

AE is passionate about pushing the Gospel into the darkest regions of Africa. Northern Africa is predominately Muslim and there are very few Christians there. For the last few years, AE has been engaging with contacts in Tunisia to bring the light of Christ to the lost. This month we will be praying for Tunisia, North Africa and our work there.

- 1 99% of Tunisians are Sunni Muslim. Pray that the light of Christ would shine brightly to the lost.
- 2 Thankfully, women in Tunisia enjoy some of the greatest freedoms in the Arab world. Pray that God would use these freedoms to bring many women to the knowledge of Christ.
- 3 Pray for the Christian churches in Tunisia which are heavily monitored by the government. Pray that these churches would be bold in speaking about the Love of Christ.
- 4 Pray for Tunisians who have converted to Christianity. They will likely experience high levels of persecution from their families and relatives.
- 5 Tunisians typically tolerate foreigners who are not Muslim as long as they refrain from evangelising. Thank God for this and pray that He would use this tolerance to spread His Gospel.
- 6 The most effective way of evangelising Tunisians is by forming friendships with them where each can share their beliefs freely. Pray that Christians there would have many opportunities to share Christ with those they know.
- 7 Today is Rwanda Genocide Remembrance Day. May we never forget this horrific time in history. Join us in praying for the nation of Rwanda as they mourn today.
- 8 Since the Arab Spring in 2011 Islamic teaching has become more extreme in Tunisia. Pray that God would reveal himself to Muslims in miraculous ways.
- 9 Pray for the many Christian Sub-Saharan African students who go to Tunisia to study. Pray that they would use their time there to share the love of Christ with their Muslim friends.
- 10 Pray that Sub-Saharan African churches would take responsibility for evangelising Northern Africa and that they would mobilise resources to reach these areas. Africans are viewed with far less suspicion in Tunisia than western foreigners.
- 11 Pray for AE's contacts in North Africa and for those in surrounding nations who are passionate about being part of our work there. Pray that God would sustain them and provide for their every need.
- 12 Pray for those whose hearts have been changed by the Gospel work there. Pray that God will protect them and encourage them.
- 13 Join us in praying for our AE Staff who are engaging with our friends in Tunisia. Pray that God would give them wisdom and guide all of their plans.
- 14 Pray for our contacts in Tunisia who are engaging with locals. Pray that God would sustain them and refresh their spirits.
- 15 Pray for those throughout Africa who are passionate about reaching Northern Africa with the Gospel. Pray that they would mobilise many others.
- 16 Pray for new opportunities in Gospel outreach.
- 17 Pray that house churches in Muslim nations will be protected and encouraged.
- 18 Pray that the government would allow more freedoms to Christians in the nation.
- 19 There are more than 11 million people in Tunisia. Pray that the light of Christ would shine brightly in this dark place.
- 20 Pray that believers in Tunisia would be multiplied rapidly.
- 21 Pray that God would do great things across the Muslim majority nations of Northern Africa.
- 22 Pray that God would provide increased opportunity for African Enterprise to reach into North Africa.
- 23 Pray for the safety of Christians across northern Africa.
- 24 Pray that the Gospel would reach key leaders in Tunisia and that their hearts would be changed.
- 25 Today is World Malaria Day. Join us in thanking God that malaria can be easily treated. Pray that many more medical facilities across Africa would have access to these medicines.
- 26 Pray that radical Muslim teachings in Tunisia would not be tolerated anymore.
- 27 Pray that Muslims would understand that there is no good deed great enough to save their souls. They must believe in Christ.
- 28 This week was World Immunisation week. Thank God for the amazing leaps in the medical field which allow so many to be disease-free. Pray that everyone would have access to these life-saving medications.
- 29 Pray for the billions of Muslims all over the world who are enslaved to false teaching. Pray that God would set them free.
- 30 Join us in praying that Christians around the world would be passionate about reaching the lost in Northern Africa.

## A QUICK WORD FROM BEN



God bless you prayer partner!

Thank you for your faithful prayers that help open doors to God's message in Africa. In the words of the Apostle Paul, who was in chains for his faith at the time of writing:

*"Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful. And pray for us, too, that God may open a door for our message, so that we may proclaim the mystery of Christ, for which I am in chains. Pray that I may proclaim it clearly, as I should. Be wise in the way you act toward outsiders; make the most of every opportunity. Let your conversation be always full of grace, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how to answer everyone."* (Colossians 4:2-6).

