

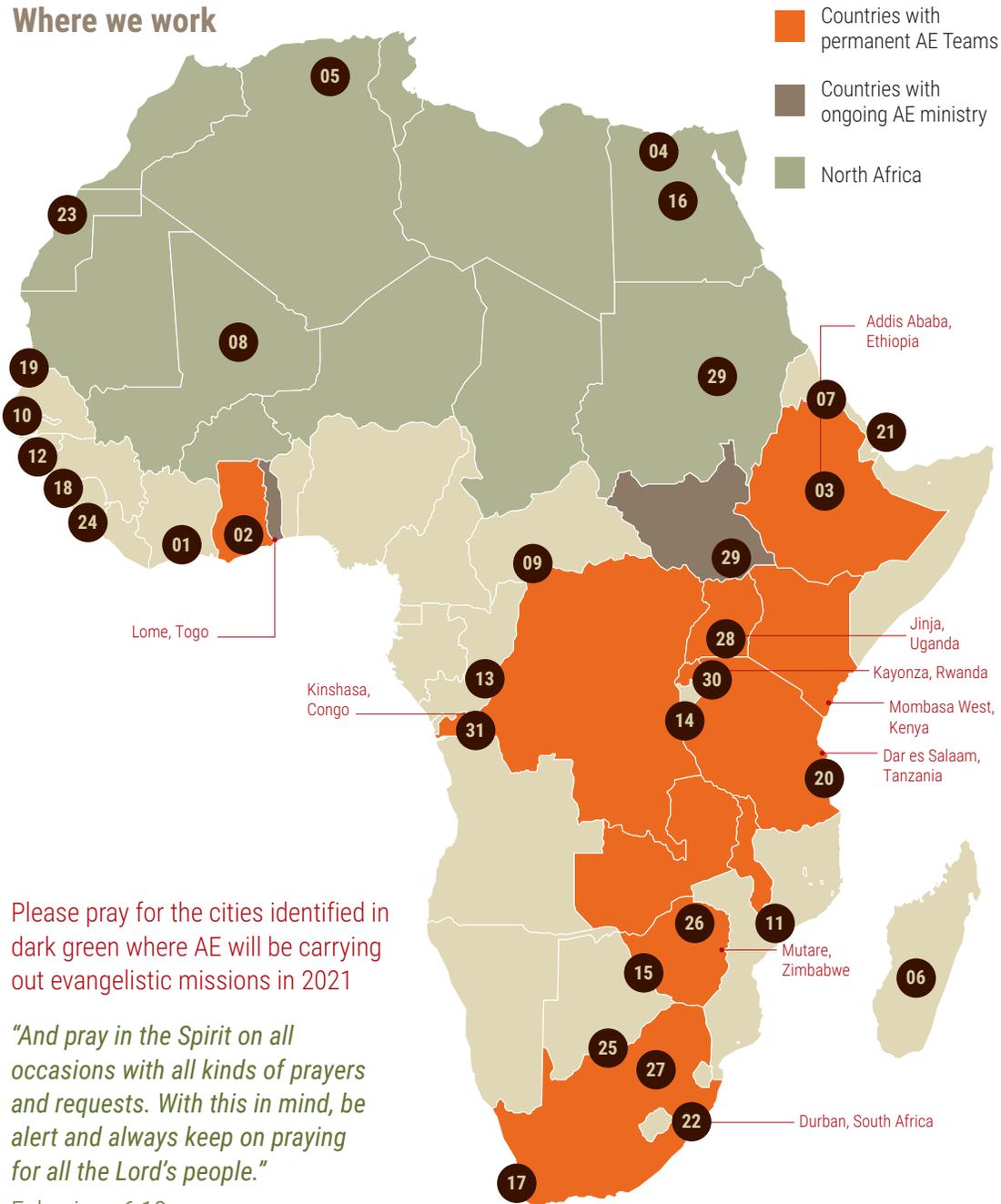
Spotlight on Kenya

- 01** Today mission begins in Mutare, Zimbabwe. Pray for a good and lasting spiritual harvest. This will be led by the new AESAR team from Zambia. Zambia became the first African nation to default on its debts due to COVID. Pray that this will not unsettle those in Gospel work.
- 02** Pray for preparations for next month's mission to Kayonza, Rwanda.
- 03** Pray for God to establish the new believers who have accepted Christ during AE Kenya's COVID-19 response interventions.
- 04** Pray for International Team Leader Stephen Mbogo to be empowered by God to be a wise and effective leader.
- 05** Pray for preparations for the mission to Mombasa, the second largest city in Kenya, scheduled for the 1st to the 11th of July.
- 06** Pray for AE Kenya Team Leader, Benson Omondi, to be "a man after God's own heart" and to have Kingdom goals for every activity.
- 07** Mombasa is the main port city for Kenya and a tourism hub. Pray that God would be preparing many hearts to listen to and trust the Gospel.
- 08** Pray for the continued work of the Mathare Womens Empowerment Project, that women will be equipped with tools for this life and the next.
- 09** Praise God for the online pastoral training students who began courses in Kenya during lockdown – may they grow spiritually and edify others.
- 10** With a Muslim population of 41%, Mombasa is regarded as the centre of Islam in Kenya. Pray that missionaries and local churches will be inspired to share the Gospel in appropriate ways with Muslims.
- 11** Pray that the Kenyan Foxfires team will be a powerful tool for discipling Christian youth.
- 12** Pray for God's continued provision to AE Kenya, to enable them to provide for families in need.
- 13** Pray for the training of believers from Mombasa in evangelism, that many more might be equipped to explain and proclaim their faith.
- 14** The COVID-19 pandemic has devastated the Kenyan economy with the greatest impact on the urban poor. Give the AE Team the wisdom and resources to love this group through Word and Deed.
- 15** The Durban Mission in South Africa was due to start today, but has been postponed to the 1st - 10th of October. Pray that no momentum will be lost, but that God will use the timing for His glory.
- 16** As the AE Kenya Team develops a preservation and discipleship strategy, pray that at least 60% of new converts will be nurtured via small groups.
- 17** This month, the Mombasa Mission will be training lay members to reach out to their neighbours using Home Based Evangelism. Pray that many will catch the vision and be salt and light in their neighbourhoods.
- 18** Pray for ongoing fruit from the Korogocho Slum Sanitation project – that beneficiaries would give thanks and glory to God.
- 19** Pray for the plans to visit some of the 200 schools in the target area of Mombasa - that these young people would grasp onto the hope of the Gospel, which cannot perish, spoil or fade.
- 20** Pray for school children in Kenya. They face enormous challenges in obtaining an education, and have recently returned to school after 9 months of school closures.
