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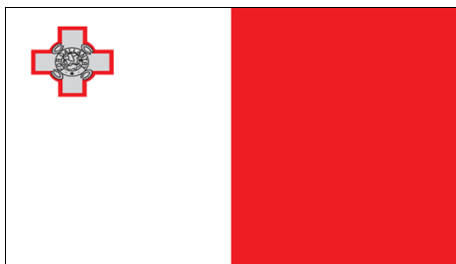
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Malta

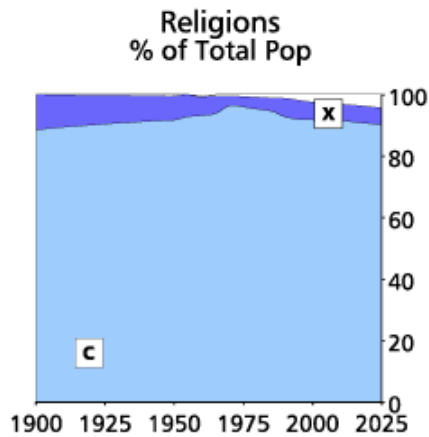
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Malta

Republic of Malta

Europe

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Geography

Area: 316 sq km

Three small but strategic islands in the central Mediterranean. Dry limestone hills with no rivers.

Population: 409,999 **Annual Growth:** 0.37%

Capital: Valetta

Urbanites: 94.7%

HDI Rank: 38 of 182 ([UN Human Development Reports 2009](#))

Peoples

Peoples: 11 (18% unreached) [All peoples](#)

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Pray for the Unreached
Indo-Pakistani of Malta



Country: Malta
 People: Indo-Pakistani
 Population: 60
 World Popl: 1,252,000
 Main Language: Hindi
 Main Religion: Hinduism
 Status: ■ Least-Reached
 Christ-Followers: Few, less than 2%
 Bible: Complete
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"Declare his glory among the nations" Psalm 96:3

Official language: Maltese, English. Maltese is a unique blend of Arabic, Latin and Punic **Languages:** 4 [All](#)

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Religion

Largest Religion: Christian

Religion	Pop %	Ann Gr
Christians	396,961	96.82
Evangelicals	5,245	1.3

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Challenges for Prayer

Immigration presents a massive challenge. The numbers attempting to enter Europe (2,000 per year and increasing) could potentially overwhelm the small population of Malta. Policing its waters as well as housing and providing for such immigrants are a significant strain on Malta's limited resources. Its proximity to North Africa – a launching point for immigrants from a host of nationalities – makes it all the more vulnerable. Maltese demonstrate general antipathy to those who exploit its accessibility. Most immigrants want to move from Malta; living in a detention centre is more akin to prison than the freedom they sought. Pray for Maltese to demonstrate compassion and Christian love; pray that many of these immigrants might discover the living Christ.

For an additional 6 Challenges for Prayer see Operation World [book, CD-ROM, or DVD-ROM](#).

More Information

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