

**MAY 24: DAVID & ROSE COX, DUBBO NSW:**

We pray that Dave and Rose had a refreshing break in the last two weeks of April. The Manse continues in need of repairs and updates. Pray that funds will be provided to do that.

**MAY 25: JONO & GRACE WRIGHT (ELIJAH, TJANARA & MANOAH), VIC:**

Praise for the opportunities the Wright's have in the schools they work in. Pray that God will use their words & their presence to bring glory to himself & light to the world.

**MAY 26: VINCENT CHARLIE, BORROLOOLA NT:**

Please continue to pray that the Christians will be given discernment and will exercise caution with outsiders seeking to take part in the life of the church. Pray that the locals will be willing to be involved in sharing God's message with others and teaching the children and teens about Jesus.

**MAY 27: RHONDA COATS, DARWIN NT:**

Pray that the efforts to help people interact with God's Word will be effective and help them grow and mature in their walk with Jesus. Pray that Rhonda will remain focused on responsibilities and keep time with people and time in study and computer work balanced.

**MAY 28: LISA MUMBIN, NOEL MCDONALD & DAVID HUGHES, KATHERINE NT:**

Thank God that some who had started attending bible studies with another group on Saturdays are again attending the AIM Church. Thank God for the loving wisdom shared with them by the Church leaders. Thank God for the high numbers of adults attending and participation of people since reopening the church after lockdowns.

**MAY 29: MARLINJA, NT:**

Continue praying for the ministry of Raymond and Thelma Dixon here. Pray that Raymond's teaching language to school students using portions of Scripture in Elliott will be a blessing.

**MAY 30: TENNANT CREEK, NT:**

Pray for the new leaders being trained up: Jimmy Brodie, Brendon Haines and Brian Freddy. Pray too, for the ladies work, Annie, Sarah & Renita Morrison, Elizabeth Johnson and Jorna Jones. Continue also to uphold the elderly leaders, Richard Driver, Geoffrey Shannon, Cedric Tennyson and Michael Jones.

**MAY 31: PETER & LEANNE SMITH, TINONEE, NSW:**

Thank you for rejoicing with us in the marriage of our son Stephen to Jessie Carswell. The wedding was beautiful as was the bride. Please uphold them in your prayers as they look to the Lord for a biblical church to attend and to direct their paths as a newly married couple.

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AIM is a servant organisation whose goal is to see **strong Aboriginal churches** as we aim to **biblically disciple Aboriginal believers** and **develop their leadership for gospel ministry.**

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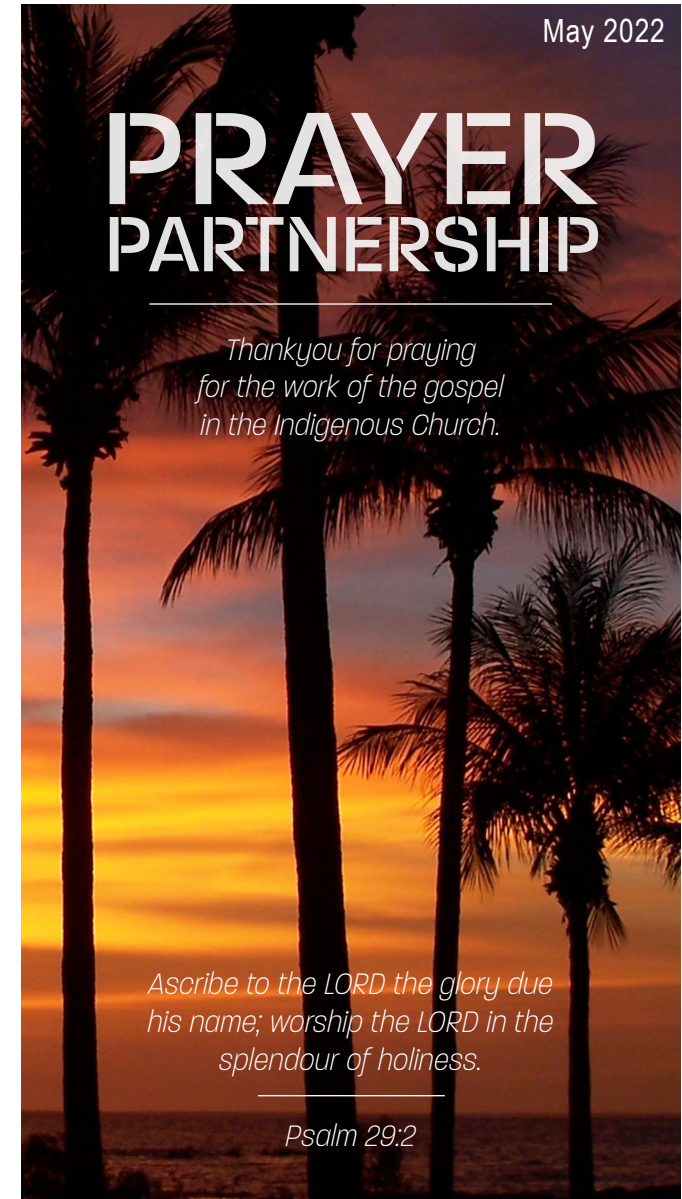
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# PRAYER PARTNERSHIP

