

JOIN US IN PRAYER – MARCH 2025

SAT & SUN 1-2	WEEKEND PRAYER FOR UNREACHED PEOPLE GROUPS Qassab Country: India Population: 1,215,000 Language: Hindi Main Religion: Islam Evangelical: 0.0% The Qassab people are found throughout northern India. Qassab is an Arabic word that means “to cut” and aptly describes this traditional caste of professional butchers and slaughterers of animals and selling meat. The Qassab people are known today by many other names and also work in business or as daily laborers. They are entirely Sunni Muslims and adhere to the Islamic code of conduct with regard to marriage, divorce, remarriage, and the inheritance of property. Their sacred specialist is the Qazi, who performs worship and other rituals. Pray that God would open the hearts of the Qassab to hearing the Gospel message.
Week 1:	MARCH 3-7 – PRAY FOR REACH BEYOND AUSTRALIA
MON 3	PRAY for the team serving at the international shortwave radio broadcasting site in Kununurra as they air about 160 programs per week to Asia in 24 languages. Pray for safety during this “wet season” which can involve crossing flooded creeks. Ask God to protect their equipment and facilities from damage caused by electrical storms and power outages.
TUE 4	PRAY as we meet with partners from a closed Asian country we are trying to reach. Pray for our team as we continue to train them in radio production, voice recording, editing, program development, and creating social media content that aligns with their programs.
WED 5	PRAY for Dale Stagg as he serves as CEO of Reach Beyond Australia. Ask God to give Dale and his family good health. Pray for the Lord’s blessing, strength, and wisdom as he leads the team and develops their ministry that reaches the Asia-Pacific region.
THU 6	PRAY for our shortwave radio broadcasts to countries like Myanmar, Bhutan, India, and North Korea, where local Christian radio stations are prohibited. Pray for our partners as they produce programs to share the Gospel in these difficult-to-reach places.
FRI 7	PRAISE God for what He is doing through our program partners in Myanmar and for the stories of transformation that keep coming from listeners there. Reach Beyond Australia broadcasts programs in three Myanmar languages: Burmese, Matu, and Rohingya.
SAT & SUN 8-9	WEEKEND PRAYER FOR UNREACHED PEOPLE GROUPS Darzi Country: India Population: 2,817,000 Language: Hindi Main Religion: Hindu Evangelical: 0.0% The Darzi originally lived in Central Asia and migrated to India long ago. The word darzi means “tailor” in Hindi-Urdu. Not surprisingly, the primary occupation of the Darzi is sewing and production of clothes and fabrics. Darzi are endogamous (marry within their group), and marriages are often arranged to cement clan ties. Darzi are entirely Hindu and are considered a frontier unreached people group. Pray that God would send a Christian witness and that the Darzi would come to know Jesus.
Week 2:	MARCH 10-14 – PRAY FOR MINISTRIES IN SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA
MON 10	PRAISE God for the opportunity to coordinate and host a series of online training courses for media partners located throughout the region. Praise God for the 55 people who attended the first session which focused on writing scripts for radio programs. Pray for each participant as they implement what they learned to more effectively engage and reach their listeners.
TUE 11	PRAY that God would send professionals and students to join a short-term team to Benin (July 7-26, 2025) to help us analyze the impact of more than 30 wells. We are looking for scientists and technical people to assess water quality and well construction. We also welcome public health and development practitioners, educators, seminary students, and pastors who can help investigate and gather information about the social, health, and spiritual impact of these projects. Learn more at: reachbeyond.org/benin
WED 12	PRAY for one of our partners in a dangerous area that continues to be plagued by attacks from fundamentalists. Pray for great wisdom in efforts to help them relocate the station to a safer area, yet would still allow them to reach that community. Pray that everyone in that area would hear the Good News of Jesus and want to experience the peace of God in their own lives.
THU 13	PRAY for our engineer Alfred and the team as they work to get replacement transmitter parts to two stations that have been knocked off the air. Pray that God would clear the way and provide everything that is needed. Pray that the station staff would be able to rest, reflect, and seek how God would have them use this off-air sabbatical wisely and accomplish His plans.
FRI 14	PRAY for the safe delivery of equipment shipped to Tanzania for five repeater stations that will help expand our partner’s Gospel broadcasts across the country! Ask God to help this equipment pass smoothly through customs.
SAT & SUN 15-16	WEEKEND PRAYER FOR UNREACHED PEOPLE GROUPS Lobi Country: Cote d’Ivoire Population: 378,000 Language: Lobi Main Religion: Ethnic Religions Evangelical: 1.4% The Lobi occupy the Black Volta region where Ghana, Ivory Coast, and Burkina Faso meet. Primarily farmers, they continually migrate in search of adequate farmland. The Lobi follow traditional animistic beliefs centered on the worship of deceased ancestors and objects from nature. The Lobi’s close neighbors, the Wala, have partially adopted the area’s dominant Islam religion. Even though the Lobi have the New Testament in their language, very few have become Christians. Pray they would hear a clear presentation of the Gospel. Pray that the fruit of the Spirit would be evident among Lobi believers as they share Christ with their own people.

