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It may not be making news headlines here in North America, but there's an important story unfolding in Burkina Faso, West Africa.

Burkina Faso is a majority-Muslim country, and Muslims and the minority Christian groups have historically lived together in tolerance. But, the last few years have been marked by rising levels of violence from Muslim extremist groups. This violence has caused many people to flee to nearby countries or to camps for displaced people.

"Thanks to Christian Reformed congregations for partnering with us. Because of your support, a woman named Asseta, who lives with other internally displaced people is able to encounter God's love. You helped change her story, and so many more, to a testimony that will go on to touch many others."

— Rev. Marc Nabie, French Ministry Leader, ReFrame Ministries (pictured)

As missionaries and Christian leaders gathered in Burkina Faso to pray for an end to the escalating violence, they mentioned your ReFrame partners there by name. Why? ReFrame's use of media to share the good news has been especially effective in times where it's hard to travel for in-person ministry.

To reach the displaced people, ReFrame began airing radio programs with a new station. Although the owner isn't a Christian, he soon discovered that he had to air the programs more than he originally planned—there was an overwhelming number of requests for these programs.

Thank you for your support for ReFrame Ministries. Please continue to pray for people who are persecuted or displaced for their faith in Burkina Faso and around the world.



