

## EGG-CITING PRAYERS FOR INDONESIA!

## Journey to Easter Activities for Kids MARCH 5 - APRIL 17, 2025

Hey kids! Easter is coming soon, and it's a wonderful time to celebrate how much Jesus loves us and remember the amazing sacrifice He made for everyone. To help us get ready, we've planned 6 fun and meaningful activities—one for each week leading up to Easter! Each week, we'll focus on a different prayer to talk to God about, asking for His blessings and care for kids and families in Indonesia. These activities will help us prepare our hearts, grow closer to God, and share His love with others. Get ready to pray, learn, and have fun as we walk this journey together

## 1 THANKING GOD FOR HIS LOVE AND INDONESIA'S BEAUTY



Hello, we are kids from Flores Island

God has blessed Indonesia with beautiful islands, mountains, and animals. Let's thank Him for creating such an amazing place.

Did you know that one of Mustard Seed's schools is located near Komodo Dragon Island? It's true! The school is on Flores Island, close to Komodo National Park, where the amazing Komodo dragons live. There are 31 little kindergarten kids learning there, with five kind and caring teachers to guide them!

## **Activity Idea**

Decorate Easter eggs with drawings of Indonesia's beautiful nature, like flowers, trees, or mountains, to celebrate His creation!

## 2 PRAYING FOR KIDS IN INDONESIA TO LOVE JESUS

Indonesia is a super big country! It has 1,340 tribes, and they speak 715 different languages. Wow! There are 64 million kids living on 17,000 islands.

Let's pray that all these kids get to learn about Jesus and grow to love Him. Ask God to fill their hearts with joy and peace.

## **Activity Idea**

Make a cross craft using traditional batik patterns to remind you of Jesus' love for everyone in Indonesia. Batik is a special cloth from Indonesia with cool and unique designs!



Hello, we are kids from Solo Java, wearing Batik

## MANY FAMILIES IN INDONESIA NEED OUR HELP!



Many families in Indonesia struggle to have enough food, clean water, or safe homes. Some kids don't have a cozy place to sleep or healthy meals to eat. That's really hard! But guess what? We can help make a difference! God hears our prayers and loves it when we care for others. You can pray for kids to have full tummies, clean water to drink, and warm, safe places to live.

## **Activity Ideas**

**Share Your Toys:** Do you have toys you don't play with anymore? These toys can make other kids super happy! Ask your family to help you donate them to kids who don't have any.

**Easter Giving Jar:** Create your very own "Easter Giving Jar." Decorate it with bright colors, bunnies, or Bible verses. Ask your family to put in any extra coins they have. Once it's full, you can donate it to Mustard Seed to help kids in Indonesia.

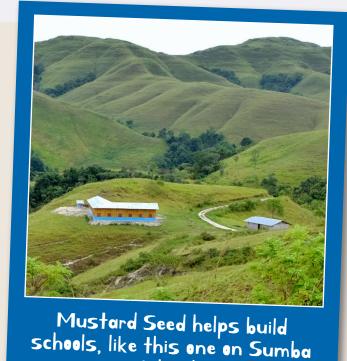
# PRAYERS FOR NEW SCHOOLS IN REMOTE VILLAGES

Did you know that some kids in Indonesia don't have schools in their villages? That means they miss out on learning new things, making friends, and dreaming about what they want to be when they grow up.

But here's the awesome part: Mustard Seed is helping to change that! They're working hard to build schools in these faraway villages so kids can have a safe and fun place to learn and grow. These new schools will help kids study, play, and have big dreams for a brighter future!

# Activity Idea Draw a Dream School

Get creative! Use crayons, markers, or colored pencils to design your idea of the perfect



Island,

school. Would it have big classrooms? A playground? A garden? As you draw, pray for Mustard Seed to have the resources they need to build real schools like the one in your drawing. Send your drawing to Mustard Seed and we'll share your drawing with kids in remote villages to bring them joy and show them you care!



Teachers Hetra and Maria with two children from Mentawai,

In some remote villages, like Mentawai Island, kids don't have teachers to guide them in learning math, reading, and stories about Jesus. Mentawai is so far away that reaching it takes several planes and boat rides. Without teachers, it's difficult for these kids to grow and dream about their future.

But here's the exciting part: we can pray and ask God to send Christian teachers to places like Mentawai to bring knowledge, hope, and the love of Jesus!