Week 3:	MARCH 17-21 – PRAY FOR MINISTRIES IN NORTH AFRICA/MIDDLE EAST
MON 17	PRAY for the Ephraim Project and the volunteers who are using social media to build friendships so they can share Jesus. Ask God to give them wisdom as they respond to many questions during one-on-one conversations and walk alongside people in the midst of difficult situations. Pray for those who they are encouraging in their spiritual journey and the new believers they are discipling.
TUE 18	PRAY for the Summer Media Experience that will take place in La Linea, Spain, May 18-June 7. Pray for this program that will provide media training for university students, local volunteers, and members of the Quest Academy who want to serve in media in their own languages. Do you know a university student who might be interested? Learn more at: reachbeyond.org/spain2025
WED 19	PRAY for the shortwave radio broadcasts that we continue to air in two languages spoken in North Africa. Ask God to give the program producers creativity in making engaging content that speaks to the spiritual needs of the listener and helps point them to Jesus.
THU 20	PRAY for the Mbingo Radiotherapy Project in Cameroon as work continues slowly. The reinforced concrete walls are very thick and are poured in three stages; an inner wall, an exterior wall, and the gap in between, which is filled with more concrete. Pray for the safety of the workers and the timely delivery of materials. Ask God to provide the additional funds needed to complete the project.
FRI 21	PRAISE God for the encouraging testimonies of what He is doing through our Arabic media ministry. Pray for our local partners as they engage directly with listeners as well as people who found them on social media. Ask God to guide our partners as they respond to people who are hurting and share the hope they've found in Jesus. Praise God that many are choosing to follow Jesus.
SAT & SUN 22-23	WEEKEND PRAYER FOR UNREACHED PEOPLE GROUPS Muhamasheen Country: Yemen Population: 1,133,000 Language: Arabic Main Religion: Islam Evangelical: 0.00% The Muhamasheen are believed to be descendants of Ethiopian soldiers who came to conquer the land in Yemen, but were unsuccessful, and ended up as slaves. The Muhamasheen remain at the bottom of the social hierarchy and they refer to themselves as "the marginalized ones". The men work as street sweepers while the women and children collect cans and bottles for income. Very few of the children attend school. They are highly discriminated against and mistreated by supervisors and others. The mistreatment of the Muhamasheen is rarely punished, even if the mistreatment caused death. Pray for the Muhamasheen to come to know how deeply they are loved by Jesus and to receive a new identity in Christ. Pray for Christian workers to come and share the Gospel with them. Pray for societal changes and protection that will lead to better wages and living conditions for the Muhamasheen.
Week 4:	MARCH 24-28 – PRAY FOR MINISTRIES IN EUROPE/EURASIA
MON 24	PRAY that God would grow His church in the midst of increased scrutiny and restrictions in the region. A recently passed law has created significant hurdles for churches and pastors, and restricts evangelism, discipleship, and gatherings of believers outside of registered churches. Pray for believers in that country who need encouragement and guidance from our Father on how to meet and share their faith with others.
TUE 25	PRAY for three week-long mobile clinics with foreign medical teams that are being planned for this year. Pray for safety, for our local believing partners to be blessed by the medical teams, and for opportunities to share their faith with others.
WED 26	PRAISE God that the hospice/end-of-life care project has officially started. Praise God that the team received their first referral and that they were able to visit the patient with the local nurse. Pray for the team as they build relationships in the community. Ask God to give them wisdom in how they can both physically and spiritually impact the lives of those they are trying to reach.
THU 27	PRAY for the 5-year-old rural medical seminar project that has been struggling to renew official approvals due to changes in the government and medical systems. The team has local invitations and great opportunities, but these are being blocked due to uncertainty and fear. Pray for favor in the eyes of officials and for God to guide the path forward.
FRI 28	PRAY for a new business training initiative that has been added to a community development project in the region. The goal is to help struggling families and single mothers with business support, training, and opportunities. Pray that this project would also open hearts to hear the Good News.
SAT & SUN 29-30	WEEKEND PRAYER FOR UNREACHED PEOPLE GROUPS Northern Uzbek Country: Uzbekistan Population: 28,930,000 Language: Northern Uzbek Main Religion: Islam Evangelical: 0.01% The Uzbeks were traditionally semi-nomadic shepherds who roamed Central Asia, but today most farm or work in larger towns and cities. Uzbeks are primarily Sunni Muslims but are not generally considered Orthodox as they have mingled many traditional beliefs into their Islamic practices. Uzbek believers are highly persecuted and threatened with arrests and fines since no religious activities outside of state-run and state-controlled institutions are allowed. Pray that God would soften hearts and attitudes towards believers. Pray that the presence of Jesus in believers' lives would be so evident that many others would want to follow Him.
Week 5:	MARCH 31 – PRAY FOR MINISTRIES IN ASIA PACIFIC
MON 31	PRAY for the work at a partner station in Indonesia to provide grounding for a new antenna and transmitter. Ask God to give the local workers wisdom during the construction and that the new equipment will help our partners continue to be effective in proclaiming the Good News to a very difficult and dark place that needs to hear the Gospel.

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