the purchase of land for churches and for annexes (daughter churches)
- resources to build or complete church buildings and parsonages
- evangelism materials
- means of transportation (motorcycles)

Pray especially that the Holy Spirit would guide these men and women and fill them with His wisdom as they serve.

LIBERIA : In April we prayed for a young church in a Muslim/animist community, that God would keep the members as lockdown prevented their meeting. **Praise God**, restrictions have been lifted and their pastor was able to travel there this past Sunday. The week before, under her direction, the believers met for the first time in nearly 2 months. Her husband notes, "Their meeting without any of us was a good sign of gradual maturity." **Pray** for the continued growth and witness of this church, and for means to erect the walls of the church building.

World Watch List 2020: Maldives (14/50)*

The islands of the Maldives lie in the Indian Ocean, 600 miles from Southern Asia. Although the Maldives welcomes millions of tourists each year from Asia and the West, the government is totally Islamic and no other religion is tolerated. The few believers here must keep their faith a secret or lose their citizenship. Christian expatriate workers cannot share their faith or worship openly, and are often pressured or given incentives to convert to Islam. Let's pray

- that the handful of believers would find fellowship and that the Spirit would keep and encourage them;
- that online resources such as the *Jesus* film and audio messages in the Dhivehi language would reach many;
- that Christian workers in the country would be a quiet but effective influence as they serve their Lord.

For more information and prayer requests, see <https://tinyurl.com/ww14mal>.

Prayer Resources

*For the 2020 World Watch List, ranking the 50 nations where believers suffer most, see <https://tinyurl.com/wwlist2020>.

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/>.