- 21** Pray for opportunities to be made available for effective mass media Gospel presentation during the Mombasa mission.
- 22** Pray for the work of the Soweto Kayole Clinic to continue to offer hope for physical sickness to the poor and hope for the poor in spirit.
- 23** In the midst of the pandemic, Kenya's health system is unable to meet the needs of its people. Pray for resources and wise leadership to face these challenges.
- 24** Pray for the social action work that will accompany the Mission to be well targeted and lead to fruitful conversations.
- 25** Previously about 7% of Mombasa residents attended church, but this is likely to have been negatively affected by COVID-19. Most churches are small (about 50 members). Pray that they would welcome newcomers from the mission.
- 26** Pray for the outreach to prisons in Mombasa to result in groups that will nurture new believers.
- 27** Pray that the Mission Committees, established in Mombasa over a year ago, would be characterised by unity and encouragement.
- 28** Pray for Mombasa's pastoral training session in October - that this group will help to preserve the mission's spiritual harvest.
- 29** Pray for the formation of prayer groups to prepare for the mission in Mombasa, and that they would continue into the future.
- 30** Pray for churches in Mombasa to be strengthened and equipped by AE training and experience greater unity in Christ.
- 31** Pray that mission leaders may be flexible in the face of COVID-19 restrictions, and remain focused on the message of the Gospel.

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Preparation for Mombasa's *Choose the Right Foundation* mission will intensify this month. As a cosmopolitan port city, Mombasa was the gateway to the Gospel in Kenya, with the first missionaries having arrived here over 150 years ago. This mission will be taking place from the 1st - 11th of July, and is based on 1 Corinthians 3:11.

Where we work



Please pray for the cities identified in dark green where AE will be carrying out evangelistic missions in 2021

"And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people."

Ephesians 6:18

Cities to pray for this month

Pray for one city each day. Use the map for city locations by number.

- 01 Abidjan - Ivory Coast
- 02 Accra - Ghana
- 03 Addis Ababa - Ethiopia
- 04 Alexandria - Egypt
- 05 Algiers - Algeria
- 06 Antananarivo - Madagascar
- 07 Asmara - Eritrea
- 08 Bamako - Mali
- 09 Bangui - Central African Republic
- 10 Banjul - Gambia
- 11 Beira - Mozambique
- 12 Bissau - Guinea Bissau
- 13 Brazzaville - Congo
- 14 Bujumbura - Burundi
- 15 Bulawayo - Zimbabwe
- 16 Cairo - Egypt
- 17 Cape Town - South Africa
- 18 Conakry - Guinea
- 19 Dakar - Senegal
- 20 Dar es Salaam - Tanzania
- 21 Djibouti - Djibouti
- 22 Durban - South Africa
- 23 El Aaiún - Western Sahara
- 24 Freetown - Sierra Leone
- 25 Gabarone - Botswana
- 26 Harare - Zimbabwe
- 27 Johannesburg - South Africa
- 28 Kampala - Uganda
- 29 Khartoum, Sudan & Juba, South Sudan
- 30 Kigali - Rwanda
- 31 Kinshasa - Congo-DRC