There are evangelists today at risk of imprisonment for their faith, and there is always the threat of terrorism in those countries where believers are gaining a foothold for Christ. Your prayers are essential to this ministry as we reach out into unknown urban environments! There is no doubt in my mind that prayers for our protection have been realised and continue to be a shield through Christ. May the Lord lead you with every spiritual blessing in Christ.

THANK YOU!

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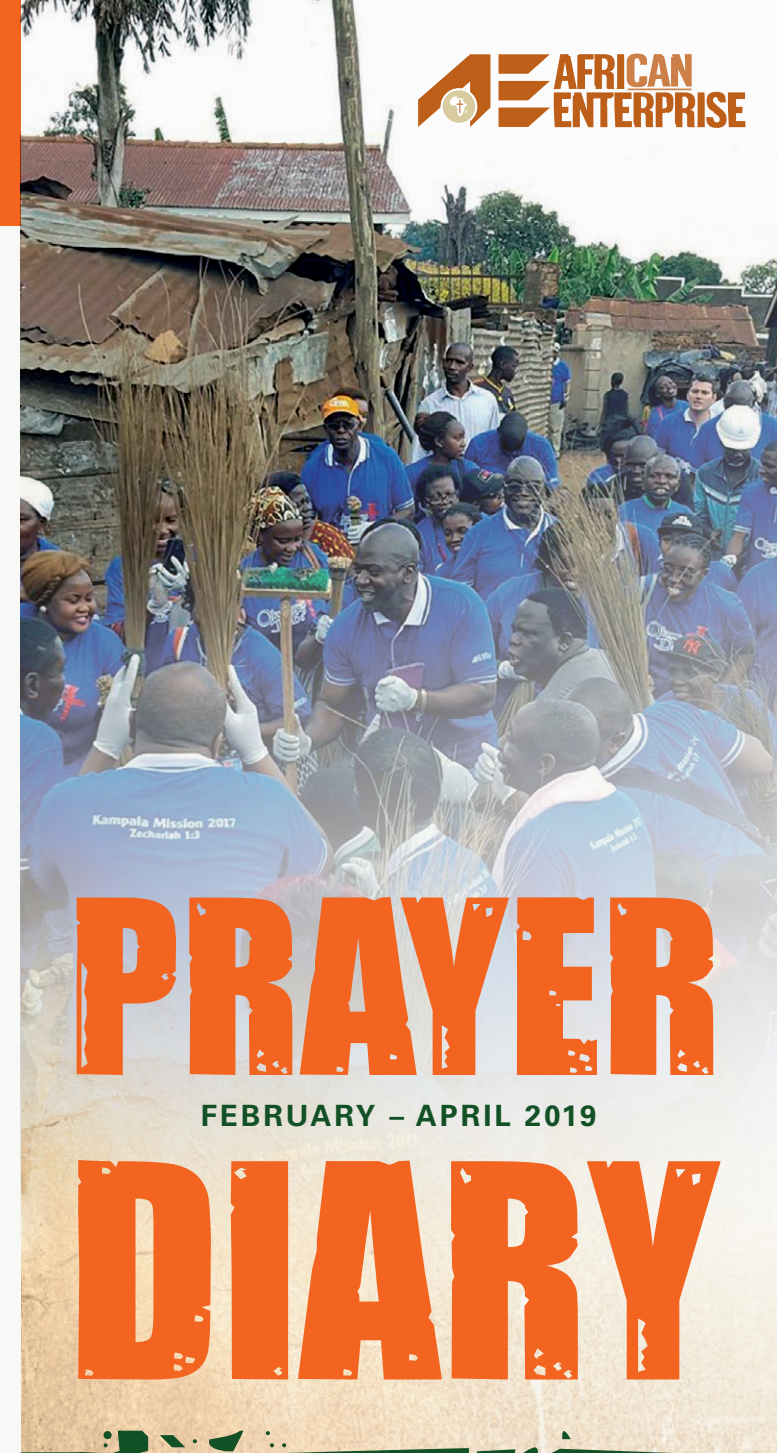
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# PRAYER

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# DIARY

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## Spotlight on Foxfires/Vulnerable Women/Mission Prep

This month we will be praying for AE's youth evangelistic 'Foxfires' program, together with AE's programs to empower vulnerable women with critical economic and social skills, plus preparation for AE's upcoming city-wide missions.

