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**WEEK of PRAYER** 

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## MISSIONARIES WELCOME EFFORTS TO PUSH BACK DARKNESS

One church in Oklahoma changed the way they did missions when they found out how many people in Northern African and the Middle East didn't know about Jesus. Pastor Mike, the missions pastor, decided that his church would join with missionaries to tell these people about Jesus.

God showed them how to show the people love and share the gospel. This church even encouraged other churches in Oklahoma to focus on reaching the people from this part of the world. He began to take trips with teams from his church to minister to missionaries and help them in their work.

Missionary Otis Neumann says that he is glad that more churches are choosing to take the gospel to people from this part of the world. Sometimes they are very hard to reach with the good news.

"When churches partner with IMB, we can do more together – and there is so much left to do in Northern Africa and the Middle East," Otis says.



Day 2

Northem Africa & the Middle East

## Fun Fact:

Olive trees grow all over the Middle East. The olives are eaten with meals and used to make olive oil.









