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Praying for the Muslim World

February 2025

Join us in interceding for our field workers and the Muslim people around the world in the upcoming FFM Day of Prayer for the Muslim World on February 22nd. Link to register: https://www.ffmna.org/2025daysofprayer

| Week 1 | February 1-7 — PRAISE & THANKSGIVING "I will bless the LORD at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth." Psalm 34:1 NIV |
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| Sat 1 | Praise GOD for answered prayers for Lebanon. A new president and prime minister have been elected after 2 yrs. of gridlock. Pray for unity and the Lord's wisdom and guidance for the government that faces an uphill battle to steer the country away from brink of collapse. Pray as well for long-term stability in the region. |
| Sun 2 | Praise GOD for the reports coming out of Palestine that many Palestinians have turned to Christ in the past 15 mos. of war. Praise God for the ceasefire and return of the hostages. Pray more Palestinians and Israelis will find true peace with God and with each other and that the Prince of Peace will reign in the Holy Land. |
| Mon 3 | Praise GOD for the opportunities He gives us to share our joy especially during Christmas. Field workers in Asia shared that they were able to read the Christmas story with the kids and parents in the local language. Pray for the workers as they continue to serve this community through a café. May the Lord bless and protect them! |
| Tue 4 | Praise GOD for the radio ministry of FEBC. In a fragile and hostile environment like Pakistan, home to 200 million people, the Good News of Jesus and Christian values of love, peace, forgiveness, and mercy are being broadcast by FEBC from just outside the border of Pakistan. May He bring the harvest and bless the workers! |
| Wed 5 | Praise GOD for the ministry of Trans World Radio. A listener in Côte d'Ivoire who is now attending a prayer group testified: "I was abused and mistreated as a child. At that time, I did not know God. I wanted my son to have a childhood different from my own. After praying for forgiveness from God, I asked him to guide me to raise this son and show him true love. I pray that my son grows up to be a servant of God and a good citizen." |
| Thu-Fri 6-7 | Praise GOD for how He provides for His workers. A field worker among Muslims in North America reported that God had recently opened up a rental house that can be turned into a refugee home. A group of workers are able to move in and they can start welcoming refugees soon. Pray that churches will walk alongside them and support the ministry and pray that this home would lead many refugees to faith in Jesus. |

| Week 2 | February 8-14 — PRAY FOR MUSLIM PEOPLE "Every word of God is flawless; he is a shield to those who take refuge in Him. Do not add to his words, or he will rebuke you and prove you a liar." Proverbs 30:5-6 NIV |
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| Sat 8 | Muslims believe that the Bible has been changed. Yet in Sura 5:46, it says that Allah has sent Jesus, Son of Mary, to confirm the claims of the Torah. In addition, it also says: "we sent him the gospel; therein was guidance and light" Pray that many Muslims will be enlightened, and will recognize the Scripture's authority. |
| Sun 9 | Muslims are unaware that it is their sin that separates them from God. They believe that by adhering to the five pillars of Islam, their good works may potentially earn them a place in heavena complete reversal of the message of Jesus. Pray that the love and grace of God touch their lives through the message of the gospel. |
| Mon 10 | A field worker reported that they visited believers in four provinces in the Middle East. One province has almost a million people and they recently met with two of the very few known believers living there. Pray that the Lord will bring the believers together and that a fellowship will start. Pray for protection and provision! |
| Tue 11 | The country of Sudan has experienced violence and upheavals for decades. The Berti people live in the Darfur region of western Sudan. They herd livestock and raise crops; however, violence has plagued their land and they lack access to medicine and clean water. Pray that the Lord will raise Christian witness in this area. |
| Wed 12 | There is a lot of lingering resentment and hatred from centuries of horrific violence between Christians and Muslims in Eastern Europe. The memories are generations-long and are hindrances to ministry. Pray for the millions of Muslims across this region who are still living in bondage to anger and hatred. Pray Jesus will break the bondage and set them free to give and receive forgiveness. Pray that Christians will show compassion. |
| Thu-Fri 13-14 | Syria's Ministry of Education published a series of proposed amendments to the national curriculum that some analysts have criticized as moving the education system toward a more fundamentalist interpretation of Islam. As the international community watches to see what type of government will replace the Assad regime, hundreds of thousands of religious minorities in Syria are watching, too. Pray for a more tolerant regime. |

