

DAY 24: APRIL 28

Kyrgyz

There are 6.1 million Kyrgyz living across more than 10 countries, with less than 0.09% identifying as Christian. Kyrgyzstan is predominantly Muslim, and its cultural identity is closely tied to Islam. Many also continue to **practice ancestor worship**, while occult practices, shamans, and spiritual forces keep many in deep bondage.

Kyrgyz Muslims are often resistant to the Gospel, at times intimidating believers through property destruction and physical violence. While the Church in Kyrgyzstan was once largely expatriate, a **growing number of believers** are now Kyrgyz. Christianity expanded rapidly after the fall of Communism; growth has since slowed, but the Church is maturing. Hundreds of Protestant congregations exist, alongside many unregistered house churches.



Scripture

"And the King will answer them, 'Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brothers, you did it to me.'"

Matthew 25:40

Prayer Points

- ✓ Pray that God would **break down spiritual strongholds** among the Kyrgyz, and that they would receive dreams and visions of Jesus.
- ✓ Pray for **Spirit-filled workers, compelled by the Father's love**, to lead them to Christ.
- ✓ Pray for **courage and protection** for Kyrgyz believers.
- ✓ Please pray that the Body of Christ would **show the love of Jesus to the least** of these and that this would be a witness to those around them.