



Intercede for the Muslim World!

The LORD is good, a stronghold in the day of trouble; he knows those who take refuge in him (Na 1:7, RSV).

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

ETHIOPIA: A worker asks us to pray for a Christian family here who suffered a great loss in their immediate family this past week. Many in the extended family are Muslims. *Please pray* (1) for God's overwhelming comfort and peace for this family, and (2) for the extended family, "that through this situation they see Jesus active in His peoples' love and care," and that they would open their hearts to receive His salvation.

SENSITIVE COUNTRY: Pray for an upcoming trip to this Muslim-majority nation to explore the possibility of reestablishing a work there. "The plan is to travel to the country's most unreached people group...in search of a 'man of peace' and 'open doors'...." Pray that the Holy Spirit would go before them, prepare people, and direct the team to those who are ready to hear.

TOGO: This week the state of emergency declared for northern Togo in June was extended to March 2023. Since November 2021 Togo has seen five attacks and dozens killed. Hundreds if not thousands of people have been internally displaced, and hundreds more have fled into Togo from neighboring Burkina Faso and Benin. Churches in northern cities and towns are responding to their needs, lodging refugees with families and helping to meet material needs, and churches further south are helping with support. Let's pray

- for God's blessing on and provision for these churches and families as they serve these refugees, many of whom are Muslims;
- for the salvation of many refugees to the glory of God;
- that the Lord would thwart the southward advance of the jihadists, who seek to extend their reach into the coastal countries.

In the News

Unusually heavy monsoon rains are bringing devastating loss to this nation. According to a Pakistani worker, "one-third of Pakistan is under water and 3 million families have lost everything." More than 33 million people have been displaced by the flooding. Pakistan is officially an Islamic republic, but the government is inviting help from any person or organization regardless of faith. Please pray

- for the Lord's comfort and provision for families who have lost homes, farms, even loved ones;
- for provision for local churches who seek to distribute food packages and other goods;
- for the efforts of NGOs such as Convoy of Hope, Samaritan's Purse, and others, that goods may reach those who need them;
- for divine opportunities to present the message of eternal salvation along with temporal aid.

See more at <https://tinyurl.com/pkconvoy>.

Prayer Resources

For the 2022 World Watch List, ranking the 50 nations where believers suffer most, see <https://tinyurl.com/2022wwl>.

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.

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

For suggestions on starting a prayer group, see <https://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 .

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