

OCTOBER 19:
CANTEEN CREEK

Pray that peace and justice return to this community following an outbreak of drunkenness and antisocial behaviour. Pray for wisdom for the believers and steadfastness of faith. Pray also that the men would begin to meet to encourage each other.

OCTOBER 20:
KATHERINE, NT:
Lisa Mumbin, Noel McDonald, David Hughes

Pray that the believers will seek to be an encouragement and build one another up in their faith. Pray they will be faithful and powerful witnesses of the Lord so that many will turn and become faithful followers of Jesus, and faithful members sharing in the ministry of this church.

OCTOBER 21:
DARWIN, NT: Simon, Tirzah, Abigail & Sophia McKee

Pray for us as we settle into a new normal and continue to adjust to changes in our plans. Pray we would know that He is God in every aspect of our lives. Pray for Simon as he seeks employment.

OCTOBER 22:
SUPPORT MINISTRY: Cliff & Carolyn Letcher

Give thanks for God's care for us in our recent ministry trip to the NT. Pray for guidance for Cliff as he joins with Yane in the General Director responsibilities while we seek our Lord's provision for longer term leadership.

OCTOBER 23:
BREWARRINA, NSW: Ike & Eileen Gordon

Continue to pray for Ike and Eileen as they minister faithfully in Brewarrina and Walgett. Ask that God would richly bless them that they will be a blessing to others.

OCTOBER 24:
ACROSS THE DIVIDE:
Rob, Jenni, Miriam, Katie & Isaac Alley

Praise God for the time the team had up in Borroloola and the subsequent travel home earlier this month. Please pray that the impact of this might be ongoing for the church mob up north and the team members who attended. Pray for the Manning Valley ReachOut conference held last weekend, that many will have been impacted by their time there. Pray for a youth camp we are helping to support for refugee youth in Sydney this coming weekend.

OCTOBER 25:
HEAD OFFICE: Peter, Leanne & Stephen Smith
Remember Peter as he manages the AIM office.

OCTOBER 26:
SUPPORT MINISTRY: Bob, Lucy, Miriam, Lizzie, Alex & Will Quinn
Thanks for good completion of a pilot trial of VBC. Bob has stepped down from some responsibilities & prays that the next six months will be a good time to refocus on our ministry. Pray also for deputation opportunities; for Alex doing HSC exams in October; and Miriam preparing for Central Asia.

OCTOBER 27:
QUEENSLAND CHURCH COUNCIL

Pray that God will continually equip the Council with discernment, insight, leadership abilities, grace and love as they work with the Queensland churches. Give thanks for David & Faye as they continue to travel around the churches, encouraging the church families and friends in the Lord.

OCTOBER 28:
BORROLOOLA: Vincent Charlie, Muldoon Noble

Pray that the Christians here will continue to be encouraged following recent visits from groups to the church. Pray that they will encourage one another in their faith and walk. Pray for Miriam and several others who have had to move to bigger centres for medical treatment. Pray that God will bring others to Himself in Borroloola, who will become faithful and active members of the local fellowship.

OCTOBER 29:
TENNANT CREEK, NT

Pray that God will raise up young leaders, as Richard Driver and Michael Jones are getting older. Pray for Jimmy Brodie, David Duggie and Geoffrey Shannon as they take up leadership roles.

OCTOBER 30:
BARUNGA, NT: Anita Painter & Jocelyn McCartney

Pray that the believers will be faithful in their walk and will have a deep concern for those still in spiritual darkness. Pray they will be actively seeking to share the love and message of Jesus Christ with all others in the community. Ask God to work in hearts to bring others into His family.

OCTOBER 31:
MOREE, NSW:
Paul, Erin, Grace, Reuben, Maleah, Seth & Shauneisha Strahan
Pray for the 2020 NDIS interns. Ask that God will give us opportunity to reconcile with some people who broke and stole things we owned last month. Pray for godly wisdom and provision for starting a night school for disengaged youth at the start of the new year.

 AIM
PRAYER

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

CLOTHE YOURSELVES, ALL OF YOU,
WITH HUMILITY TOWARD ONE
ANOTHER, FOR GOD OPPOSES THE
PROUD BUT GIVES GRACE TO THE
HUMBLE.

Want to find out more about who you're praying for? Navigate to the 'field' 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!

OCTOBER 1:

GILGANDRA, NSW: Henry, Maria & Joshua Louie

Kids clubs will run in Gulargambone and Pilliga during the school holidays. Sydney Koreans at Gular and folk from Grace Evangelical Church, Newcastle will assist in Pilliga. Pray that the children will respond to the gospel, placing their trust in Jesus. The two church groups will come together for the Sunday service in Pilliga. Pray that the small group who meet there weekly, will be encouraged and blessed in their walk with the Lord.

OCTOBER 2:

TAREE, NSW: Young & Eunice Lee

Pray for Eunice to be encouraged in the Lord due to the ongoing nature of her injury. Pray for SRE children in primary schools that God will open their minds to embrace the gospel. Pray too for my mother in Korea: she is recovering from back surgery three weeks ago. Pray for her quick recovery.

