



PRAYER *Diary*

Evangelising the
cities of Africa through
Word and Deed in partnership
with the Church for 60 years.



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MAY 2022

Mission and Aid & Development

As we celebrate 60 years of AE ministry and look ahead to the next 60 years, we have to thank God for what He has made possible. The 60th Anniversary Grand Celebration will take place during August and September in Zambia, with the main event on 2 September 2022.



- 01** Pray for the AE Kenya team as they prepare for the Mombasa Mission from 2-12 June.
- 02** Pray that many local churches in Africa will be strengthened and encouraged by the training they receive in preparation for the upcoming missions.
- 03** Praise God for the latrines and handwashing stations that have been built in Kenya, in the Korogocho slum. This help provides dignity and value to the families living in these rural areas.
- 04** Pray that the AE teams will equip fellow Christians to help them address issues of ancestral beliefs and unbiblical traditions in the different cultures across Africa.
- 05** Pray for the AE Rwanda team as they prepare for mission in Rwamagana from 18-14 July.
- 06** Pray that all those participating in mission will be faithful to preaching the true Gospel of Jesus Christ.
- 07** The Mathare Woman's project in Kenya is a way for vulnerable women to escape the cycle of lifelong poverty. Pray this program will help and strengthen them to be able to provide better for their families.
- 08** Pray for the AE Tanzania team as they prepare for the mission in Dar es Salaam from 6-13 November.
- 09** Pray that God will work through the AE trauma healing and reconciliation programs in Burundi, Rwanda, DRC and South Sudan to bring healing and comfort to those who have suffered greatly.
- 10** AE Ghana will have their citywide mission in Atakpame, Togo, from 18-28 November. Keep the team in your prayers as they prepare and train evangelists and leaders for mission.
- 11** Pray for the 40 women who will be enrolled in the AE Malawi tailoring program this year. They will be equipped with tailoring and vocational skills and spiritual transformation in order to attain self-reliance.
- 12** Pray for our Foxfire youth programs, that God would bless each young person who devotes a year of their life to this ministry.
- 13** With perseverance, pray that AE would be effective in equipping local Christians to follow up and disciple new converts.
- 14** Pray that the harvest from each mission will be preserved.
- 15** Pray for the Pastors Training Course to equip more pastors this year.
- 16** Pray that the Lord will provide the needed funding to make all of these missions as effective and impactful as possible.
- 17** The Kinshasa Mission in DRC will take place 20-30 June. Pray for the team as they prepare to proclaim.
- 18** Pray for the children enrolled in our Street Children Apprenticeship Program in Ghana; pray that the program will be of great value to them, giving them new hope and a bright future.
- 19** AE South Africa will have their citywide mission in Pietermaritzburg from 12-21 August, 60 years since the first mission to Maritzburg. Pray for the team and their Foxfires as they prepare for mission.
- 20** Pray that the Word of God will take root in the hearts of school children in Ethiopia as they attend the Students' Discipling Program.
- 21** Pray for the 20 indigent and unemployed women enrolled this year in the Ngezandla Zethu Sewing Project in South Africa. It will empower them with skills for gainful employment or self-employment.
- 22** The AESAR team will be in Zambia on mission from 25 August-4 September. Let us pray for this big drive as teams from all over Africa join to make this a very memorable and big citywide mission.
- 23** Please pray for a new project proposal in DRC where AE intends to equip vulnerable young single mothers and out-of-school girls with tailoring vocational skills and spiritual formation.
- 24** Pray for the new students of Ghana's pastry and baking project. The young ladies chosen were all forced to drop out of school and live on the streets. Once employed, they will be able to fend for themselves.
- 25** Pray for the AE Uganda team, who will have their mission from 23 September-2 October.
- 26** Rubaga, Uganda is poor and mainly settled in the slums. Please pray for the Safe and Resilient Adolescents and Youth (SRAY) project. With this project, the well-being of children and youths is being improved.
- 27** Pray for the Youth Economic Empowerment Project in Tanzania. The program teaches tailoring, computer skills, creation of business ideas and the basics of bookkeeping to 100 youth over two years.
- 28** Thank God for all the Woman Empowerment projects in South Africa, Kenya, Malawi, Ethiopia and Ghana. Pray that these projects will expand every year to help more women to provide for their families.
- 29** Pray for the AE Ethiopia team as they get ready for the leadership and citywide mission in Adama from 19-25 December.
- 30** Pray for peace and reconciliation in Africa and for God to continue to use AE in this regard.
- 31** Pray that the hearts of supporters will be opened to help more people in Africa to be uplifted by AE's work.

