

Indonesia is a densely populated archipelago located off mainland Southeast Asia. The national motto, "Unity in diversity," gives language to the extraordinary ethnic makeup of the islands with over 300 ethnic groups and more than 600 languages. In recent years, persecution has increased significantly in the nation. Terrorist cells are continuing to sprout up. Yet, amid trial, the church of Indonesia has an opportunity to stand firm and share the love of God that cannot be measured and the Gospel that cannot be silenced. Medan is the capital of North Sumatra. Many frontier peoples are in the city of Medan and the surrounding region.





## **PEOPLE GROUP FOCUS**

Batak-Nias https://joshuaproject.net/clusters/135

Malay https://joshuaproject.net/people\_groups/13437/ID

Han Chinese https://peoplegroups.org/explore/GroupDetails.aspx? peid=33447#topmenu

Javanese https://joshuaproject.net/people\_groups/17000/ID

Minangkabau https://joshuaproject.net/people\_groups/13724/ID

## **PRAYER EMPHASIS**

- Pray for the spread of the Gospel and for multiplying house churches among the Batak-Nias, Malay, Han Chinese, Javanese, and Minangkabau people.
- Pray for the gospel SURGE teams for wisdom, protection, and courage as they plant churches.
- Pray for the advancement of God's Kingdom throughout the 18 languages of this city.
- Pray for a mighty movement of prayer to be birthed in Medan that multiplies throughout the country.
- Pray for a resurrection of God's divine purpose for this city.

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