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| Week 3 | February 15-21 — PRAY FOR THE CHURCH AND THE LABOURERS "Only fear the LORD and serve him faithfully with all your heart. For consider what great things he has done for you." 1 Samuel 12:24 NIV |
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| Sat 15 | According to ICC*: "Bible app downloads surge in regions with high levels of Christian persecution." The YouVersion Bible App hit a record high on Jan. 5, with 798,000 installs in one day. It's the highest single-day downloads the app has experienced since it started. His word is a comfort and lamp unto our feet. Praise God! |
| Sun 16 | Pray for believers in Yemen to saturate the country with the truth that Jesus is the Christ. These Yemeni believers have demonstrated great zeal even while living with persecution. You have the great opportunity to join God in what He is doing through prayer for Yemen. Go to https://yemen.pray4movement.org/#sign-up.** |
| Mon 17 | Keep Missionary Kids (MKs) in prayerthe senior High School students making big decisions away from their parents and those who are in the field with their parents. One MK in Central Asia realized that her friend whom she plays with every day needs Jesus and started to read the Bible with her. Pray for favour and protection. |
| Tue 18 | ELAM Ministries started a new program series called, "Time for Worship" which was beamed by satellite into Iran and shared online. Immediately after, an isolated young Christian woman called in and she was encouraged to start the Safar discipleship journey and will be connected to a local ministry as soon as it's safe. Many non-believers have also reached out after watching the first episode to ask questions about Jesus. Praise! |
| Wed 19 | Pray for the three Christians who were injured in a violent attack on Christmas Day outside the home of a pastor in Lahore. Violence against Christians in Pakistan, often instigated by false accusations against them, further escalate. Pray for healing for all the injured church members and protection of Christians in Pakistan. |
| Thu-Fri 20-21 | Pray for believers in the West to learn how to have Jesus' heart towards Muslims. M. from Global Catalytic Ministry said, "More and more I'm sensing Christians being so visceral as to how to approach conversations about extremism and Muslim people in general some basically saying 'just kill them all.'" But M. added that when Muslim people taste true love, the radical heart softens and they become a radical follower of Jesus. |

| Week 4 | February 22-28 – PRAY FOR A MUSLIM REGION |
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| | Nine rooms in the house of Islam: Eastern South Asia |
| Sat 22 | According to ICC: "Nearly 400 Christian leaders and 30 church groups have written a letter to Indian President Droupadi Murmu and Prime Minister Narendra Modi calling for urgent action to address the rising violence and systemic challenges that India's Christian community is facing." Pray for protection of Christians in India. |
| Sun 23 | Likewise, the state of Chhattisgarh is set to replace its anti-conversion law with a new one like Uttar Pradesh's draconian anti-conversion law to make it even more difficult to change one's religion. This comes after indigenous people in the tribal areas of Chhattisgarh, especially in three provinces, have converted to Christianity on a large scale. Pray that those who have put their trust in Jesus will be supernaturally protected. |
| Mon 24 | The Shaikh, also known as Sheikhs, are a significant Muslim community in Bangladesh. Historically, the title "Shaikh" was given to those who were teachers or leaders in Islamic societies. Prayer is needed because the Sheikhs see Christianity as an invading threat to their families and communities. Pray for effectiveness and fruitfulness in sowing God's word among Shaikh families leading to God's blessing spreading in the community. |
| Tue 25 | The Moors of Sri Lanka trace their ancestry to Arab traders who settled in the island nation sometime between the 8 th to 15 th centuries. Although most Moors tried to stay neutral in the war between the Buddhist Sinhalese and the Hindu Tamils, many supported the Hindus Tamils. Pray for the Lord to raise up local leaders to guide people into the truth. There are few known Christian believers among the Moors. |
| Wed 26 | The name "Rohingya" is a contentious term in Myanmar. The gov't. claims the people should be called Bengali. They have been called one of the world's most persecuted minorities, and most have been denied Burmese citizenship and voting rights. There may be secret believers in Jesus among the Rohingya. Intercede for them! |
| Thu-Fri 27-28 | Ongoing civil war in Myanmar is crippling the economy and devastating communities. Recent attacks left 270 families without homes. According to Mission Network News, these devasting circumstances caused many to turn to Jesus for comfort. Pray for continued spiritual harvest and pray for more labourers in Myanmar. |

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**Pray for Yemen: https://yemen.pray4movement.org/

*** https://www.mnnonline.org/mission_groups/global-catalytic-ministries/

Missionary letter and prayer requests.