

**AUGUST 18:****DUBBO: David & Rose Cox**

Pray for our daughter, Janelle, as she is due to give birth any day now. May she and Lincoln experience the immense favour of God in the delivery of a baby into their home to nurture and love. Pray too for Rose's brother Mark as chaplain to both Dubbo and Wellington Christian Schools.

**AUGUST 19:****GILGANDRA: Henry, Maria & Joshua Louie**

Give thanks that the Lord is working in the hearts of the small group here. Pray that through SRE, young children will know God's saving grace in Jesus. Pray too, for the ten Green Point Christian School boys, with their teacher Andrew, as they visit various communities this week. Ask particularly, for Henry to be strengthened for the tasks God has given him and pray that Maria will enjoy improved health.

**AUGUST 20:****WOORABINDA: Martin, Rose & Najwa Ebel**

Continue to pray for Woorabinda and the youth. Pray too, for steadfastness of those trusting in the Lord. Uphold Martin & Rose in prayer as they labour diligently for the Lord.

**AUGUST 21:****BORROLOOLA: Vincent Charlie, Muldoon Noble**

Pray that people will open their hearts and allow their minds to be renewed by the Word of God and grow in spiritual maturity and Christian living. Please keep praying that the people who once walked with the Lord will turn back to follow Him faithfully.

**AUGUST 22:****ELLIOTT: Michael Jones**

As the Lord is faithful, pray that Michael will know the enabling of the Spirit, the great love of God and the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ. Pray that the message of the Lord may spread rapidly and be honoured by all.

**AUGUST 23:****BREWARRINA: Ike & Eileen Gordon**

Pray that Ike will be comforted by his Saviour as he officiates at many funerals. May the Lord strengthen and give Ike the very words to say that will lead to the salvation of others at these difficult times.

**AUGUST 24:****SABBATICAL IN RUTHERGLEN:****Jono, Grace, Elijah, Tjanara & Manoah Wright**

Give thanks to God for the blessing of being able to rest and reflect away from ministry busyness pray that we will make the best use of this time as a family. Pray for God's leading as we

work on plans for the next six months and into 2019. Give thanks to God also for the different opportunities this region presents our kids.

**AUGUST 25:****ELLIOTT - MARLINJA:**

Pray that Harold & Kaye Dalywaters and Raymond & Thelma Dixon will be encouraged in their walk with the Lord and that Jesus will seek and save the lost in these communities.

**AUGUST 26:****ROCKHAMPTON**

Give thanks for our leaders - Sister Lesley, David & Fay and Jandalyn and for the continued work they provide in the church. Thank the Lord that Bill Power's health has improved, and that he is now playing the guitar again on Sunday morning for our outdoor meeting.

**AUGUST 27:****HEAD OFFICE: Peter, Leanne & Stephen Smith**

Remember Peter as he manages the office and all the various financial accounts. Give thanks for good health and the wonderful support of his family.

**AUGUST 28:****BARUNGA: Anita Painter & Jocelyn McCartney**

Thank God for the large group who attend the weekly kid's club. Pray that they will come to faith in Jesus with a firm foundation from God's Word on which to build their lives. Pray that the adults will be drawn by God to faith in Jesus and begin establishing Christian homes.

**AUGUST 29:****EPENARRA**

Please pray for the number of key Christians in this community who are suffering kidney failure. Please pray for a reversal of their health issues that they might continue being strong and Godly leaders. For the Letcher family that they might be able to return to Epenarra in the near future.

**AUGUST 30:****TENNANT CREEK**

Continue to pray that the faithful preaching of the Word and fellowship together will warm the congregation's hearts and their love for Jesus. Ask that others will be brought in to rejoice in and glorify God.

**AUGUST 31:****CAMOOWEAL**

Continue to pray for the building up of the saints and growing church attendance. Uphold Cyril and Thelma Anderson and the faithful ladies as they seek to love Christ and serve Him in the community.



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# AIM PRAYER

*Prayer points for the work of the  
gospel in the Indigenous Church*

BUT YOU WILL RECEIVE POWER WHEN  
THE HOLY SPIRIT HAS COME UPON  
YOU, AND YOU WILL BE MY WITNESSES  
IN JERUSALEM AND IN ALL JUDEA AND  
SAMARIA, AND TO THE END OF THE  
EARTH. AND WHEN HE HAD SAID THESE  
THINGS, AS THEY WERE LOOKING ON,  
HE WAS LIFTED UP, AND A CLOUD TOOK  
HIM OUT OF THEIR SIGHT.

ACTS 1:8-9

*Want to find out more about who you're praying for? Navigate to the 'ministry' page on our website and you can! You'll find summaries of the places, ministry and people working in each place. There is even opportunity to email and support our workers!*

#### **AUGUST 1:**

##### **DIRECTOR: Trevor & Pamela Leggott**

Give thanks that transition to new leadership is nearing completion with Roy Hadfield, an indigenous man from Grafton Presbyterian Church, to take on the role of CEO after August. Give thanks too that legal matters relating to the Retta Dixon Home case have drawn to a conclusion with the sale of the AIM Humpty Doo property.

#### **AUGUST 2:**

##### **SUPPORT MINISTRY: Cliff & Carolyn Letcher**

We give thanks that Carolyn's medication is working well. Please pray for healing for her broken foot. Pray too, for guidance as we have had to delay our NT trip by a little over two weeks. Please pray that we will be at the appropriate places at the appropriate times and for safety as we travel.

