

Jumaa Prayer

for the Muslims of Africa and beyond

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Intercede for the Muslim World!

Those who know your name trust in you, for you, LORD, have never forsaken those who seek you (Ps 9:10).

Today's Prayer Requests: *From Workers*

GUINEA: God's kingdom is advancing in this Muslim-majority nation. A church leader writes, "We thank God for the great things happening in Guinea: new church plants, the building of tabernacles, access to clean water, and growing training opportunities for leaders and workers." He asks us to "pray for God's continued favor, protection, and provision over every church plant and ministry initiative, that they may bear lasting fruit for His glory."

This work is done in the context of spiritual battle, as the Enemy attempts to discourage God's people and hamper the work. Just days ago, a key worker, sent from another West African nation to serve here, unexpectedly passed away. Please intercede with our brothers and sisters in Guinea.

- Pray for this worker's family and "for the families of pastors who have suffered tragic losses. Pray for God's comfort, peace, and healing to surround them in their grief."
- "Ask the Lord to place His hedge of protection over pastors and their families, guarding their lives, health, and households."
- "Pray for wisdom, strength, and spiritual covering for pastors, church planters, and trainers as they serve faithfully."
- "Pray that even in sorrow, the Church in Guinea will stand firm, strengthened by the hope of Christ and the power of the Holy Spirit."

In the News: Afghanistan

On January 4, Afghanistan's Taliban government introduced a new Criminal Courts Code of Conduct, to be applied throughout the nation. This document establishes a hierarchy within the society—religious leaders, the elite, the middle class, and the lower class—and adjusts punishments according to the accused person's status. Religious leaders may simply be warned, while a lower class-person may face harsh punishment for the same infraction. Crimes are vaguely defined, confessions may be forced, and those who are not "true Muslims," that is, those who adhere to a sect or religion other than the approved Sunni school, face imprisonment and possibly execution. Let's pray.

- Pray for God's protection over the few secret believers in the country. This Code heightens the danger to them—and indeed to anyone deemed a criminal. "Under this code, neighbors become informants," says a lawyer. "You can no longer trust anyone. This is how the Taliban want to rule, through fear and betrayal."
- Pray for women, already severely oppressed. This Code places still more restrictions on their freedom of movement and social interaction. It allows husbands to beat their wives, punishing them only with a 15-day prison sentence if a beating results in a serious injury.
- Pray that the Holy Spirit would work in the hearts of Taliban authorities. Pray that Jesus would reveal himself to them in supernatural ways and lead them to the God who loves and values every person.

For more information on the scope and implications of this Code, see <https://tinyurl.com/afcrimcode>.

Prayer Resources

Global Initiative and its Jumaa Prayer Fellow (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>