JUNE 2022

Kenya and the Kenya Soweto Kayole Clinic

This month we focus on the Soweto Kayole Clinic in Kenya, a non-profit clinic providing affordable health services to the residents of the surrounding slum areas.



- 01 Pray for gifted, God-loving and accountable believers to be appointed to positions of influence in the nation.
- 02 The Reach Mombasa Citywide Mission in Kenya starts today. Pray for our team in Kenya as they proclaim the Gospel this week.
- 03 Pray for success in mobilising missionaries from all over Africa to preach the Word in Mombasa.
- 04 Pray that God will continue to provide the necessary funds and resources for this mission.
- 05 On **World Environment Day**, praise God for this beautiful planet we live on; let us work together to take care of our environments.
- 06 Pray for the Foxfires 2022 that they will continue to influence the next generation and that many students will come to the knowledge of faith in Christ.
- 07 Pray for a successful establishment of the Proclaim Evangelist Network in Africa to bring together all evangelists in Africa.
- 08 Benson Omondi is the team leader for AE Kenya. Pray that God will bless every activity and strengthen his leadership.
- 09 In Africa, there are many pastors who have not received any form of theological training. Pray that AE will continue to meet this need for all pastors, evangelists and leaders in our partnering churches.
- 10 Corruption in Kenya is rife, with criminal groups exploiting the gaps in law and order. Pray for a just and honest government that will uplift the poor and restore confidence to the people.
- 11 The Church is becoming more vocal as Christians seek to transform Kenyan politics with new parties and fresh vision. Pray that all Christians will unite in opposing wrong and in upholding policies that honour God.
- 12 The Mombasa Mission concludes today. Pray for those who come to faith so they can grow and develop. Pray for our team to ensure new believers are connected with other Christians for fellowship.
- 13 Approximately one-tenth of all Christians attend church in Kenya. Pray for effective means of discipleship to assure true spiritual growth in their lives. Pray AE Kenya can be part of this journey.
- 14 Syncretistic practices and unbiblical teachings are spreading amongst rapidly expanding independent churches. Pray for their integration into biblical truth and true Bible-believing church networks.
- 15 Transport and roads to rural areas are very hard to come by. Pray that accessibility to churches will become easy for everyone.
- 16 With more than 80,000 congregations in Kenya, the need to train leaders is imperative. Pray AE's pastor training program can reach and train many leaders and evangelists according to God's will.
- 17 **World Telecommunication and Information Society Day:** Let us continue to pray for AE's Home-Based Evangelism projects in reaching people for Christ through television, radio and media to reach more people than ever before.
- 18 The majority of Kenyans are young people, so youth ministry is a significant priority for us. Pray that AE Kenya's Foxfires can successfully spread the Gospel in schools and universities.
- 19 Islam is a small minority in Kenya but growing in size and ambition. Tensions are high between Christians and Muslims, and violent outbreaks common in some regions. Pray for peace between the communities and peaceful ministering to Muslims.
- 20 Our citywide mission in Kinshasa starts today. Please pray for many to come to faith through the efforts of our DRC team.
- 21 Pray that AE will effectively continue to use the Home-Based Evangelism (HBE) model in Kenya to reach thousands through radio and TV networks.
- 22 Give thanks for the support and friendly relationship between the Soweto Kayole Clinic, our ambulance service and local community.
- 23 Praise God that the maternity ward of the clinic is now finished and in full function, being able to respond to emergencies and help women bring their babies into the world safely.
- 24 Pray that the physical healing provided at the Clinic will lead to spiritual healing.
- 25 Pray for the protection of the staff and directors of the Clinic and their families, as they willingly and lovingly serve the community.
- 26 The Clinic needs new and updated equipment to provide better holistic care and services. Please pray for the provision of this in order to help as many people as possible.
- 27 Pray that the Clinic continues to be a place of healing, hope and care that brings glory to God.
- 28 Pray for God-loving staff at the Clinic who can act as Christ's ambassadors.
- 29 Give thanks for the Clinic's financial partners and pray that a good relationship will continue and grow over many years to come.
- 30 Pray for our ambulance service in the slums, that God will protect our team as they respond to emergencies. We praise God for this service, provided by generous supporters of AE Australasia.

JULY 2022 *South Sudan and Togo*

Join us this month as we lift South Sudan and Togo in prayer. The nation of South Sudan needs peace following civil war. Togo is a ripe harvest ground as approximately only 30% of the people are Christian. The rest follow traditional African beliefs and Islam.



