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Praying for the Muslim World

September
2026

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September 1-7 – PRAISE & THANKSGIVING <i>"Come, let us sing for joy to the Lord; let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation."</i> Psalm 95:1 (NIV)	
Week 1	
Tue 1	Praise God for His faithfulness to the church in Sudan. Rev. Y. Tia and Z. Jana, leaders in a Sudanese Church of Christ congregation, were released in late July and early August after abduction in South Kordofan. Continue to lift them up as well as their families and congregations. May they know God's restoring peace.
Wed 2	Praise God for courageous Christian and Muslim leaders in Nigeria who signed an interfaith peace accord in Abuja on August 12, rejecting hate speech and committing to cooperation. Pray that this initiative will grow into trusted local relationships, truthful leadership, and practical protection for communities at risk.
Thu 3	Praise God for every pastor, church member, and neighbour who continues to show compassion amid Sudan's immense crisis. Give thanks for the generosity of believers and relief workers who have welcomed families forced from their homes, and pray that this witness will point many to Christ.
Fri 4	Praise God that, even amid widespread displacement and need in South Sudan, humanitarian access expanded in parts of Jonglei State during the month of August. Give thanks for each open door for food, medical care, peacebuilding, and loving service in Jesus' name.
Sat 5	Praise God for the steadfast courage of believers in Iran. Although authorities forcibly seized St Peter Evangelical Church in Tehran in July, congregations continue to seek ways to worship, serve, and remain faithful. Pray that the Lord will provide places of fellowship and strengthen every displaced church family.
Sun-Mon 6-7	Praise God for health-care workers and local servants who continue to care for communities in Ethiopia despite grave insecurity. Give thanks for their resilience and pray that their sacrificial service will bring comfort, healing, and a visible testimony of God's love to these communities.
September 8-14 – PRAY FOR MUSLIM PEOPLE <i>"For he will deliver the needy who cry out, the afflicted who have no one to help."</i> Psalm 72:12 (NIV)	
Week 2	
Tue 8	Pray for Afghan families living with profound uncertainty after forced or pressured returns from neighbouring countries. Human Rights Watch reports that nearly five million Afghans have been deported or forced to return by Pakistan and Iran. Pray for safe shelter, food, work, and compassionate welcome; ask that displaced Muslims would encounter Christ as their refuge and hope.
Wed 9	Pray for Afghan women and girls who face severe restrictions on education, work, movement, and health care. Ask God to protect their dignity, raise up advocates and trusted local helpers, and make a way for women and girls to receive medical care, education, and the hope of the Gospel.
Thu 10	Pray for Muslim families in Yemen affected by the recent escalation around Marib, Ta'iz, and the west coast. In late August, OCHA reported civilian deaths and injuries, new displacement, damaged shelters, and strain on health services. Pray for comfort for grieving families, healing for the injured, and the peace of Christ to reach homes marked by fear.
Fri 11	Pray for people in Yemen who have lost access to life-saving help because of insecurity, port disruption, and telecommunications problems. Ask God to open safe routes for food, shelter, cash assistance, and medical support, and to empower local believers to reflect His compassion in wise and tangible ways.
Sat 12	Pray urgently for children and young people from religious-minority families in Pakistan who are vulnerable to coercion, abuse, and false documentation. Specifically lift up Amber Nadeem, a 13-year-old Christian girl whose family and advocates are seeking protection and justice from the Muslim man who abducted and married her. Pray for her safety, healing, and an outcome that truly protects her best interests.
Sun-Mon 13-14	Pray for Muslims who are quietly questioning, seeking truth, or exploring the Christian faith in countries where family and community pressure can be severe. Ask the Holy Spirit to lead them to Jesus, and pray that safe friendships, wise mentors, Scripture resources, and discreet communities of believers will be available to them.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE FFM MONTHLY PRAYER PROMPTERS ARE NOT AVAILABLE DURING THESE MONTHS:
APRIL, AUGUST, DECEMBER, JANUARY

