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A guide to help you pray for people around the world | Jul - Aug 2026

1. UK - SASRA

1st -7th August: Pray for the SASRA outreach week at the Royal Edinburgh Military Tattoo rehearsals. Pray for opportunities for the SASRA team to share the gospel with those rehearsing and for God's wisdom and guidance in all conversations.

2. France - France Mission

Please pray for the bilingual camps run by InterAction in France and Belgium in August. Over 3 weeks, the teams will work with young people aged 9-18, mostly from evangelical homes, but there will also be friends with other/no faith backgrounds.

3. UK - 2;19 teach to Reach

Pray for 2:19 Teach to Reach as we support UK churches in welcoming the nations through English conversation classes/cafés and quality teaching and Bible materials. Some of our resources are now scheduled for reprint. Please pray for wisdom for our team as we review and refresh a key resource for church based English ministries, and for the teams developing new materials. We thank God for recent funding that makes this work possible.

4. UK - Operation Mobilisation

As Logos Hope continues its journey across the UK, we look ahead with excitement to the ship's upcoming visit to Scotland. Pray for meaningful connections, open hearts, and a lasting impact throughout visit.

5. Albania - WorldShare

Give thanks with Medical Ambassadors Foundation for women in Kolanec who are growing steadily in faith through Community Health Evangelism, and who have been able to speak clearly of their trust in the living God.

6. UK - SASRA

Pray that God will guide, sustain and protect our Scripture Readers as they navigate the complexities of sharing the gospel on Army and RAF bases, through delivering Bible studies, running initiatives and engaging in challenging conversations.

7. Madagascar - Church Mission Society

In February, CMS partner Martin Gordon, Bishop of Goma, DR Congo, ordained 20 members of the clergy into the church - 15 deacons and five priests, many of whom are already leading churches. Martin writes, "I have had the privilege of teaching most of them over the last six years, and they have all been tested in ministry and have parish leadership experience." Please lift up these new members of the clergy as they grow in their roles and serve people across the diocese.

8. Uganda - WorldShare

Pray for Wakisa Ministries as they seek support to build a home for resettling young mothers who have no family to return to, asking God to provide a safe place. Pray too for young mothers being followed up after leaving the centre.

9. Mauritania - Al Massira

Please pray for our beloved Brother & Sister in Christ (son and mother) who recently came to faith in Mauritania. Glorious news has filtered through to Al Massira that the wider family has also come to faith and is now serving the LORD. Hallelujah.

10. Ethiopia - Langham Partnership

Continue to pray for 'Onesimus' publishing house in Ethiopia, a new venture launched (with Langham's support) in October 2024. Pray that their ambitious plans to publish ten new titles this year will come to fruition.

11. Mali - WEC UK

Bambara in Mali: Living along the Niger River, this large, influential people (7.4 million, 91% Muslim, 0.3% Evangelical), many of whom are farmers and livestock owners, need better irrigation and agricultural advances to tackle drought and desertification. Islam spread after WWII along with rejection of French colonialism. Pray Bambara elders and family leaders have dreams of the risen Christ, drawing their hearts to him. https://joshuaproject.net/people_groups/10617/MI

12 South Sudan - Church Mission Society

CMS partner Nicci Maxwell trains and supports local paediatric teams and provides neonatal care at Al Sabbah Hospital in Juba, South Sudan. Earlier this year, there was a sudden and complete change of all the hospital's medical staff apart from Nicci. Pray for Nicci and the new team to quickly get to know each other's skills and become a consistent, reliable team who can keep providing a high standard of healthcare for local babies.

13. Ghana - WorldShare

Give thanks with HP Academy, for God's peace and faithfulness through the academic year, even as the school community continues to feel the sadness of losing one student. Pray for comfort, strength and hope.

14. Operation Mobilisation

We invite you to pray for OM summer outreaches happening across Romania, Germany, Austria and South Africa as teams travel there to serve the local communities. Pray for open hearts, transformation and lasting impact that glorifies God.

15. Haiti - WorldShare

Give thanks with PiFò Haiti for the safe arrival of the main parts for the garden solar system and pray that it will strengthen the garden project and support the team's work in practical ways.

16. Brazil - Langham Partnership

Pray for Langham Graduate João Paulo Thomaz de Aquino (pictured) in São Paulo, Brazil, as he starts to focus more on academic ministry, strengthening the Brazilian church. Pray also for his (and others') efforts to establish the first evangelical theological PhD programme in the country.

17. Guatemala - WorldShare

Give thanks with Potter's House for strong attendance across its community centres, showing that many children want to keep engaging with the programme. Pray also for children, students and clinic patients affected by the heat.