01 After the new country of South Sudan was formed in 2011, armed conflict, inter-ethnic violence and violent crimes remain. Let's pray for peace for the people and continued recovery of the country.

02 One of the biggest problems is political conflict, worsened by drought and suffering. Pray for the leaders in South Sudan to repent of corruption and stand up to be good leaders.

03 Food shortages are prevalent across the country, with approximately 7 million people struggling to find food each day. Pray for more help and more sustainable development.

04 Pray for AE's efforts to help war-traumatised children with our Trauma Healing and Peace Education Program in schools.

05 Pray that the children and families displaced and separated by the conflict will be protected and that they will find hope in Christ.

06 After months and years of living in refugee camps, pray for people slowly returning to their homes in certain parts of the country after relative peace allows them to start rebuilding for the future.

07 Pray for the churches in the area to know God's provision and care in the face of struggle.

08 Pray that the church leaders will be strong in Christ, being faithful to the Bible and God's truth to lead the people.

09 Churches are seeking unity as the country is rebuilt. Please pray for unity and love in Christ amongst all Christian believers.

10 Pray for the new AE team in South Sudan to spread the true Gospel effectively and be kept safe. Pray for our coordinator Alex Aggrey Bilal and project officer Mawa John Charles.

11 Pray for God to continue to bring reconciliation between the different ethnic groups in the country.

12 Pray that the people of South Sudan can enjoy life in abundance. May all who have power in state and society be granted God's divine wisdom to promote respect, justice and true reconciliation.

13 South Sudan faces major development and security goals. Please pray for a strong and accountable government at all levels.

14 Pray in the name of Jesus that the land is liberated from all forms of injustice and oppression.

15 Pray for the AE Ghana team under the leadership of Ben Sachie as they reach the city of Togo with the Gospel. Pray that the Message we bring will be spread all over the rural and hard to reach areas.

16 Pray for the preparations for this year's citywide mission in Atakpame, Togo, from 18-28 November.

17 **International Day of Families** reminds us about the importance of family/belonging. Thousands of children were separated from their parents when the war started. Many are still separated. Let's pray for the reunification of these families and make them whole.

18 There have been reports of persecution against Christians in Togo. Pray for protection for the Church and the AE team at work.

19 Our leadership and citywide mission starts today in Rwamagana, Rwanda. Pray for our team and partner churches as they proclaim the Gospel throughout the city.

20 Pray for the AEI Mission team and AE Ghana in this process of engaging the Church and ministries in Togo for the mission.

21 Pray that God would provide the funds needed to host the Atakpame Mission.

22 Political and ethnic violence are still big problems in Togo. Pray for peace and stability for the people of Togo.

23 Togo is a country with a high disease burden, including HIV, Malaria and TB. Let us pray for the necessary resources and support to put measures in place to combat these diseases.

24 We conclude our Rwanda Mission. Pray for all who accepted Jesus as their Saviour to grow and develop in their faith through church engagement, small groups and follow-up from our missionaries.

25 Since Togo received its independence in 1960, it has struggled to build a stable country and economy. Please pray for the leaders of the country to govern justly with transparency and true democracy.

26 The majority of people practise animism, which has also crept into some churches. Pray that all people professing faith in Christ will renounce any involvement in such practices and trust God alone.

27 Over 50% of the Togo population is living below the poverty line. Rifts between the leaders over power have left the people to fend for themselves. Pray for outside aid to assist these people.

28 AE Ghana is in preparations to launch a new Street Children Apprenticeship Program in Togo. Pray for the funding needed as well as the planning and execution to go smoothly.

29 Pray that the power of community transformation will encourage the churches to replicate what AE will offer young Togo people.

30 Pray for our 60th celebration missions in August and September. Praise God for using us as instruments to evangelise the cities.

31 The Africa Health Organisation helps with health delivery in Togo. Let us pray that joint action with Togo can be generated to promote the environment, water and basic sanitation.

A quick word



Dear friends,

Therefore, brothers and sisters, since we have confidence to enter the Most Holy Place by the blood of Jesus, by a new and living way opened for us through the curtain, that is, his body, and since we have a great priest over the house of God, let us draw near to God with a sincere heart and with the full assurance that faith brings, having our hearts sprinkled to cleanse us from a guilty conscience and having our bodies washed with pure water.

Let us hold unwaveringly to the hope we profess, for he who promised is faithful. And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

(Hebrews 10:19-25 NIV)

God bless you,

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