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September 15-21 – PRAY FOR THE CHURCH AND THE LABOURERS	
<i>"Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ."</i> Colossians 3:23-24 (NIV)	
Week 3	
Tue 15	Pray for pastors and church leaders in Sudan's Nuba Mountains after a wave of attacks. Episcopal Pastor A. Jongool died after being shot in a July 24 assault, while Pastor I. and others were abducted. Pray for grieving families, trauma recovery, the safety of church leaders, and courage to shepherd faithfully.
Wed 16	Pray for Iranian pastors, church families, and ministry workers who have been displaced by the seizure of St. Peter Evangelical Church in Tehran. Ask God to provide secure places for worship and fellowship, wisdom for leaders, and freedom from intimidation for ethnic-minority and Persian-speaking Christians.
Thu 17	Pray for local church workers in Sudan who continue to serve after violence, displacement, and the burning of homes. Give thanks for the release of Rev. Y. and Z., and ask God to heal the wounds of those abducted, protect workers and their families, and strengthen their witness to neighbours of every faith.
Fri 18	Pray for Christian health professionals, chaplains, and community workers in Ethiopia, where attacks on health facilities and staff are worsening the suffering of civilians. Ask God to preserve their lives, renew their strength, provide medicines and equipment, and give them wisdom to serve without fear.
Sat 19	Pray for pastors, priests, peacebuilders, and Christian and Muslim leaders in Nigeria who are working to counter hate and protect communities. Ask God to turn the August peace agreement into lasting local cooperation, courageous truth-telling, and practical action against violence.
Sun-Mon 20-21	Pray for isolated believers and those discipling new followers of Jesus across Somalia and Eritrea. Ask the Lord to provide safe fellowship, secure ways to share Scripture, practical provision for families, and Spirit-filled courage for indigenous workers ministering under intense pressure.
September 22-30 – PRAY FOR A MUSLIM REGION	
<i>Focus on Horn of Africa & Sudan</i>	
Week 4	
Tue 22	Pray for Sudan, now in its fourth year of war. An estimated 14 million people have been forced from their homes and 34 million need assistance. Pray for an end to attacks on civilians and civilian infrastructure, safe humanitarian access, and God's comfort for families who have lost loved ones and homes.
Wed 23	Pray for Sudanese children, women, and men whose bodies and minds bear the scars of war. Ask God to bring healing to survivors of violence, protect those at risk of abuse, raise up trustworthy local caregivers, and establish justice where impunity has prevailed.
Thu 24	Pray after the intercommunal violence in Tonj North County, South Sudan, where OCHA reported at least 60 people killed and dozens injured on August 9. Intercede for bereaved families, community reconciliation, accountable leaders, and protection for civilians from retaliatory violence.
Fri-Sat 25-26	Pray for Ethiopia, where drone strikes, hospital attacks, and violence against health workers are pushing the health system toward collapse. Ask God to protect medical workers, restore damaged facilities and ambulances, and bring calm to Amhara, Tigray, Afar, and other conflict-affected communities.
Sun-Mon 27-28	Pray for Eritrean believers, especially those who worship outside state-recognized churches. Open Doors reports ongoing surveillance, police raids, and indefinite detention for many Christians. Pray for prisoners to be sustained and released, for families to be provided for, and for the church to be strengthened in hope.
Tue-Wed 29-30	Pray for the whole Horn of Africa and Sudan: for peacemakers, pastors, teachers, medical teams, aid workers, and believers who serve across ethnic and religious divides. Ask God to preserve them, multiply compassionate witness, and draw unreached people to the Prince of Peace.

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RESOURCES/ LINKS:

Article 18 — <https://articleeighteen.com/news/24667/>

Catholic World Report — <https://www.catholicworldreport.com/2026/08/04/31-christians-killed-in-nigeria-including-eleven-children-and-a-catholic-priest/>

Global Centre for the Responsibility to Protect — <https://www.globalr2p.org/publications/sudan-extend-the-fact-finding-missions-mandate-and-ensure-adequate-resources-for-investigations-and-reporting/>

Human Rights Watch — <https://www.hrw.org/feature/2026/08/03/afghanistan-5-years-under-taliban-rule/a-human-rights-crisis-a-humanitarian>

International Christian Concern — <https://persecution.org>

Morning Star News — <https://morningstarnews.org>

Open Doors — <https://www.opendoors.org/en-US/>

Physicians for Human Rights — <https://phr.org/news/multiple-armed-groups-continue-to-target-health-workers-and-health-facilities-in-ethiopia/>

UN OCHA — <https://www.unocha.org>

U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom — <https://www.uscirf.gov/news-room/releases-statements/threats-religious-freedom-somalia>

UK Home Office — <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/egypt-country-policy-and-information-notes/country-policy-and-information-note-christians-egypt-august-2026-accessible>

Missionary letter and prayer requests.