



Ramadan 2023 Prayer Guide

Introduction

- March 21** Ramadan begins tomorrow. As Hui people enter this most important holy month, join us for the next 30 days to pray for their hearts and souls. Pray today that many Hui would have eyes opened to the triune God and see His love.
- March 22** This evening when the sun goes down, Ramadan begins. Hui come into Ramadan with different emotions. Many with reverence. Many with expectation. But some with apathy or even disdain. Pray that the Lord would touch each person in a unique way to draw them to himself.
- March 23** Today during the daylight hours many Hui Muslims are fasting. They will fast each day for the next 30 days from sunrise to sunset. Pray that they would seek the true God. "You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart." (Jer. 29:13)

Hui Marriages

- March 24** For the next several days, let's pray for Hui marriages. "What therefore God has joined together, let not man separate" (Mark 10:9). Pray that God would join couples together for His own glory.
- March 25** Pray for Hui marriages to be healthy. Pray that husbands and wives would love and serve one another. Pray that they may understand that God is love, and that His love for us flows out from the love exchanged within the divine trinity.
- March 26** Pray that God would draw married Hui couples to Christ. Pray that they would receive the gospel together. May whole families receive salvation. "Believe in the Lord Jesus and you will be saved – you and your household" (Acts 16:31).
- March 27** We pray for Hui marriages that are struggling. May God give them grace and Christian counsel. "Love is patient, love is kind ... it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs." (1 Corinthians 13:4-5)
- March 28** Let's pray for Hui couples facing financial difficulties. May God provide for their needs, grant them discernment in their finances, and point them to His Word. "But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well." (Matthew 6:33)
- March 29** Pray for the church to help Hui believers to find good matches. Ask God to bless Hui converts to Christ with believing spouses, and strong marriages. "This mystery is profound, and I am saying that it refers to Christ and the church." (Ephesians 5:32)

Hui Children and Families

- March 30** For the next several days we will pray for Hui children and families. May God bless the little children and protect them and help them to grow in knowledge, wisdom, and grace. "Children are a gift from the Lord; they are a reward from Him." (Psalm 127:3)

- March 31** Let's pray for the Hui families who are dealing with poverty and hardships. May God provide for their needs and send the message of hope and encouragement. "He felt compassion for them, because they were distressed and dejected, like sheep without a shepherd." (Matthew 9:36)
- April 1** Let us pray for the health and well-being of Hui families. May God grant them strength, rest, healing, and wholeness for the glory of the Lord. Pray that they would come to Jesus. "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest." (Matthew 11:28)
- April 2** We pray for the cultural heritage of the Hui people. May God lead them to the cross yet help them to preserve the memory of their traditions and history. "Remember the days of old; consider the generations long past. Ask your father and he will tell you..." (Deut. 32:7)
- April 3** We pray for the Hui middle-school and high-school students who are working hard to get into college. May God guide them and provide them with opportunities to learn and grow. "Commit to the Lord whatever you do, and He will establish your plans." (Proverbs 16:3)
- April 4** Let us pray for the Hui children to hear God's Word. May God reveal His truth to them through Christians who are willing to share the Bible. "Your word is a lamp for my feet, a light on my path." (Psalm 119:105)
- April 5** We pray for Hui to be chosen and called out of darkness into light, to bear witness in their communities. "But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you" (1 Peter 2:9)
- April 6** Pray for Hui grandparents that they would be open to the gospel for the sake of entire families and later generations. "But the mercy of the LORD is from everlasting to everlasting, on those who fear Him, And His righteousness to children's children." (Psalms 103:17)

Life, Death, and Resurrection

- April 7** Jesus died on the cross to bear the punishment for our sins. This gospel is very difficult for a Hui Muslim to accept. Pray that Hui would believe the gospel and be saved. "But God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us." (Romans 5:8)
- April 8** Let us pray for the Hui people who are dying apart from Christ. Pray for those suffering from illness and disease. May God grant them faith, healing, and hope. "Heal me, Lord, and I will be healed; save me and I will be saved, for You are the One I praise." (Jeremiah 17:14)
- April 9** We pray for the Hui people as we celebrate Easter Sunday. May they experience the joy and hope of the resurrection and come to know the truth and love of Jesus Christ. "He is not here; He has risen, just as He said. Come and see the place where He lay." (Matthew 28:6)
- April 10** We pray that the Hui people might experience God's love and grace in their lives, believing that He sent His Son to the world. "For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life." (John 3:16)
- April 11** We pray for the spiritual needs of the Hui people. May God reveal Himself to them through His Word or through visions to draw them closer to His heart. "Seek the Lord while He may be found; call on Him while He is near." (Isaiah 55:6)

April 12 Let us pray for the Hui people who are seeking to earn God's favor or to deepen their relationship with God. May God reveal His truth to them and draw them closer to Himself. "Draw near to God and He will draw near to you." (James 4:8)

April 13 We pray for the Hui to put their hope in Jesus. May they come to believe that Jesus is Lord and God raised him from the dead. "Because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved." (Romans 10:9)

Hui College Students

April 14 For the next several days, let's pray for Hui college students. May God guide them in their studies, teach them His wisdom, and allow them to encounter a Christian friend. "For wisdom is more profitable than silver, and her wages are better than gold." (Proverbs 3:14)

April 15 We pray for Hui young adults who are searching for meaning and purpose in their lives. May God reveal His will to them and change their hearts. "For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do." (Ephesians 2:10)

April 16 Let us pray for Hui who are struggling with addiction. May God break the chains that bind them and give them freedom and healing. "It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery." (Galatians 5:1)

April 17 We pray for the Hui who are trying to submit to God. May God guide them to Christ by His Word. "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to Him, and He will make your paths straight." (Proverbs 3:5-6)

April 18 Let us pray for Hui young adults who are struggling with mental health issues. May God comfort and heal them, providing them support and care through His servants. "The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit." (Psalm 34:18)

April 19 We pray that Hui college students may come to know the truth of the gospel. May God give them faith and courage to follow Christ. "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." (John 14:6)

April 20 We pray for the Hui Christians to grow in their faith. May God grant them wisdom, understanding, and spiritual growth. May He also give them boldness to share their faith with others. "But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ." (2 Peter 3:18)

April 21 (Eid al Fitr) Tonight Ramadan ends and the Fast-Breaking festival begins. Pray that Hui, like the lost son, would return to the Father and know the mercy of Christ. "Let's have a feast and celebrate. For this son of mine was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found." (Luke 15:23-24)