## REACH BEYOND



## **JOIN US IN PRAYER - JUNE 2025**

Week 1:	JUNE 2-6 – PRAY FOR REACH BEYOND MISSIONARIES AND STAFF
мо <b>n</b> 2	PRAY for our missionaries who are beginning their Home Ministry Assignment this month. Ask God to encourage them and their ministry partners as they share what He is doing around the world. Pray for them as they reconnect with family, friends, churches, and ministry supporters. Ask God to provide them with everything they need. Pray too that He would give them rest amidst all of the busyness, and that He would renew their strength as they prepare to return to the field.
TUE 3	PRAY for our workers as they often help carry the heavy burdens of people who are without Jesus. Pray that through the shared tears of our team, unbelievers would realize that there is a God who sees them, loves them, and wants to care for them.
WED 4	PRAY for our people and partners as we work together to reach the unreached around the world. Ask God to show us the "good works" that He has prepared in advance for each of us to do. Ask God to soften the hearts of the unreached and open doors for us to share the Good News and to disciple new believers.
тн <b>и</b> 5	PRAY for our many missionaries, retirees, staff, friends, and their families, who are facing all sorts of health challenges. Ask God to give wisdom to their doctors and to those who are providing care. Pray for His will to be done in every situation. Ask God to relieve their pain and give them His comfort and healing. Pray they would know His presence and be filled with peace and joy.
FRI 6	PRAY for the children of our missionaries and the many challenges they face growing up in a different culture or being away from their parents during college or as adults. Pray especially for their spiritual health—that they would choose to walk with Jesus, grow strong in their faith, and serve Him wholeheartedly.
5AT & SUN 7-8	WEEKEND PRAYER FOR UNREACHED PEOPLE GROUPS   Paraiyan Country: India   Population: 2,473,000   Language: Tamil   Main Religion: Hinduism   Evangelical: Unknown The Paraiyan of India primarily work in agriculture growing crops, and raising animals on land typically owned by people in higher castes. The Paraiyan are outcasts of Indian society and are outside of the Indian caste system. Although they are Hindu, they are not vegetarians and will eat both beef and pork, along with other meats. They believe that by performing rituals and offering prayers, food, and incense to their gods, they might escape the endless cycle of birth, death, and reincarnation. Paraiyan is a Tamil word meaning drums, and they are well-known for playing drums at weddings and other occasions. Literacy is a challenge for the Paraiyan, as many abandon school to help provide for their families. Less than half are able to read and write. Praise God that the Gospel is currently available in both written and audio form in the Tamil language. Pray that the Paraiyan would come to know Jesus and realize how much they are loved and accepted by Him.
Week 2:	JUNE 9-13 – PRAY FOR MINISTRIES IN NORTH AFRICA / MIDDLE EAST
моn <b>9</b>	PRAY for the continued shortwave radio broadcasts to the Berber people living among the Atlas Mountains of Morocco. Ask God to help us find fresh and relevant media content to engage and reach this unreached people group with the Gospel.
TUE 10	PRAISE God for the opportunity to give media training to Muslim background believers last month. Pray for each person who was trained as they take what they learned back to their communities and use it to share Jesus with others in their heart languages.
WED 11	PRAY for the unreached people who are engaging in English conversations with the volunteers of the Ephraim Project via social media. Praise God for the impact it has had on many people's lives and for those who come to follow Jesus as a result. Ask God to give the volunteers wisdom and prompt them with what they say as they engage with unbelievers and disciple new believers.
тни <b>12</b>	PRAY that God would send more volunteers and missionaries with a heart to serve Him in this region through a variety of roles, including radio station technical staff, maintenance, IT, and a coordinator for the Trash 2 Treasure project.

