



FEBC Prayer Target – September, 2026

Unreached Prayer Focus: The Kazakhs

The Kazakhs are an unreached people group living mostly in Kazakhstan, who number around 13 million. Kazakhs were historically nomadic herdsman, but after Russia conquered the land they lived in, many were forced to become farmers. Some Kazakhs work modern jobs in major cities, but many continue to farm or live as nomadic herdsman.

Kazakhs suffered greatly under Russian rule; more than half of the ethnic population was killed from 1920 to 1930. Most Kazakhs are Muslim but are often more moderate in their beliefs. Some Kazakh people hold animistic beliefs, but due to the past Soviet opposition to all organized religions, many Kazakhs are skeptical of religion in general.

It is estimated that less than 1% of Kazakhs are Christian. While there are around 40 Kazakh-speaking churches¹, most are in the large cities of Almaty and Astana. Rural villages and smaller cities have few opportunities to hear the Gospel.

¹According to the Joshua Project

Tuesday, September 1

Pray for the unreached **Kazakh** people and thank God for the churches that have been established among them. Despite great suffering over the years, pray for the hearts of the Kazakh people to be open to knowing the love of Jesus.

Wednesday, September 2

Please pray for people living in **Belarus**, a country that has struggled with political and economic crises. In this region, our programs are heard on social media, which is effective at reaching larger audiences. Pray that many will hear and accept the Good News and share their faith with family and friends.

Thursday, September 3

Pray for Christian pastors who are being arrested in **India**, as well as restrictions on Christian work. The government has determined that India is a Hindu state and citizens should adhere to that faith. Despite these difficulties, we praise God that new media platforms initiated by our team are working well and reaching many.

Friday, September 4

Please pray for new programs launched by our team in **Japan** last fall. Pray they will offer spiritual nourishment to our listeners. Also, pray for spiritual unity and care for our staff through prayer meetings and a retreat.

Saturday, September 5

Many ethnic groups in **Southeast Asia** speak a language other than the national language of their home country. FEBC has long offered ethnic language programs to reach people in their native tongue, and currently broadcasts in 107 ethnic languages. Pray that many will hear the Gospel and respond.

Sunday, September 6

Pray for local churches in **Ukraine** to shine the light and love of Christ to all who are broken and seeking. May God provide protection as they find safe places to gather, and may He guide men and women who are rising up to lead during this time of crisis.

Monday, September 7

Pray for new ethnic language broadcasts being developed for people groups in northern **Thailand**. Pray that all details will fall into place as these new languages and broadcasts are being launched.

Tuesday, September 8

Please pray for the people of **Vietnam**, especially the deaf population which numbers 1.3 million. Our team partners with the Vietnam Deaf Bible Society on video sign language translation of our broadcasts. Please pray for healthy collaboration and for the light of the Gospel to shine within this community.

Wednesday, September 9

Please pray for FEBC's follow-up team in **Uzbekistan** as they create programs for Muslims in their country. They are connecting with people via digital messaging and then leading them to the truth found only in Jesus Christ.

Thursday, September 10

Over 1.4 million Afghan refugees are now living in **Pakistan** due to the Taliban's seizure of Afghanistan. Pray that the Pakistani government will engage with them in a compassionate manner. Pray, too, that our team in Pakistan will reach these refugees with the Gospel.

Friday, September 11

Praise God for FEBC programs that are now broadcast in **Moldova**, where we are heard on seven radio stations. Pray for listeners to hear God's Word and respond to His love.

Saturday, September 12

Pray for our team in **Kazakhstan** who produce internet-based programming. Pray for creativity and inspiration, as well as good health, as they share Christ in a Muslim-dominant culture.

Sunday, September 13

In **Hong Kong** and China, FEBC has trained up many Bible study leaders and pastors through LiangYou Bible Institute, a rigorous online program that prepares participants to be Christian leaders. Despite ongoing challenges in China, pray that nothing will hamper this program from preparing leaders to be tomorrow's pastors.

Monday, September 14

A listener from **Thailand** shared this note: *"I'm now feeling happy and willing to talk about my experience. When I first entered jail, I suffered the most. But then I met God here and I now have a lot of hope."* Praise God for how He uses difficult circumstances to get our attention.