- 1 This month, the new class of Foxfires will begin to assemble across several countries (Zimbabwe, Kenya, Malawi, South Africa). Pray that they will have a passion for Christ ignited in their hearts.
- 2 Foxfire training is extensive and covers everything from dance routines to counselling youth. Pray that their training would be effective and that they would feel equipped as they are sent into the mission field.
- 3 We rely on invitations for ministry from churches and schools. Pray for many ministry opportunities to open up to the Foxfires this year.
- 4 Pray for the Foxfire Directors who will be helping the Foxfires throughout this year. Ask God to give them wisdom and patience as they lead them.
- 5 Pray for our Foxfires in Zimbabwe who are given placements in local Churches, that they would be prepared for full-time ministry.
- 6 The Kenyan Foxfires travel far and wide for weeks at a time ministering in towns, schools and churches. Pray that they will encounter open hearts and ask God to protect them.
- 7 This week was World Interfaith Harmony Week. Join us as we pray for the Christians who are persecuted for their beliefs throughout the world.
- 8 The SA Foxfires will have a new director this year! Pray that the team would unify and work well together.
- 9 The Malawi Foxfires are practically famous for their amazing dance and drama routines which draw large crowds ahead of a Gospel presentation. Ask God to bless this new team in all they do.
- 10 Join us as we pray for all the Foxfires who have completed their internships. Ask God to bless them and that their passion for Christ would still burn brightly in their hearts.
- 11 Please pray for the women in Ghana, Kenya & Malawi who will begin their tailoring or soap making training. These women have come from difficult circumstances and we are rejoicing that they are learning new skills which will improve their lives forever.
- 12 Many women that take part in our Vulnerable Women Program have come from backgrounds of prostitution or were unable to care for their children. Pray that these women will understand the value of this training and wholeheartedly commit to changing their lives.
- 13 The vulnerable women live together as they complete this training. Pray that strong bonds of friendship would form among them as they undertake this experience together.
- 14 In Ghana, the women can learn soap-making, baking or tailoring and there is also a program for vulnerable youth. Pray that the new students would be blessed by this opportunity and use it to the maximum.

- 15 Due to lack of funding, there are limited spaces available in these programs every year and there is often a waiting list. Pray that those who aren't selected would not be discouraged and would seek God's help for new opportunities.
- 16 Pray that the hearts of the women enrolled in these programs would be transformed by the love of Christ.
- 17 Ask God to give all of the enrollees opportunities to use their new skills once the program has concluded.
- 18 Pray for the facilitators of these programs. That they would humbly serve these students and strive to train them to succeed.
- 19 Pray for past graduates. Pray that God would encourage their hearts as they work in their new skills and ask God to provide many business opportunities for them.
- 20 Today is World Social Action Day! Pray for all the social action projects that will take place throughout AE this year.
- 21 Our teams are busy preparing for the missions of 2019. Pray that God would provide many open doors to them as they seek local partners in proclaiming the Gospel.
- 22 Some AE Team members are in Togo meeting with local leaders and exploring the opportunity for mission outreach. Ask God to give them opportunity, clarity and direction in accordance with His will.
- 23 A vital part of preparing for missions is bringing local churches on board. Ask for God's favour as our teams meet with pastors and leaders.
- 24 Evangelism training is already taking place in many countries to prepare local Christians in ministering during missions. Pray that the local church-goers would be encouraged by this training and begin to use it in their communities.
- 25 Join us as we pray for the administration that is required to make missions a success.
- 26 We rely on local churches to contribute to the mission effort. Pray that churches this year would give sacrificially toward the mission in their city and that they would serve wholeheartedly.
- 27 We often encounter divisions between churches or leaders as we begin planning missions. Pray that God would give our Team Leaders wisdom in addressing these inter-church issues and pray that community divisions would be healed.
- 28 Please join us in praying that all the funding needed for our 2019 missions will be provided. Ask that God will provide for all our needs for the sake of His Kingdom.

