

# Intercessory Prayer Call

The Africa Assemblies of God Decade of Pentecost (2010-2020)

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## Pray for a Mighty Surge of Church Planting

**Assemblies of God churches across Africa are committed to planting thousands of new churches.**

In Acts 1:8 Conferences across Africa, Assemblies of God national churches have committed to plant 49,612 new Spirit-empowered missionary churches during their Decade of Pentecost emphasis from 2010 to 2020.

Three examples of such bold church planting commitments are the Ghana AG, who intend to plant 3,000 new churches, the Tanzania AG, who intend to plant 10,000 new churches, and the Ivory Coast AG, who intend to plant 5,000 new churches. These are but three examples of 40 national AG churches who have committed themselves to aggressive church planting.

Now, with only 22 months left in the Decade of Pentecost, churches will need to redouble their efforts in order to achieve their church planting goals. This will further require a fresh outpouring of the Spirit to empower them for the task ahead. We invite you to join us this month in praying for a mighty surge of church planting in the Africa Assemblies of God.

—Denny Miller, Director, Acts in Africa Initiative



Church leaders pray over their "Decade of Pentecost Declaration" at the close of the Acts 1:8 Conference in Kumasi, Ghana.

## Pray for Church Planting in Africa

**Please join us in praying for the following:**

**Pray** for a fresh outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the more than 80,000 Assemblies of God churches in Africa.

**Pray** that God will call and empower thousands of new church planters.

**Pray** for national and local Decade of Pentecost committees across the continent as they work to implement their church planting strategies.

**Pray** especially for church planting efforts in hard to reach places and among hard to reach peoples.

**Pray** that millions will come to know Christ as Savior as a result of these church planting initiatives.

**Pray** that these new churches will emerge as powerful Spirit-empowered missionary churches capable of planting other Spirit-empowered churches.

### *Africa's Unreached Ethne: The Baggara of Northern Cameroon*



More than 3.6 million Arabic speaking Baggara people (also known as Shuwa Arabs) live in the Sahel region of West and Central Africa. About 180,000 reside in the northern tip of Cameroon. These nomadic cattle herders are virtually 100% Sunni Muslims.

**Pray** that God will pour out His Spirit on the Baggara people of Northern Cameroon, opening their hearts to the message of Christ.

**Pray** for the efforts of the Full Gospel Mission of Cameroon (an AAGA related church) and the Cameroon Assemblies of God as they

seek to reach the Baggara and other unreached people groups in Cameroon.

**Pray** to the Lord of the Harvest that He will send workers to the Baggara from other Assemblies of God national churches in Central and West Africa.

**Pray** for the safety and divine protection of Cameroonian missionaries working in the northern part of the country.

### Country Prayer Focus March 2019

Please pray that God will pour out His Spirit on each of the following countries, and that He will guide leaders as they mobilize their churches to reach the lost in the power of the Holy Spirit.

By following this country prayer focus you will pray for every country in Africa in one year.

- Republic of **Angola**
- Republic of **Benin**
- Republic of **Burundi**
- Kingdom of **Cameroon**

### Free Pentecostal Resources

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