Week 3:	JUNE 16-20 – PRAY FOR MINISTRIES IN SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA
мон 16	PRAY for our radio/digital media trainers, Tess and Benjamin, as they are expecting their first baby in the next couple of weeks.  Pray for a safe and healthy delivery, and for Benjamin and Tess as they begin to parent this precious gift from the Lord.
TUE 17	<b>PRAISE</b> God for the successful 10 days of training given to community development partners on clean water well installation, testing, and pump repairs. The trainees enthusiastically returned to their home countries of Ghana, Togo, Benin, and Ivory Coast, equipped with new skills, tools, and work gear. Each partner shared how they are now able to walk into a village, assess a hand pump, and help the community to repair it, expanding their ministry and opening up new opportunities to share the Gospel.
WED 18	<b>PRAY</b> for our team as they train people to create life-changing Gospel content for Sub-Saharan Africa. Please also pray for our efforts to multiply Kingdom impact by training more trainers to do the same. Ask God to provide the people and resources we need to help raise up new generations of media missionaries in Africa!
тни <b>19</b>	PRAY for Alfred, who is one of our engineers, during an intense time of ministry travel. Pray for safe journeys, and pray for his wife and children while he is away. Ask God to help us find another time for him to travel to one of our radio partners in Northern Togo who needs technical assistance, since recent unrest in Northern Ghana prevented him from traveling there.
FRI 20	PRAISE God for the nine volunteers from the UK, USA, and South Africa who are preparing to join our research team in West Africa next month. The team will perform a holistic study of the community water well projects we have done with our church-planting partners. The Gospel impact among these communities (which were unreached) has been so significant that we want to investigate more about what God has been doing there and apply that knowledge to other communities and countries.
21-22	WEEKEND PRAYER FOR UNREACHED PEOPLE GROUPS   Vai Country: Liberia   Population: 202,000   Language: Vai   Main Religion: Islam   Evangelical: 0.23% The Vai are found along the coast and swamps of Northwestern Liberia. Most Vai are fishermen or farmers growing rice and vegetables. Others are skilled carpenters, weavers, and tailors. The Vai developed a complex written language using 212 unique symbols—each representing an entire syllable. They may attend three different schools: a bush school to learn traditional Vai skills; an English language school; and Quranic schools to learn Arabic and Islamic teaching under the guidance of their local imam. The Vai are predominantly Muslim yet hold on to traditional beliefs. They believe in a supreme god that manifests himself through spirits and nature. They also believe he is too distant to serve or worship directly, so they use a spirit medium. Pray for spiritual strongholds to be broken and for their hearts to become open to the Gospel. Pray that the Vai would choose to follow Jesus—God himself—creator of the universe—sent by the Father to demonstrate His love and make it possible for them to spend eternity with Him.
Week 4:	JUNE 23-27 – PRAY FOR MINISTRIES IN EUROPE/EURASIA
MON 23	PRAY for our missionaries and their ministry co-laborers, who are navigating the challenges and complexities of renewing their visas in a closed country. Ask God to grant them favor with government officials and that their visas would be approved.
TUE 24	PRAY for our video/television team in Croatia as they work to bring the Good News to the deaf and hard-of-hearing community in that country—an unreached people group of over 100,000 individuals, with no known believers. Pray for the sign language interpreters and the production team as they record episodes. Pray that many deaf people in Croatia would soon follow Jesus.
WED <b>25</b>	<b>PRAISE</b> God for the growing ministry of two of our doctors among unreached people in a restrictive country. Give thanks for the patients they have seen so far, and for wisdom in connecting their work with other health centers in the region.
тни <b>26</b>	<b>PRAY</b> that God would send more workers to join our teams in the region who are passionate about using their skills and talents to help share the Good News of Jesus and make disciples among the unreached.
FRI <b>27</b>	<b>PRAY</b> for our missionaries in the region during the busy summer months of ministry. Ask God to give them times of rest. Pray too for the times they spend together with their families. Ask God to deepen their relationships with each other and with Him.
SAT & SUN 28-29	WEEKEND PRAYER FOR UNREACHED PEOPLE GROUPS   Bosniak Country: Bosnia-Herzegovina   Population: 1.6 million   Language: Bosnian   Main Religion: Islam   Evangelical: 0.03% The Bosniaks have had a tumultuous history as they were conquered by the Romans, invaded by the Slavs, ruled by the Ottomans and the Austro-Hungarian Empire, before becoming part of Yugoslavia. Many tragic events, including ethnic cleansing, have left deep scars and ongoing hatred between groups that once intermingled peacefully. Wars caused many Bosniaks to flee for safety in the West. While the Roman Catholic and Orthodox church once had great influence, most Bosniaks are now Sunni Muslims, even though their Islamic identity has more to do with cultural roots than religious beliefs. Ask God to soften their hearts towards Christians so they would be receptive to hearing the Gospel. Pray that they would experience God's love and His forgiveness that heals even the deepest pain.
Week 5:	JUNE 30 – PRAY FOR MINISTRIES IN ASIA/PACIFIC
мо <b>н</b> 30	PRAISE God for how Anita has been able to help several partner radio stations in Indonesia discover ways to positively engage with members of their community through events and contests. Praise God for the lively response at one event, which brought together school children, parents, educators, and school administrators.