

June 2010



MMM SA News

Karobran New Life Centre - Naracoorte

Charles and Robyn Stokes returned to Adelaide after spending four weeks at Karobran renovating some of their buildings. They were assisted by Mal and Joan Lewis and some of the local students. It is good to be able to assist them by carrying out building maintenance and thus enable their leadership to get on with the job of helping people in their rehabilitation process.



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Bible College of SA

On Saturday the 8th May Charles and Robyn Stokes moved into the grounds of the Bible College in Wattle Street Malvern with their caravan in preparation to start work on the Monday. The first job was to repair the eaves and fascias around the building. This required the use of an elevated platform vehicle (EPV) which we hired.



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Bible College of SA (cont)

Tuesday the 11th saw Terry Owers come and help on building some new internal offices. Rex Vinicombe came as support for Charles whilst he was up on the EPV.



Terry Owers



Rex Vinicombe

Some of the students have been helping us by carrying up the materials to the second floor. We have been building a dividing wall in the student's library which required soundproofing insulation.



In the second week we had a small amount of work on the eaves to do which we could not get to with the EPV. This required the use of ladders.

The old building was used as a boarding school at one stage and Charles and Brenton have been working on the inside converting an old toilet block into a men's and ladies facility.

We can praise God for these students who are studying the Word to prepare themselves for future ministry. We are glad to be of some assistance to the College to enable God's word to be proclaimed. An opportunity has arisen to present the work of MMM to the students in the College.



Tumby Bay – Church of Christ Campsite

On the 28th June we will be at Tumby Bay assisting with replacing pipes in the toilet block as well as renovating a kitchen.

We need the services of a plumber to sign off the work. There will be some local labour involved in this project. It is a lovely place for a holiday, on the beach front, and good fishing as well.

Fusion - Pages Flat

On Monday 31st May we are scheduled to start work at Fusion installing a ceiling in their assembly room. We will be installing insulation and then Gyprock. We have the use of a Gyprock lifter but we need some extra help, so if you can spare a week or more it would be appreciated. Please contact Brenton Cornish (0433 351 997) for more details.



Other Projects

We prayed for more projects and now we have to pray for more people to help.

We have several enquiries about jobs, (Mt Barker, Colonel Light Gardens, Naracoorte) but we may have to delay or refuse because we do not have sufficient help to carry them out.

Please make it a point for prayer for more people to be available

Southside Prayer Meeting

Southside

Monday 21st May 2010 at 7.30pm at
1 Warilda Crescent, Hallett Cove

SA Committee Meeting

Monday 21st May

Australian Projects:

SIL – Cairns: Grahame Martin, involved in Bible translation with SIL wishes to get some assistance to upgrade work on this 40foot cruiser to enable them to get into parts of PNG no longer serviced by MAF. He is seeking persons experienced in working on boats to repair teak decking, mechanical issues, propeller problems, and general ships maintenance. The electrical wiring also needs specialist attention. It is hoped to find people willing to assist, in time to have the boat ready for voyaging in August. There are funds available for the work to progress now but Grahame is seeking help from the Christian community to enable the funds to go further.

Are you available? Please contact **Peter Taylor on 02 49752849** or email: projects@mmm.org.au



Maningrida – Northern Territory:

Darrel House, the State Manager for MMM in the Northern Territory, is seeking help to renovate the Uniting Church Manse at Maningrida starting on June 7. This community can only be accessed by 4x4 vehicles and team members will need to take tents to live in. A plumber is needed urgently, as the bathroom upgrades are a major part of the project, however, all trades would be welcomed on site for about three to four weeks. If you are interested in finding out more about this project, contact **Darrel House in the NT on 08 89327322** or **0402267243** or mmmnt@mmm.org.au



Camp Site – Tumby Bay, S.A:

Plumber needed for a Project at Tumby Bay via Port Lincoln, South Australia. Redcliff Church of Christ Campsite.

The project is to upgrade the toilet and shower facilities, involving new pipe ware and fittings, concreting and tiling. A plumber is needed to sign off on the job but the assistance of a good handy man would be appreciated also.

It is expected to begin this project in early July, so if you feel you are able to get involved on this project, in this beautiful part of the world, please contact **Peter Taylor at the MMM Projects dept. 02 49752849** or email: projects@mmm.org.au



Prayer Force - June 2010

Ephesians 2 : 10 - We are God's workmanship created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.

Tues 1 - **QLD** team painting house exterior for **Dalby Gospel Chapel** until June 4th **NT** team gutting & renovating two bathrooms at **Maningrida Church manse** this month. **Prayer Fellowship - TAS - Launceston.**

Wed 2 - **NSW** Sydney team doing a bathroom renovation at **OMF, Winston Hills**, until June 7. Another **NSW** team working at **Maitland Presbyterian** until 10th.

