

Prayer Calendar

REFUGEE/DIASPORA MINISTRY

We believe every person deserves to hear the life-changing message of Jesus. This prayer calendar will guide you in interceding for specific people groups in our city who haven’t yet experienced the hope of the Gospel. Join us as we take the first faithful step toward seeing every neighborhood, culture, and community transformed by the love of Jesus.

DAY 1 NEIGHBORS FROM SOMALIA OVERVIEW Diaspora from the Horn of Africa, mostly Muslim, <01% evangelical PRAYER OPEN HEARTS & GOSPEL WORKERS PSALM 40:1-3	DAY 2 NEIGHBORS FROM YEMEN OVERVIEW Arabic-speaking, over 99% Muslim; cultural/language barriers PRAYER SPIRITUAL OPENNESS & BOLD WITNESS JOHN 4:23-24	DAY 3 NEIGHBORS FROM AFGHANISTAN OVERVIEW Mostly Muslim, many with trauma needs PRAYER WOMEN'S DISCIPLESHIP & HEALING LUKE 10:2	DAY 4 NEIGHBORS FROM KURDISTAN (A REGION COVERING IRAQ, IRAN, TURKEY, & SYRIA) OVERVIEW Sunni Muslim ethnic group; large community in Nashville PRAYER GOSPEL FRIENDSHIPS & HUNGER FOR TRUTH COLOSSIANS 4:3	DAY 5 ARABS FROM IRAQ OVERVIEW Arabic-speaking refugees; deeply impacted by war PRAYER TRAUMA HEALING & PEACE PSALM 34:18
DAY 6 ARABS FROM SYRIA OVERVIEW Arabic-speaking Muslims; often displaced & traumatized PRAYER TRUST & GOSPEL CONVERSATIONS MARK 10:14	DAY 7 NEIGHBORS FROM AZERBAIJAN OVERVIEW Muslims with a small US presence PRAYER COMMUNITY GATHERINGS & GOSPEL PLANTING ACTS 11:19	DAY 8 NEIGHBORS FROM BANGLADESH OVERVIEW Bengali-speaking Muslims; often work in service/ agriculture PRAYER GOSPEL THROUGH WORK & SCHOOL RELATIONSHIPS MATTHEW 5:16	DAY 9 SIKH NEIGHBORS FROM THE PUNJAB REGION OF INDIA OVERVIEW Sikh religion; many are unfamiliar with the Gospel PRAYER SPIRITUAL CURIOSITY & BOLD WITNESS COLOSSIANS 1:27	DAY 10 NEIGHBORS FROM THE GUJARI REGION OF INDIA OVERVIEW Hindu; strong family & cultural identity PRAYER FRIENDSHIPS & CULTURAL RESPECT 1 PETER 3:15
DAY 11 MUSLIMS FROM IRAN/PERSIA OVERVIEW Persian-speaking Muslims; some openness through exile PRAYER USE OF GOSPEL MEDIA & CONNECTION WITH BELIEVERS ACTS 26:17	DAY 12 ARABS FROM LEBANON OVERVIEW Mostly Muslim families; strong community & tradition PRAYER HEALING & GOSPEL-CENTERED RELATIONSHIPS GALATIANS 6:2	DAY 13 NEIGHBORS FROM TURKEY OVERVIEW Turkish-speaking Muslims; culturally secular but spiritually distant PRAYER HOSPITALITY & GOSPEL BRIDGES HEBREWS 13:2	DAY 14 ARABS FROM MOROCCO OVERVIEW North African Muslim group; typically very unreached PRAYER CONNECTION OVER MEALS & SHARED LIFE LUKE 14:12	DAY 15 ARAB/BERBER NEIGHBORS FROM ALGERIA OVERVIEW North African Muslim diaspora; very few believers PRAYER BOLDNESS FOR THOSE WHO BELIEVE EPHESIANS 6:19
DAY 16 MUSLIMS FROM PAKISTAN OVERVIEW Urdu-speaking Muslims; large & growing community PRAYER CHURCH PLANTING & DISCIPLE-MAKING MATTHEW 28:19	DAY 17 MUSLIMS WITH CULTURAL ROOTS IN INDIA & PAKISTAN OVERVIEW Includes Urdu/Hindi-speaking Muslims; often resistant PRAYER GOSPEL THROUGH WOMEN'S OUTREACH PROVERBS 31:8	DAY 18 BANTU ETHNIC MINORITY FROM SOMALIA OVERVIEW Marginalized Somali sub-group; resettled in the US PRAYER MEDICAL OUTREACH & GOSPEL COMPASSION JAMES 5:14	DAY 19 HINDU FROM BANGLADESH OVERVIEW Strong Hindu identity; often live in family clusters PRAYER OPEN DOORS THROUGH PRAYER & GATHERINGS 1 TIMOTHY 2:1	DAY 20 SINHALESE FROM SRI LANKA OVERVIEW Majority Buddhist from Sri Lanka; small US community PRAYER STUDENTS & WORK-BASED GOSPEL ACCESS JOHN 1:14
DAY 21 NEIGHBORS FROM UZBEKISTAN OVERVIEW Central Asian Muslims; very few know Christians PRAYER SPIRITUAL AWAKENING & GOSPEL HUNGER ACTS 17:16	DAY 22 WOLOF FROM THE SENEGAMBIA REGION OF WEST AFRICA OVERVIEW West African Muslims; strong oral culture & identity PRAYER SPORTS & RELATIONSHIP-BASED OUTREACH 1 CORINTHIANS 9:22	DAY 23 KURDS FROM TURKEY OVERVIEW Kurdish Muslims from Turkey; often underrepresented PRAYER SCRIPTURE ACCESS & GOSPEL CURIOSITY ROMANS 10:14	DAY 24 PASHTUN FROM AFGHANISTAN OVERVIEW Tribal Muslims; often isolated & trauma-affected PRAYER HEALING & SPIRITUAL PRESENCE ISAIAH 61:1	DAY 25 MUSLIMS FROM BOSNIA & HERZEGOVINA OVERVIEW Muslim refugees from the Balkans; formerly war-affected PRAYER RELATIONAL WITNESS & GOSPEL PLANTING 2 CORINTHIANS 5:20
DAY 26 KURDS FROM SYRIA OVERVIEW Kurdish Muslims fleeing Syrian conflict PRAYER GOSPEL HOPE & EMOTIONAL HEALING PSALM 147:3	DAY 27 ARAB MUSLIMS FROM EGYPT OVERVIEW Muslim Egyptians, distinct from the Coptic minority PRAYER CLEAR & GRACIOUS GOSPEL CONVERSATIONS COLOSSIANS 4:6	DAY 28 ARAB MUSLIMS FROM MORROCCO OVERVIEW North African Muslims; Arabic dialect speakers PRAYER FOLLOW-UP & LONG-TERM DISCIPLESHIP 2 TIMOTHY 2:2	DAY 29 COPTS FROM EGYPT OVERVIEW Minority Christian, many live within Nashville's Muslim community PRAYER EVANGELISM & UNITY EPHESIANS 4:3	DAY 30 CHRISTIAN MINORITY FROM BANGLADESH OVERVIEW Christian minority among majority Muslim Bangladeshi population PRAYER BOLD WITNESS ACTS 4:29