

## CMCUS Circle of Prayer: July 2025

### Upcoming Events

Please pray for our staff on these key dates!

July 10-11: Christar Mobilizer visits the IT (Intensive Training) Project

July 20-24: RENEW debriefing retreat for workers on home assignment

### Inner Circle Requests

Pray as a mobilizer visits the IT (Intensive Training) Project, a seven-week program for college students focused on God's heart for the world. Ask God to facilitate good connections and use this time to encourage participants to seriously consider ministry among the least-reached.

Lift up the 14 workers participating in the RENEW retreat July 20-24. As they debrief from their last term on the field and consider their well-being, pray they will be refreshed and encouraged.

Pray for everyone involved in hosting RENEW, including the six member care staff, our U.S. director and his wife, and our third-culture kid coordinator along with her volunteer staff of five. Ask that the retreat will run smoothly as it's held at an off-site location for the first time.

Pray for mobilizers as they plan for the coming school year, and ask that they will effectively help believers considering cross-cultural ministry take steps forward during the summer.

Keep praying for the Finance Division, which has transitioned to numerous new systems and processes in recent months. Division staff would especially appreciate prayer that they'd prioritize challenges wisely and continue to make steady progress.

Praise God for five mid-term workers who, after two years of ministry on the field, have decided to serve with Christar long term. As they prepare to return, ask the Lord to give them good times with loved ones and provide their needed financial support.

Pray that those who explored our new [annual report](#) and [Transformation Update, All of Us](#), in June will be encouraged by the ways God is using them in the Great Commission.

Lift up Christar's human resources generalist as she works through an SHRM (Society for Human Resource Management) certification process.

Continue to ask God to provide a total of 60 people to start the process of serving long term with Christar throughout 2025.

*\*Those who have little or no access to a church that preaches the gospel in their language and in a culturally relevant way.*

# Pray Together With **CHRISTAR**®

Join us in prayer for these needs from partners in the Great Commission.

## For Cross-Cultural Workers

Praise God for enabling workers in the United Kingdom to share the gospel with Muslims through a Torah discussion group. Pray that many who participate will come to know their Creator.

Pray for wisdom for workers running businesses in least-reached communities that employ people who've never before known a follower of Christ.

Praise the Lord for a new house church in a Muslim community. Ask God to give the believers who attend courage in living out their faith in a place where trusting in Christ often leads to severe persecution.

Ask for perseverance and encouragement for workers learning difficult languages so they can clearly share Christ with people who speak them.

Thank God for opening opportunities for workers in the Middle East to build relationships with least-reached people through playing and coaching sports. Pray that through these connections they'll be able to share the gospel with many in their communities.

## For Missions-Minded Believers

Rejoice that the first followers of Christ from a people group in South Asia are boldly sharing their faith with their families! Pray that many others will become part of God's family through them.

Pray for courage, safety and freedom for believers in the Middle East who have been imprisoned because of their faith in Christ.

Praise God for 11 believers who recently completed a two-week training program in understanding Muslims and sharing Jesus with them. As they apply what they learned, pray that the Lord will use them in powerful ways for His Kingdom.

Ask the Lord to provide an Arabic-speaking pastor to shepherd a new church in Spain.

Praise God for bringing more Persian believers to a house church in an immigrant community in the United States. Ask the Lord to use their testimonies of His work in their lives to draw the seekers who attend to faith in Christ.

## For Partner Churches

Thank the Lord for partner churches sending short-term teams to encourage and help long-term Christar teams over the summer. Pray that these short-termers will return with a new perspective on God's work around the world.

Pray for rest for church leaders taking much-needed time away from demands to relax, rejuvenate and spend time with their families.

Praise God for a church in the United Kingdom that recently held a conference for believers ministering among Persians. Ask Him to continue to use this congregation to facilitate and encourage outreach among Muslims in their community.

Lift up partner churches helping with vacation Bible schools or other outreaches in immigrant and refugee communities in North America. Ask God to give many who volunteer a heart for greater involvement in ministry among the least-reached.

Lift up three believers who recently visited a long-term team in Central Asia. Ask God to guide them as they consider opportunities to serve there.

## For the CMCUS\*

Praise the Lord for the new workers who participated in Pre-Departure Orientation in June. Ask God to provide all their remaining financial and prayer support so they can begin full-time ministry in least-reached communities.

Ask God to raise up believers to befriend and share the gospel with Deaf Persians who have immigrated to the Balkans. Pray for wisdom for Christar in mobilizing more workers to serve among this people group.

Pray for effective and joyful collaboration between departments, especially in light of several recent transitions.

Praise God for providing a new church partnership representative to help us better serve pastors and congregations in the western United States. Ask the Lord to give him grace as he steps into this role.

Pray for good rest and refreshment for CMCUS staff as many take time off over the summer. Ask God to strengthen each one for continued ministry.

\*Christar Mobilization Center United States