Thurs 3 - Praise God for **projects in Townsville** this month, building shelving at **Live FM**, altering the front entrance at **Power House Church of Christ** & cupboards & shelving for the **Salvation Army**. Pray for **Graham & Gloria Scott** leading the work there.

Fri 4 - **Prayer Fellowships - WA - Albany** at 7.30pm. **VIC - Box Hill**, 8pm. (NOTE - IT IS THE FIRST FRIDAY THIS MONTH) **QLD Safari** at **Dalby Gospel Chapel**, painting the exterior of a house.

Sat 5 - **NT AUX** catering for the **SU Dinner**. **WA** - Pray for the **Hocking's daughter Erin & her husband** to be greatly **blessed by God today**, at their **wedding**, & for their **future together**.

Sun 6 - *Psalm 34 : 10 The lions may grow weak & hungry, but those who seek the Lord lack no good thing.*

Mon 7 - **Prayer Fellowships - VIC - Phillip Island** at 1.30pm & **Ballarat** at 7.30pm. **TAS - Devonport / Sheffield SA Southside** at 7.30pm & **State Committee meeting** at 1pm. **WA Southside** at 9am **QLD Safari** at **Chinchilla Baptist** today & tomorrow.

Tues 8 - Pray for **Godly wisdom and guidance** for **Tim Cranna, Kenneth Tie and Nathan Velayudham** as they undertake the daily management of MMM.

Wed 9 - Pray for **travel mercies** for the **QLD Safari** arriving at **Biloela** on the 11th.

Thurs 10 - Praise God for **May Cheung**, working in the **MMM Hong Kong office** & **Harry Joe**, from **NZ**, working on projects with **Eric Lee**, also in **Hong Kong**.

Fri 11 - **NSW AUX** stall at **Eastwood**.

Sat 12 - Pray for **Erin & Annemarie Shaw's son, Mark**, to continue healing well from surgery for cancer & for his rehab to have good results.

Sun 13 - *Ephesians 3:16 I pray that out of God's glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being.*

Mon 14 - **Prayer Fellowships - NT & TAS** at **Ulverstone**. **NSW** team at **Wedderburn Christian Campsite** until the 14th. **QLD Safari** at **Biloela AOG** until the 24th.

Tues 15 - Pray for **your State's prayer families**.

Wed 16 - Pray for **Anthony & Siska Hocking** with **final preparations** to leave & take up leading **MMM Thailand**.

Thurs 17 - Praise **God for the State Managers & the State Committee members**. Pray for **God's guidance & blessing** on them all.

Fri 18 - Praise **God for the many ministries MMM has been able to serve**. Pray **their ministries & MMM will help enlarge God's Kingdom**.

Sat 19 - Pray for **God's wisdom and leading for all the Australian MMM Board members**. Praise **God for the safe arrival last month of a second child, Jonathon**, for **Board chairman, Andy Boer & his wife Caroline**.

Sun 20 - *Job 16 : 20 My intercessor is my friend as my eyes pour out tears to God ;*

Mon 21 - Pray for **travel mercies for staff** coming to **Melbourne** & **protection over the Centres & family members** while **Managers** are away. **Prayer Fellowship - SA** at 7.30pm and **State Committee meeting** at 1pm.

Tues 22 - Pray for a **great time of fellowship & sharing** at the **MMM Australia Staff Conference** until 24th.

Wed 23 - Pray for **the work & workers at the overseas MMM Centres**. Pray for the **MMM Board members of the International Alliance**.

Thurs 24 - Pray for **people of God's choosing to take on the Manager's role in VIC & WA**. Pray for a **safe trip home for Managers & staff**.

Fri 25 - Pray for **State Committee chairmen** meeting together with **Andy Boer & Tim Cranna** for a **retreat** today & tomorrow.

Sat 26 - **TAS AUX** catering for the **Baptist Women's Conference** in **Devonport**.

Sun 27 - *Proverbs 11 : 30 The fruit of the righteous is a tree of life, & he who wins souls is wise.*

Mon 28 - **Prayer Fellowship - WA Northside** at 7.30pm. **SA** team commencing work at **Tumby Bay Campsite**.

Tues 29 - Pray for **good health & God's wisdom** for **Ivan & Lynette Gregory** as they prepare **MAT's to go to Zambia** Pray for **God to prepare those going to Zambia to be blessed to be a blessing to the people there**.

Wed 30 - Pray for **God's blessings & guidance for all the overseas MMM International staff & the International Alliance Board**.