

## **Intercede for the Muslim World!**

But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us (Ro 5:8).

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

**GUINEA-CONAKRY:** Post-election unrest still simmers in this Muslim-majority nation. An alumnus working in the north reports that they could not hold church service this past Sunday due to violence in the streets on Saturday. At least 21 people, both protesters and security officers, have been killed since October 19. *Please pray that calm would be restored. Pray that tired people would seek hope and find Jesus!* 

**SENSITIVE COUNTRY:** A worker is moving to this area very soon and will be serving with an international church that largely serves expatriates. He asks us to pray for the following needs:

- that he and his family would get established and get residence visas quickly
- for more African workers to come help in this ministry
- for God's protection over believers. Several were recently expelled for giving out Bibles, and one church member was attacked and another interrogated. Services are normally monitored, but this pressure on the congregation is unusual.

**SIERRA LEONE:** After several months, workers have been able to return from the US to continue building the new Assemblies of God Bible school in an interior city. Some 25 local workers are helping, and every morning the team meets to study the Bible and pray for any needs expressed. *Please pray that the Muslim workers would respond to the gospel, see answers to their prayers, and be saved. Pray that the building project would continue unhindered.* 

## In the News

Over the past two weeks, many young Nigerians have taken to the streets to demand an end to police brutality. Their anger was fueled this week by the discovery of food and relief supplies held in government warehouses, meant for distribution during lockdowns, and looting has been rampant. While many Muslims are working with Christians to restore peace, other, more radical ones have taken advantage of the instability to attack churches and believers in three States, killing several, injuring others, and damaging church buildings. Please pray with our brothers and sisters here

- for an end to the political unrest;
- for the government leaders, that their hearts would be turned to the people they are to serve, and to the Lord;
- for the healing in body and mind of those injured, and for those who have lost family members;
- for the salvation of the jihadists.

See the story at <u>https://tinyurl.com/sarsch</u>.

## **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 <u>https://reachingmuslimpeoples.com/</u> 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 <u>http://morningstarnews.org/</u>, <u>http://worldwatchmonitor.org/</u>, and <u>http://www.releaseinternational.org/</u>.

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 <u>http://muslimsask.com/</u>, <u>http://www.unchangingword.com/</u>, and <u>http://answeringislam.org/</u>.