

Prayer Guide

Evangelising the Cities of Africa through Word and Deed in Partnership with the Church

MARCH 2024

Praying for Community Development Projects and Looking Forward to Easter

- 01** Pray for AE's International Team Leader, Stephen Mbogo, as he ministers in Australia and the U.S. during March.
- 02** Pray for Simba Musvamhiri, AE's Australia Executive Director, in his work of cultivating prayer and financial support in Australasia and Hong Kong.
- 03** "Speak up for those who cannot speak for themselves, for the rights of all who are destitute. Speak up and judge fairly; defend the rights of the poor and needy." – Proverbs 31:8-9
- 04** Pray for the Vocational Skills project in Ethiopia, that the women involved will develop new abilities, gain confidence, grow in their faith and become equipped to life themselves up economically.
- 05** Pray for the Street Children Assistance Project in Ghana, that the kids being ministered to would come to know Jesus and learn skills in aluminum fabrication, computer training, tailoring and baking so that they can be financially self-sufficient.
- 06** Pray for the ministry of the Soweto Kayole Health Clinic in a slum outside Nairobi, Kenya, that those who come for medical care experience the love of Christ and find ways of keeping healthy.
- 07** Pray for the women enrolled in the Kibra Vocational Skills project in Kenya as they learn more about the Bible and grow in their sewing abilities so that they can earn a living for themselves and their families.
- 08** Pray for the Highfield Community Water Project in a township outside Harare, Zimbabwe. The project employs young people to provide clean water to elderly residents who would otherwise struggle to have a steady water supply.
- 09** Pray for Brian Mugwidi as he leads AE's Team in Zimbabwe, that he would be encouraged and receive God's guidance in his daily work.
- 10** "The generous will themselves be blessed, for they share their food with the poor." – Proverbs 22:9
- 11** Pray for the Ngezandla Zethu Sewing Project and the Nyawonhle Shoe Repair Project in South Africa and for the women learning to sew and the men receiving shoe repair instruction, that they will grow in their faith in Jesus and in their practical, income-earning skills.
- 12** Pray for the 20 women enrolled in the Malawi Tailoring Program as they learn about the Bible each day and learn to sew over the next three months. When they graduate in June, they will have their own sewing machine and a supply of fabric with which to start their own income-earning business.
- 13** Too many people in Malawi don't have clean water which contributed to a cholera outbreak last year. Please pray for the Malawi Water and Sanitation project as it teaches people how to ensure they have clean water and provides new wells for communities.
- 14** Pray for AE's Adult Literacy Project in South Sudan. Decades of civil war there has denied basic education to the citizenry. People learning to read will have a whole new future opened up to them as they learn about Christ and gain in their ability to become literate.
- 15** Pray for the youth in the Safe and Resilient Adolescents and Youth Project in Uganda, which shares the Gospel with young people and helps equip them to navigate their young lives on biblical principles so that they stay off drugs, remain sexually inactive until marriage and prioritize quality friendships.
- 16** Pray for Benson Baguma, AE's Uganda Team Leader, in his work of spearheading AE's mission to Soroti this year.
- 17** And if you spend yourselves in behalf of the hungry and satisfy the needs of the oppressed, then your light will rise in the darkness, and your night will become like the noonday." – Isaiah 58:10
- 18** Pray for AE's CTGs – Community Transformation Groups. These involve weekly meetings of 15-20 people who begin and end with prayer and read Scripture together. They also involve members contributing weekly to a common account via which they can make loans to one another and help build up each others' small businesses.
- 19** AE's Team in Rwanda has started more than 26,000 CTGs over the past 15 years and is providing the model for the other 11 countries where AE works. Pray for the continued growth in Rwanda of the CTGs already underway there.
- 20** Pray for each of AE's other 11 Teams to start five new CTGs in 2024 and that the members would grow spiritually in their Christian faith and in their abilities to provide for themselves and their families.
- 21** Pray for AE's Community Transformation Churches program, which aims to enlist 240 churches in the next two years to take on the task of establishing 1,200 additional CTGs to bring more to faith in Christ and uplift them out of poverty.
- 22** Pray for the water and sanitation projects in Zambia that will provide new clean water wells in poverty-stricken communities and share the love of Jesus with those who live there.
- 23** Pray for Janet Mwendwa, AE's Social Action Director, as she oversees and monitors the effectiveness of all the programs across the continent that share Christ's love with people and help lift them out of poverty.
- 24** "They took branches of palm trees and went forth to meet him, and cried, Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!" – John 12:13
- 25** Pray for AE's Trauma Healing Training of Trainers program which equips 480 people in 12 countries to first learn techniques of how to administer trauma healing and then how to instruct others to carry out trauma healing ministry.
- 26** Pray for healing of the wounds of those across Africa who have suffered from civil wars, violence and other trauma. Pray that they will be able to seek Jesus and trust Him in their healing.
- 27** Pray for all who have graduated from AE's community development programs in that past, that they will continue to grow in their faith in Christ and that their income-generating activities will prosper.
- 28** Pray for young people across Africa to have open minds and hearts toward the Gospel and who will be hard-working and eager to learn how to provide economically for themselves and their families.
- 29** "And when they had come to the place called Calvary, there they crucified Him, and the criminals, one on the right hand and the other on the left. Then Jesus said, 'Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do.'" – Luke 23:33
- 30** "And the women who had come with Him from Galilee followed after, and they observed the tomb and how His body was laid. Then they returned and prepared spices and fragrant oils. And they rested on the Sabbath according to the commandment." – Luke 23:55-56
- 31** "The angel said to the women, 'Do not be afraid, for I know that you are looking for Jesus, who was crucified. He is not here; he has risen, just as he said. Come and see the place where he lay.'" – Matthew 28:5-6

Prayer Focus



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Where we work



Please pray for the cities identified in red where AE will be carrying out evangelistic missions in 2024

“And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord’s people.”

Ephesians 6:18

Cities to pray for this month

Pray for one city each day.
Use the map for city locations by number.

- 01 Abidjan - Ivory Coast
- 02 Accra - Ghana
- 03 Addis Ababa - Ethiopia
- 04 Alexandria - Egypt
- 05 Algiers - Algeria
- 06 Antananarivo - Madagascar
- 07 Asmara - Eritrea
- 08 Bamako - Mali
- 09 Bangui - Central African Republic
- 10 Banjul - Gambia
- 11 Beira - Mozambique
- 12 Bissau - Guinea Bissau
- 13 Brazzaville - Congo
- 14 Bujumbura - Burundi
- 15 Bulawayo - Zimbabwe
- 16 Cairo - Egypt
- 17 Cape Town - South Africa
- 18 Conakry - Guinea
- 19 Dakar - Senegal
- 20 Dar es Salaam - Tanzania
- 21 Djibouti - Djibouti
- 22 Durban - South Africa
- 23 El Aaiún - Western Sahara
- 24 Freetown - Sierra Leone
- 25 Gaborone - Botswana
- 26 Harare - Zimbabwe
- 27 Johannesburg - South Africa
- 28 Kampala - Uganda
- 29 Khartoum, Sudan & Juba, South Sudan
- 30 Kigali - Rwanda
- 31 Kinshasa - Congo-DRC