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## Spotlight on Ghana and Togo

AE is actively pursuing avenues to push further into West and North Africa where resistance to the Gospel is high. This month we will be praying for Ghana and Togo as the teams begin to work out future plans for missions in these difficult areas.

- 1 Join us as we pray for Emmanuel Kwizera, AE's International Missions Director. Pray that he will see God's provision and purpose over the future mission plans in Togo.
- 2 Around 29% of people in Togo are Christians. 20% are Muslim and over 50% hold to traditional belief systems. Pray that Christ would reveal himself to those who are lost.
- 3 Traditional healing practices are widely used in Togo which requires the use of Voodoo or a Fetish Priest. Pray that God would conquer false religion and reveal His supreme power over darkness.
- 4 Approximately 10% of children in Togo die before the age of five due to lack of clean water. Pray that the local church would rise up to support families with young children in Togo.
- 5 Human trafficking is widespread in Togo. Pray that justice will come to those who have been victims and the government will prioritise catching the traffickers.
- 6 Togo is ranked 44 out of 50 in the most underdeveloped nations of the world. Pray that the nation's leadership would take responsibility for the lack of development and begin to serve the people instead of themselves.
- 7 HIV/AIDS is the second leading cause of death in Togo. Pray that education and resources would be made available to those in need and that the church will be a beacon of hope.
- 8 Today is International Women's Day. Pray for the women of Togo who have the highest level of illiteracy in the nation. Pray that they will be valued and that educational resources would become available.
- 9 Pray that God would give our team an opportunity to preach to the nation's leaders in Lome, the administrative capital of Togo.
- 10 Crime and homelessness among youth in Togo are high due to the lack of youth programs and low education standards. Pray that the Gospel would reach the hearts of the lost youth.
- 11 81% of Togo's population live below the poverty line. Pray that the local church will rise up to help provide for the neediest among them.
- 12 French is the main language in Togo which poses a challenge to our outreach efforts. For a future mission it is vital to have local partners and support from our existing partners in Ghana. Pray that many doors would be opened.
- 13 Current Togo President, Faure Gnassingbé has been in that office for nearly 14 years. Pray that he will lead his nation with righteous leadership.
- 14 Join us in praying for Ben, Joanna, and Samuel, our team in AE Ghana who work tirelessly to bring the hope of Christ to the lost.

- 15 Pray for the women and youth enrolled in training programs this year. Ask that they would commit to a changed life after their training has completed.
- 16 AE Ghana is partnering with churches in Akuapem for the next five years in order to assist local churches with supporting new believers. Pray that the churches would continue to work tirelessly in evangelising their communities.
- 17 Our team arrives in Togo today to explore partnerships and opportunity for a mission in the future. Pray that many doors will be opened.
- 18 Pray for safety and health for our team as they move around Lome this week.
- 19 Pray that any church divisions or disagreements among our partners will be laid bare during this week and for wisdom in addressing these issues.
- 20 Pray that our team would have open doors into the highest levels of government.
- 21 As our team visit concludes, pray that the city of Lome would be changed forever by the truth of the Gospel.
- 22 Pray for safe travel as the team departs today.
- 23 Yesterday was World Water Day. Join us in thanking God for all the incredible ways safe water has been made available to needy communities throughout Africa and the world.
- 24 Pray for our AE Ghana team as they work to facilitate a mission in Togo.
- 25 Pray that Christians in Sub-Saharan Africa would take ownership of evangelising the North African region.
- 26 Pray for our AE Ghana team as they look ahead at what God is calling AE to do in Ghana. Pray for God's wisdom and direction.
- 27 Pray that AE Ghana would receive adequate funding for the youth and vulnerable women programs.
- 28 Pray for Ben Sachie, the AE Ghana Team leader, and his family.
- 29 Ask God to give Ben wisdom in leading his team and pray that his connections with local churches nationwide would grow strong and will provide more open doors for the Gospel.
- 30 Pray for those who have heard the Gospel during the Akuapem Mission in Ghana in 2018.
- 31 Pray for the churches who worked with AE during the Akuapem Mission.