

# Jumaa Prayer

for the Muslims of Africa and beyond

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## Intercede for the Muslim World!

*As a father has compassion on his children, so the LORD has compassion on those who fear him (Ps 103:13).*

### Today's Prayer Requests: *From Workers*

**GABON:** Some 150 pastors and workers have gathered for a conference to learn about Islam, its teachings, and the need to reach the growing number of Muslims around them. The host pastor and organizers “are hoping that they will see churches start ministries to reach Muslims in their communities out of this conference, and maybe even see some workers sent outside the country to reach Muslims,” says the conference speaker. ***“Please pray that the Holy Spirit will do a deep work in his church here to see them become more missional and engaged in sending workers to reach Muslims.”***

**KENYA:** Pray for workers from four nations who are currently in training in a city in Kenya, from where they will be sent to unreached communities across Africa. Every day they interact with local people, and recently the first Muslim responded and put his faith in Christ. Please pray

- for direction for each of the trainees as they pray about where the Lord would have them serve;
- that in these daily outreaches, the Holy Spirit would lead team members to those He has prepared to hear the message of God's love and salvation;
- for this new believer, that he would grow in his faith and himself become an effective witness to others.

**SENSITIVE COUNTRY:** Pray for strength, protection, and provision for a family of believers who were recently evacuated to another country due to threats from some in their community. Their son, still in their home country, has now been arrested, adding to their concerns. Pray for this son's release and for God's peace for this family.

### *In the News: South Sudan*

The Gorom Refugee Camp in South Sudan is home to some 20,000 refugees who have fled conflict in this nation and surrounding nations. Most of the camp's inhabitants are Muslims, but a small percentage are Christians, some of whom, despite the risks, have left Islam to follow Jesus. Recently, a group of Muslims entered a small refugee church—a place considered a safe haven—and assaulted one such believer, H. Sadly, attacks and discrimination of Christian “infidels” is not unusual in such camps. Let's pray for these brothers and sisters.

- Pray for healing for H., and that through this he and his fellow believers would be strengthened in their faith.
- Pray for God's protection over the churches in this and other refugee camps. For these people, one reporter notes, such churches are “where trauma is processed, where the displaced find brotherhood, and where faith is kept alive against overwhelming odds.”
- Pray along with H. for the salvation of Muslims. “We are optimistic that our Muslim families will be saved one day by the power of our Lord Jesus Christ,” he says. “Until then, we will be diligent so that we cannot be attacked and persecuted while preaching the gospel.”

### *Prayer Resources*

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>