18. Church Mission Society

CMS partner H supports Muslim-background believers in the Middle East. She has recently begun an online master's in counselling "with the goal of tackling emotional wounds and trauma healing through discipleship." Pray for God to use what H is learning in her everyday interactions with Christians at all stages of faith.

19. Turkey - WEC UK

Church growth in Turkey: There are approximately over 200 Christian congregations across Turkey, although 30 of Turkey's 81 provinces may have no evangelical church, and 27 perhaps only one congregation. Increasingly young people are reading and studying the Turkish Bible privately. Pray these new believers find fellowship in gatherings where they can be discipled.

20. Turkey - WorldShare

Thank God too for new hosts who have joined Kanal Hayat TV programmes, and please pray for the urgent need for new workers, especially someone to lead productions, asking God to provide the right people.

21. North Africa - Al Massira

'Please give thanks to the LORD for His mercy and lovingkindness. He has 'opened the heart' of a new Sister-in-Christ in North Africa. "Amira" knows no other followers of Jesus around her, or in her nation. "Amira" has begun watching and listening to the Al Massira films and materials alone. We are thankful, however, that she is not truly alone, for the Spirit of Christ is abiding and causing her heart to burn for Him, His people and her neighbour - both near and far. May she know and grow in faith, dependence on the LORD and know His ever-increasing joy!

22. Church Mission Society

CMS partners in the Middle East regularly run training courses for young Christians; to develop their skills in leadership and discipleship so they can support thousands across the region who are turning to Jesus. Pray for young people doing this training to grow in their giftings and callings, for God's glory

23. Lebanon - WEC UK

Internally displaced in Lebanon: According to OW research, before the recent conflict began, one in five Lebanon residents were already refugees from elsewhere: 1 million Syrians (including Alawites) and 0.25 million Palestinians. Since March, 1.2 million have been internally displaced within Lebanon, most fleeing Israel's attacks in the south, including Christian congregations from Tyre. Many Muslims are asking Christians for prayer, and over 100 new believers have been recorded in Tripoli.

24. India - Reach Beyond

Pray for Christopher and Dolly, who facilitate many of the Indian languages we broadcast on shortwave radio as well as on the internet, MP3 players, and other devices. Pray that many in India will hear and respond to the gospel.

25. Myanmar - WorldShare

Give thanks with Word of Hope Orphanage for the children's spiritual growth, including their participation in church camp and three baptisms that followed. Pray that each child will continue to grow in faith, well-being and daily guidance from God.

26. China - WEC UK

Xiang (Hunanese) in China: Hunanese people who speak Xiang Chinese have reputations as proud fighters, and their cuisine is spicy hot. When Inner China first opened to the world, Hunan stayed closed to Christian missionaries. Since Mao Zedong was from Hunan, atheism took deep root in this province. 35.4 million Hunanese live in the People's Republic (77% Agnostic, 20% Buddhist, 3% Evangelical). A reported upsurge in religious interest is filling that spiritual void, but an estimated 700 gospel workers are needed to reach Hunan. https://joshuaproject.net/people_groups/18484/CH

27. Mongolia - Sharing Christ Internationally

In the 2020 Mongolian Census 87.1% aged 15+ claimed Buddhism; called "Burhan's Religion". "Burhan" refers to Buddha. Evangelicalism calls God "Burhan" so 87.1% is largely unreached. Pray for those who use Bible terms unconnected with paganism.

28. China - Chinese Church Support Ministries (CCSM)

Pray for Chinese pastors arrested on charges of fraud for receiving church offerings. Pray for courage, endurance, and protection, that they be released and that all attempts to hinder the growth of the Church will come to nothing.

29. India - The Dohnavur Fellowship

We Praise God that all students from our school and home have successfully passed their final examinations, with many achieving excellent marks. At the same time, extensive repair works are underway before the new term begins. Water scarcity and poor water quality remain major concerns, and we are exploring plans for recycling and conservation.

30. Japan - Reach Beyond

Pray for the team at the Yodobashi Church in Tokyo as they continue reaching out through their radio ministry. Praise God for the number of people who have been drawn to the Lord in Japan over 60+ years of this work.

31. Afghanistan - WEC UK

Afghan Refugees: After claiming asylum, less than 1% of refugees worldwide are resettled into a further country offering them permanent residence. UNHCR ranks Afghanistan as the top country needing resettlement, affecting over half a million people. "The foreigner residing among you must be treated as your native-born ..." (Leviticus 19:34 NIV) Pray for those most vulnerable, and for Afghanistan to become a truly safe country for believers.