OCTOBER 3:

MOREE, NSW: Phil & Fiona Speirs

Thank the Lord for the many visitors we have had over the past few months, they have been a great encouragement to the little congregation. Please pray for wisdom in growing the church, faithful to the Word of God. Please pray for healing for Phil's body and patience under the Lord's refinement.

OCTOBER 4:

TENNANT CREEK, NT

Give thanks for a wonderful Birthday weekend focusing on Following Jesus. Pray that those who heard will head the message. Pray particularly that the outreach in Mulga, Kargaru and Dump Camps will bear much fruit to the praise and glory of God: that new believers will be disciplined to be faithful servants of the living God.

OCTOBER 5:

SUPPORT MINISTRY: Roni, Yane, Ryan & Edith Damanik

We praise the Lord for the encouragement, support and interest for the ministry of AIM from different people who contacted us last month. Please pray for strength and health for Yane as she juggles various responsibilities. Please pray for our children as they enjoy the school holiday.

OCTOBER 6:

DARWIN, NT: Simon, Tirzah, Abigail & Sophia McKee

Thank the Lord for the 7 1/2 years of ministry the McKee's have undertaken with Indigenous folk as members of AIM. Sadly, due to Simon's health issues, they will no longer be able to continue on in ministry. We thank God for them as a family and for their ongoing passion for the growth and development of the Indigenous Church, and for their continued interest and support of the ministry of AIM. Please continue to pray for Simon and Tirzah as they adjust to the limitations, which they accept as being from God's hand. Pray for ongoing trust and strength day by day. We will really miss them very much.

OCTOBER 7:

John & Rita Keane

Please continue upholding John before the throne of grace as his chemotherapy treatment continues. May John and Rita know the nearness and comfort of their loving saviour constantly.

OCTOBER 8:

CAMOOWEAL, QLD

Cyril & Thelma's grandson, Isaiah, aged 17, was hit by a car on the 11th September. He was admitted to Townsville hospital, stabilized but has a fever and high heart rate. At the time of collating these prayers he is out of ICU. Please pray earnestly for a full recovery.

OCTOBER 9:

DARWIN, NT: Rhonda Coats

Please pray for Rhonda as she seeks to encourage several people who have recently moved to Darwin for medical treatment from AIM centres. Pray that they might be significant witnesses for Jesus while they are here. Please pray that the finance needed to cover accommodation costs for Rhonda will be sufficiently met by our God who is Able.

OCTOBER 10:

ALICE SPRINGS, NT: Alice Schroers

Please pray for health and wisdom regarding future directions. Pray for God to sustain the ministries I'm already involved in, including outreach to indigenous kids fortnightly on Tuesdays.

OCTOBER 11:

ELLIOTT, NT: Michael Jones

Please pray for a number of people: Harold and Kaye Dalywaters, old Terry Murphy, Shannon Dixon and Edward, Harold's brother. Pray too for Michael and his wife Jorna, as they are going through some hard times, with children and family.

OCTOBER 12:

ROCKHAMPTON, QLD:

Bill & Lesley Power, David Chambers, Jandalyne Mitchell

Continue to pray for Judy and Neville; their help in the church and Judy's up and coming surgery. Pray also for Pastor Bill and Sister Lesley in leading and guidance and for Vanessa and her family's salvation. Praise that the joy of the Lord is our strength.

OCTOBER 13:

TENNANT CREEK, NT: Peter & Karen Dixon

Please keep praying that we can be good helpers for the Warumungu Bible translation team and the Church leaders. Please pray for the language helpers for the Primary School Indigenous Culture and Language classes and for continuing progress in literacy and numeracy.

OCTOBER 14:

SUPPORT MINISTRY: Richard & Sue Davies

Ask that we might get back into a routine of translation (Exodus) and preparing studies and lesson materials. Pray for opportunities in churches to promote the work and needs of AIM and that God would raise up more workers to support the churches.

OCTOBER 15:

GILGANDRA, NSW: Henry, Maria & Joshua Louie

Please pray for Maria's father who has been in Tamworth hospital with a bad infection in his lungs. Also uphold Gary Woods in Dubbo hospital with kidney stones.

OCTOBER 16:

SABBATICAL IN RUTHERGLEN, VIC:

Jono, Grace, Elijah, Tjanara & Manoah Wright

Pray for the Wrights as they think through different options for 2020. Ask the Lord to make the way forward for them clear. Pray also for stability for the three children and a maturity and ability to cope with whatever the future holds.

OCTOBER 17:

DUBBO, NSW: David & Rose Cox

Pray for preparations for our sabbatical. We are praying for appropriate accommodation and for preachers to fill the pulpit for next year. Pray too for the church members who will have to take up the slack.

OCTOBER 18:

WOORABINDA: Martin, Rose & Najwa Ebel

Please pray for the ladies as they will travel to Brisbane for the three day CWCI convention commencing today. Pray for the two men attending regularly that they will remain steadfast in the Lord. Pray for those in the church that deal with health issues.