# Activity Idea Write a Prayer Card for a Teacher

Create a colorful prayer card with a message like "Dear God, please send a Christian teacher to guide and love the kids in this village." Decorate it with drawings and stickers, and send it to Mustard Seed, who will pass it on to encourage a teacher.

# 6 PRAYERS FOR KIDS IN INDONESIA'S REMOTE VILLAGES TO HAVE ELECTRICITY, INTERNET, AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Can you imagine one day without electricity or never even seeing a computer?
That's what life is like for many kids in Indonesia! No lights to read by at night, no fun learning videos, and no YouTube—how tough is that? Even getting simple things like books or pencils for school can be really hard for them.

But there's hope! We can pray and ask God to provide everything these kids need to learn and grow—electricity, internet, and the supplies to help them succeed. God hears our prayers and can do amazing things to bring light, learning, and hope to their lives!



A faraway village in Papua has no electricity or roads, and the only way to get there is by flying in a small plane!

## Activity Ideas Light Up Their World

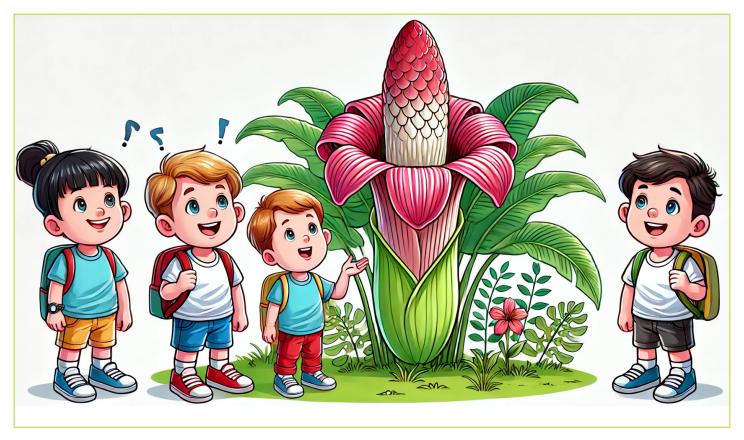
Try turning off the lights at home for a little while and imagine how hard it must be for kids to do homework without electricity. Then, pray and ask God to provide electricity so kids in remote villages can study, play, and feel safe, even at night.

## **Internet Connection Prayer Chain**

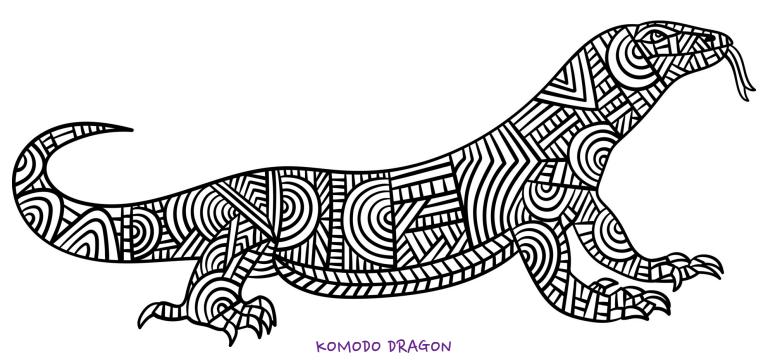
Make a "prayer chain" by linking colorful paper strips together. Write prayers like "God, please bring internet to the villages" or "Help kids connect with teachers online." Hang it up as a reminder to keep praying for these needs.

# **RESOURCES FOR ACTIVITY IDEAS**

#### **BEAUTIFUL NATURE OF INDONESIA**



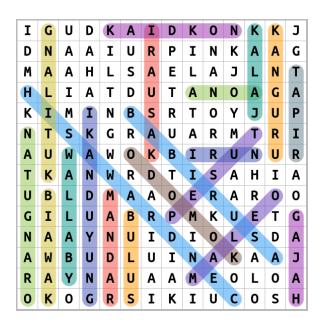
KIDS WITH THE TALLEST FLOWER IN THE WORLD, THE AMORPHOPHALLUS TITANUM, KNOWN AS CORPSE FLOWER! THIS AMAZING FLOWER GROWS NATURALLY IN SUMATERA ISLAND, INDONESIA.



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#### **COOL BATIK PATTERNS**

