

Prayer points for the Nigeria ACU (Africa Christian University) Project:

I am sometimes asked why I minister in Nigeria. My answer: I believe God has me serving in Nigeria, working on a project to build leaders that “stand firm for a lifetime”, so that God can use them to deliver His people. I believe:

- God is answering the prayers of his people in Nigeria, the cries of his people and
- God wants the Western church to share our spiritual and financial blessings, to help disciple the rapidly growing mature and help meet the needs of the least of these.

A few facts about Nigeria and Christians in Nigeria:

- Nigeria the most populous nation in Africa.
- The church continues growing rapidly and is estimated to double in size by 2060
- The Church faces many challenges in Nigeria:
 - The Poor: The National Bureau of Statistics (NBS), reports that 40 percent of people (83 million) live below the poverty line of \$380 a year, more than any other country in the world.
 - Terrorism against Christians have resulted in over 11,500 Christians have being murdered since June 2015. Four to five million Christians are displaced. 2000 churches have been destroyed.
 - Corruption: Nigeria is assessed to be one of the most corrupt nations in the world.

Please pray for Nigeria:

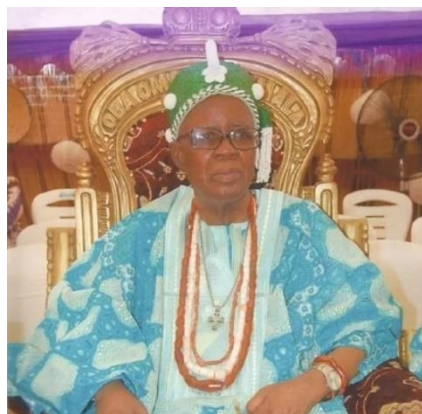
- For the government leaders, that Christians would pursue politics and be salt and light. For peace in the land.
- That the global church would minister to the least of these, to the poor.

Pray for the racial tensions – particularly as it relates to the Fulani herdsman.

- Jihadist Fulani militias are now considered the world’s deadliest terror group. As with other race-based issues around the world, many blame ALL the Fulani herdsman for the deadly actions of a few.
- Pray that the church promotes peace and stand against racism, particularly racism against the Fulani.

Please pray for Imala:

- For Kabiyesi (the king, photo below). For wisdom, continue leading with the salt and light of Christ.
- For our ministry to the least of these:
 - the poor in Imala (picture of Imala below); for funding for our Feed Nigeria program.
 - Programs to help the Fulani herdsman in Imala land.
 - Our projects in Imala. Particularly for funding for our dormitory project.



If you would like to contribute to our poor ministry, you can do so through our GoFundMe link:

<https://charity.gofundme.com/o/en/campaign/covid-19-feeding-nigerian-poor1>
or send a check to Christian Development Foundation, P.O. Box 350, Eastland, Tx 76448.

We are thankful for those joining us in prayer; pursuant Ephesians 6:12, we are in a spiritual battle that can only be won through prayer! We ask especially that you pray for those that can to pray with us on the 20th of each month.

Thanks for your prayers,

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