

Jumaa Prayer

for the Muslims of Africa and beyond

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Intercede for the Muslim World!

You are my God, and I will praise you; you are my God, and I will exalt you. Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his love endures forever (Ps 118:28-29).

Today's Prayer Requests: *From Workers*

BENIN: A worker asks us to pray for his nation. "The terrorist threat persists in the northwest and east of Benin, but government authorities are not speaking about it. Pastors and missionaries are fearful, and we are concerned that this threat may hinder the work in these areas."

- Pray that the Lord would give strength and courage to these workers, that they might in turn strengthen and encourage His people to stand firm.
- Pray that, rather than hindering the work, this context of instability would give believers unprecedented opportunities to share their faith with their neighbors and lead many to the Prince of Peace.
- "Pray that the current political issues will not open the door to these [Islamic] fundamentalists," who seek to take advantage of any social unrest to further their own agenda.

NIGERIA: On October 28, Nigeria suffered its first attack claimed by JNIM, the al-Qaida-linked terrorist group that is active in Burkina Faso, Mali, Niger, and Benin. Militants attacked a security post in western Nigeria, killing one soldier, kidnapping another, and making off with motorcycles, ammunition, and money. This attack indicates the expansion of the group into a nation that already harbors at least 20 known terrorist groups, some just forming and some well established. At the same time, the Church in Nigeria has been strong and growing. Let's pray for Nigeria.

- Pray for God's protection over His people. Almost 50% of Nigeria's people claim to be Christians, and are the preferred targets of jihadist attacks. A [report](#) from Nigeria's International Society for Civil Liberties and Rule of Law states that from January 1–August 10, 2025, 7,000+ Christians were killed and 7,800 abducted. One pastor remarks, "At night, we pray and wish each other a good night. If we see ourselves alive in the morning we say, 'Thank you, Jesus.'"
- Pray for Nigeria's Muslims. Most are moderate and are also targeted and killed by jihadists for not adhering to their radical agenda. Pray that they would begin to question Islam and seek the truth about God.
- Pray for wisdom for government authorities. May the Holy Spirit move leaders to respond effectively to the plight of innocent Nigerians and their communities. May Jesus, in His mercy, reveal Himself to key leaders, that they might find new life in Him.

Prayer Resources

The 2025 World Watch List, ranking the 50 nations where believers suffer most: <https://tinyurl.com/2025wwl>

Global Initiative and its Jumaa Prayer Fellowship (a ministry of Assemblies of God World Missions, USA), information and resources concerning ministry to and prayer for Muslims : <https://reachingmuslimpeoples.com/>

Say Hello, prayer requests and resources on ministry to Muslim women: <https://www.facebook.com/SayHelloInfo>

For statistics and information on people groups in every nation: <https://joshuaproject.net/>; for Unreached Peoples prayer cards to download and print: <https://joshuaproject.net/pray/cards>

For suggestions on starting a prayer group: <https://www.waast.org/pray-with-us/pray-for-the-unreached/>

For news updates concerning persecuted Christians: <http://morningstarnews.org/>, <http://www.releaseinternational.org/>, <https://www.persecution.org/>, and <https://www.persecution.com/>

For prayer requests from around the world: <https://www.icommittoprayer.com/>

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