*Thankyou for praying for the work of the gospel in the Indigenous Church.*

*Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; worship the LORD in the splendour of holiness.*

*Psalm 29:2*



**MAY 1: KATHERINE CHRISTIAN CONVENTION, NT:**

Katherine Christian Convention is usually held over the 1st weekend in May (long weekend in the NT), but was cancelled this year due to Covid concerns. Pray that people will gather in praise and fellowship in their local environment in spite of the disappointment of no convention.

**MAY 2: KATHY BIRD, GILGANDRA, NSW:**

We had a wonderful Easter and church service at a family reunion in Balladoran. Larry Toney was the guest speaker and drew quite a crowd. Pray that the congregation is built up and strengthened. Pray also for Phyllis Morgan, who had a fall and broke her right arm. She is currently in Gilgandra hospital.

**MAY 3: RIVERS CONVENTION, NSW:**

Big crowds gathered as the team went from town to town, particularly in Goodooga and Brewarrina. A fellow in the team broke a horse in at each gathering, explaining the Gospel in what he was doing with the horse. Pray that the Lord has touched many and that the local churches will continue the discipling.

**MAY 4: HENRY, MARIA & JOSH LOUIE, PILLIGA NSW:**

Pray for Maria as she is not well. Tests have been done as she has previously had kidney stones. Ask that healing might come quickly. Give thanks also for the 20 children attending the Kids Club in Baradine in the last week of holidays. Many children and parents responded well to the skits and plays from the Korean helpers at the final bar-b-que. Pray that many hearts were opened for further gospel ministry.

**MAY 5: MARTIN & ROSE EBEL (NAJWA), WOORABINDA, QLD:**

Martin is doing pretty well. The shunt has been put in and his strength is improving. Give thanks that the neurosurgeon reported that there was no regrowth in the last MRI. The next MRI is scheduled for tomorrow in Rockhampton. Praise the Lord for his steadfast love, mercy and goodness.

**MAY 6: ROB & JENNI ALLEY (MIRIAM KATIE AND ISAAC) ACROSS THE DIVIDE, TAREE NSW:**

Praise God for the opportunity to connect with other mission agencies at the Global Missions Forum today. Pray for helpful and meaningful connections to be made. Pray for us as we prepare for two trips planned for June and July. Pray that God might open up the way to reconnect safely with our friends in communities face to face and with viable teams to take.

**MAY 7: CANTEEN CREEK, EPENARRA, NT:**

Pray for the school teachers and their families in these remote communities, especially their children. There are two funerals planned for May in Canteen Creek; please pray for the families as they travel and that the funerals will be a time of loving respect.

**MAY 8: JOCELYN MCCARTNEY & ANITA PAINTER****BARUNGA, NT:**

Pray that the local believers will effectively share the love and truth of Jesus with their community. Ask God to change many hearts and minds as they hear of God's love and grace. Pray that Christians will add a wise voice to discussions about rules and regulations for the canteen (alcohol outlet) soon to open in the Community again.

**MAY 9: RICHARD AND SUE DAVIES, COOTAMUNDRA NSW:**

Give thanks that the new van towed really well and is set up excellently. Pray that we will be a great encouragement and blessing to the folk in Canteen Creek. Ask too, for the right people to work with us to do translation checking.