#### **AUGUST 3:**

##### **DUBBO: David & Rose Cox**

Pray for strengthening, encouragement and vitality as David & Rose cope with the usual winter ailments. Pray that the Lord will deeply enrich in every way the 12 to 15 people attending the 19 week Vocational Bible College in the Dubbo church. Pray for God's enabling and wisdom as David speaks on the 'One story, made up in many parts.'

#### **AUGUST 4:**

##### **DUBBO**

The Day in the Word is on today. Uphold Greg Goswell as he looks through the Psalms: God comforts and discomferts his people. Psalm 1 – Introducing the psalms; Psalm 3 – You think you have enemies; Psalm 5 – Ready to pray; and Psalm 7 – Longing for judgement. Sunday worship will focus on Psalm 8 – David praises.

#### **AUGUST 5:**

##### **ACROSS THE DIVIDE:**

##### **Rob, Jenni, Miriam, Katie & Isaac Alley**

Praise God for his provisions to us in many ways as we work toward transition, especially the time just spent at the Pioneers orientation week. It was a great encouragement. Pray this month as we prepare for our next trip with Caringbah Baptist Church and develop the frameworks that we are setting up with Across the Divide. Pray for wisdom as we consider

different opportunities such as various conferences and training options.

#### **AUGUST 6:**

##### **TAREE: Young, Eunice, Joy & Kevin Lee**

Pray that the Lord will go before Young as he brings God's word through SRE to the children in term three. Pray that Eunice will be blessed and be a blessing, as she learns new subjects at TAFE College. Pray also, that in God's perfect timing he will provide a godly spouse for Owen.

#### **AUGUST 7:**

##### **ROCKHAMPTON**

Please pray for David and Fay Chambers and family and Glenda Smith on a Safari Outreach in Vanuatu. Continue to pray that Vanessa and Keisha Motto will return to a closer walk with Jesus. Ask that brother and sister, Vanessa and Selwyn, will adapt well to a change in family circumstances.

#### **AUGUST 8:**

##### **SUPPORT MINISTRY: Bob, Lucy, Miriam, Lizzie, Alex & Will Quinn**

Praise the Lord for the preaching opportunities and the privilege of being camp parents recently for the NSW Missionary Kids Network annual camp. Pray for clear direction, discipline with priorities and work in our local church. Give thanks as our daughter Lizzie is recently engaged to Rob Alexander, son of a Mission Aviation Fellowship family.

#### **AUGUST 9:**

##### **DARWIN: Simon, Tirzah, Abigail & Sophia McKee**

Pray that we would know the peace of God and be able to rest in his sovereignty and goodness. Pray for Abby as she settles in down south.

#### **AUGUST 10:**

##### **PILLIGA**

Henry remarked that the Pilliga Kid's Club last month went "really well." On the last day there were 30 children and about 20 adults. There was good interaction with parents and everyone enjoyed a barbeque to close the time accompanied with a gospel message. Church on the following Sunday was well attended. Praise the Lord!

#### **AUGUST 11:**

##### **MOREE: Phil & Fiona Speirs**

Thank the Lord for sustaining us through a period of sickness. Thank Him too, for the way He is growing people in their understanding of His word. Please pray for more people to come along & for wisdom in reaching people with the gospel. Please continue to pray for the increasing need of rain.

#### **AUGUST 12:**

##### **TEAM PARTNER: Alice Schroers**

Praise God that I have work for next year in Alice Springs. Please pray for discipline with study and wisdom in knowing how best to use my time while preparing for exams in February 2019. Please also pray for contentment in Christ.

#### **AUGUST 13:**

##### **AIM COUNCIL**

Continue to pray that the new members of the AIM Council bring fresh insight and impetus to the discussions today. May all seek the face of God, for unless the Lord builds the house, its builders labour in vain.

#### **AUGUST 14:**

##### **DARWIN: Rhonda Coats**

Thank God for the opportunity Rhonda has to serve the Lord and AIM through editing the AIM magazine. Please pray as she seeks to get all materials gathered together in early August for the Sept.-Nov. issue. Thank God for Rodney Crawford (former MPA worker) at Springwood Printing, who does the layout each time.

#### **AUGUST 15:**

##### **SUPPORT MINISTRY:**

##### **Richard & Sue Davies currently in Canteen Creek**

Please pray for the many people who have responded to the gospel in the past, but for various reasons do not see the need to meet together. There are a number of people who have enjoyed 'road testing' 10 chapters of John's gospel. Please pray with us that we are able to check the remaining chapters and produce work that is acceptable to the consultants.

#### **AUGUST 16:**

##### **KATHERINE CHURCH**

Normal Sunday services continue each week and mid-week Bible studies and prayer are being organised. Pray for strengthening relationships with God and ability to share the work evenly by the leaders. Ask that the Women's convention this month will deepen love and foster a closer walk with Jesus within Christian community.

#### **AUGUST 17:**

##### **TENNANT CREEK: Peter & Karen Dixon**

Please pray that we will be really helpful in assisting the members of the Tennant Creek Church to shine the light of Jesus into the communities. Pray for good initiatives and cooperation from Governments to truly empower Aboriginal families and organisations. Please pray for the new leadership at the Primary School and for continued progress in the Indigenous Culture and Language Programs.