Tuesday, September 15

Pray for people in **Kazakhstan** who are watching FEBC's video testimonies from Kazakh Christians. Most people watching them are Muslims and are upset that their countrymen are converting to Christianity. Pray for our program producers and for the courageous Kazakh Christians willing to share their newfound faith. Pray for their protection.

Wednesday, September 16

A listener in **Russia** told an FEBC broadcaster: *"Through your broadcasts, God healed my heart, and I changed! Now I have a great relationship with God, and I am moving forward in my life!"* Praise God for His healing power and the gift of His Son, Jesus.

Thursday, September 17

Please pray for FEBC **Moldova's** youth ministry. Our team hosts weekly meetings for Bible study and they are helping many through serious personal issues—some have parents who are alcoholics, some are orphans, and others have parents who are working out of the country. Please pray for this ministry, and for the young people of Moldova who desperately need the Good News.

Friday, September 18

Pray for FEBC's radio programs in **Indonesia** heard in several ethnic languages. A listener recently shared: *"We're not able to attend church now, but we're very blessed by your programs. They have been a blessing to so many."*

Saturday, September 19

Turmoil continues in **Myanmar**, as a result of the military junta and the ongoing impact of the pandemic. Please pray for this country and its people. Pray, too, for the church there.

Sunday, September 20

Pray for Alexandr and Nadia, broadcasters and evangelistic counselors with FEBC **Ukraine**. Ask for God to help them endure the conflict, have emotional strength as they serve others through housing refugees, and keep their families safe.

Monday, September 21

Pray for our teams in **Mongolia**, who are training to build deeper connections with one another and local believers. Pray that these efforts will also result in more listeners tuning in and coming to faith.

Tuesday, September 22

Praise God for the launch of two new ethnic broadcasts in **India**. We're told that there's a large listenership to these programs. Pray that it will reach the hearts of many. Pray, too, for staff and volunteers managing their helpline to meet the needs of people calling in for encouragement and support.

Wednesday, September 23

Please pray for FEBC **Russia's** Bible programs. We are receiving a high volume of responses from listeners who are opening their hearts to the Scriptures. Some, like Marta, are long-time listeners, but only responded recently. *"I liked your program. I would listen wherever it came on. But now... There is something real here, something I never realized I needed."*

Thursday, September 24

Thank God for the powerful AM radio station on Daebu Island in **South Korea** that reaches all of North Korea. Pray that North Koreans will hear the Gospel and understand it is a gift from God for all who believe, including them.

Friday, September 25

Pray for our team in **South Africa** who are in the process of launching a radio station in Niger, which is 99.3% Muslim; several unreached people groups also live here. Pray for details to fall into place to make this new station a reality, reaching many Nigeriens for Christ.

Saturday, September 26

Please pray for Ulanbek, the director of FEBC **Kyrgyzstan**, as he leads the team. Though the country was once very closed to Christianity, and is once again seeing more radicalization, people are coming to know the Lord despite all the risks. Please pray for Ulanbek as he travels, for his family, and for protection for the staff as they continue ministering to the people of Kyrgyzstan.

Sunday, September 27

Please pray for FEBC's work in **Cambodia**, where listeners can hear our programs through radio, Gospel Speaker Boxes, the internet, mobile apps, Facebook and YouTube. In this Buddhist-dominant country, pray that many will respond to God's grace and the gift of His Son, Jesus.

Monday, September 28

Take a moment to thank God and praise Him for the millions of people all over the world who have tuned into FEBC today and heard the Good News. Thank the Lord for the seeds that have been planted, and for those who have accepted Jesus Christ as their Savior! May the Gospel continue to be proclaimed... until all have heard.

Tuesday, September 29

Pray today for Reverend Amos, the national director of our team in **Malawi**. May God continue to bless his efforts as he travels weekly throughout his country to visit Yao language listeners, distribute audio Bibles, and establish listener clubs.

Wednesday, September 30

Please pray for listeners like Elena, from **Ukraine**, who recently called FEBC's local counseling team after visiting a city that was under heavy fire with her daughter. *"We were so scared,"* she said. *"There were so many rockets. I can't believe I put my daughter in danger like that."* Elena prayed with FEBC's team and decided to read the Bible for the first time. *"Thank you for helping me."* Please pray for Elena as she begins her journey to Christ.

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