**MAY 10: CAMOOWEAL, QLD:**

Loo-loo from Lake Nash was baptised at the Easter convention in Epenarra. Pray that she may move in with her father, who lives in Camooweal, and join the church. Pray that Thelma's prayer on Anzac day will continue to make people think about their need for a Saviour. Ask that Hazel's assessment for physical and medical help might be hastened. Give thanks too, that Cyril and Thelma are out of Covid quarantine.

**MAY 11: EPENARRA, NT:**

Praise God for those who made first time commitments or rededications at the Easter convention at Epenarra. Please pray for them that they grow in their faith into mature believers. Pray that the churches in Epenarra and Canteen Creek will nurture them.

**MAY 12: BOB & LUCY QUINN (MIRIAM, ALEXANDRA & WILL) CAMPBELLTOWN NSW:**

Bring Bob & Lucy to the throne of grace, as they grieve with certain hope the loss of Lucy's brother, Hank, three weeks ago. Hank loved his Saviour.

**MAY 13: WORKERS NEEDED:**

As you 'pray for the Lord of the harvest to send out workers into the harvest,' please pray that our Lord will send out suitable workers for ministry among Indigenous people. AIM can use additional people in the areas of Council members, administration, full time workers and Team Partners. Remote areas of Australia need Christian teachers, nurses and other skilled people, who can work with Aboriginal people in a range of roles.

**MAY 14: YOUNG & EUNICE LEE, TAREE NSW:**

Please pray that Eunice and I will recover from fatigue after our trip to Korea and return to our ministry in Taree. Please pray that my mother's health will be maintained well through her doctors.

**MAY 15: HENRY, MARIA & JOSH LOUIE, PILLIGA, BARADINE NSW:**

Thank the Lord for all the opportunities in using Henry as a means to bring people into God's Kingdom. Some of the 30 people who attended the Rivers Convention in Pilliga have come to the Sunday services.

Please pray that this will continue and many will come to a saving knowledge of God.

**MAY 16: CLIFF & CAROLYN LETCHER, BLUE MOUNTAINS NSW:**

Continue to praise our God for His wonderful provision.

**MAY 17: ROCKHAMPTON QLD, LESLEY POWER, DAVID CHAMBERS AND JANDALYN MITCHELL:**

Pray for David and Fay with their move and new venture in Brisbane. Ask for wisdom in leadership and guidance for us here. Praise and thank the Lord for his overwhelming provision in everything and pray earnestly for souls of lost ones and loved ones that their eyes would be opened to the truth.

**MAY 18: IKE & EILEEN GORDON, BREWARRINA NSW:**

Ike and Eileen missed part of the Rivers Convention as they caught Covid-19. Praise the Lord that they are now well. Give thanks that Dillan, aged 16 years, was baptised recently. May his zeal for his Saviour be infectious that other young people will also be brought into the eternal kingdom of Jesus!

**MAR 19: PETER & KAREN DIXON, TENNANT CREEK NT:**

Give thanks for good encouragement at various Easter meetings around the region. Pray for the church bus to get on the road again, and for our van to be fixed. Pray for the Warumungu Bible Translation program to resume. Pray for the Warumungu program at school and for all the staff with COVID still around, and some vacancies.

**MAR 20: RONI & YANE DAMANIK (RYAN & EDITH), WYEE NSW:**

Thank the Lord for Easter and for the time to reflect on God's love and grace to us all. Please pray for effective preparation for the upcoming Annual General meeting in June. Please pray for wisdom, discernment and direction.

**MAR 21: HAROLD & KAY DALYWATERS, ELLIOT NT:**

Pray that the Lord will help us to share in Elliott and other places that we visit; that indeed we might be God's light to others.

**MAR 22: KATHY BIRD, GILGANDRA, NSW:**

Please pray for more rain out west. Covid is still having an effect on our folk. Our numbers at church have increased for which we praise the Lord. Continue to pray for wisdom in our service for God.

**MAY 23: PAUL, ERIN, GRACE, REUBEN, MALEAH, SETH & SHAUNEISHA STRAHAN, MOREE NSW:**

Pray that we would be able to create a volunteer team to help further develop our planned Alternative Education Programme. Pray that the grassroots learning trailer would continue to be a blessing in the local community, and that we would be able to respond to the invitations to have church afterwards in each of the areas. We need more helpers!