

Devotional

Faith With Deeds

As Christians we are blessed to be able to have a rich and vibrant relationship with our God. When we hear from God there is an application that comes with that. A complete and healthy faith is both faith and action working together.

James 2:14-17 (NIV) What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if someone claims to have faith but has no deeds? Can such faith save them? Suppose a brother or a sister is without clothes and daily food. If one of you says to them, "Go in peace; keep warm and well fed," but does nothing about their physical needs, what good is it? In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead."

Our service at MMM is our faith in action. As prayer warriors, one way we express our faith in action is through our intercessory prayer.

In Hosea 8:12 (MSG) God says "I write my revelation out in detail and they pretend they can't read it". In James 1:23-24 (NIV) it says that "Anyone who listens to the word but does not do what it says is like someone who looks at his face in a mirror and, after looking at himself, goes away and immediately forgets what he looks like."

When our faith is not accompanied by deeds, it is like we have forgotten our identity in God. I encourage you to press in and let's together continue to put God's word into action in our lives.

Blessings,
Robyn Fedrick
National Prayer Coordinator

International Prayer News

Zambia

Pray for Florence N-Kaniki and the Zambia Team as they process through recent departures of MMM Staff.

Pray for Patrick Coleman as Chair of the MMM Zambia Vocational Training College. Pray for a successful intake of students and for much needed funding.

Pray for the Board of MMM Zambia as they deal with the governance issues currently before the Board.

New Zealand

Pray for Howard Robinson as National Director of MMM New Zealand, pray for wisdom and guidance as he seeks to fill strategic staff positions.

Pray for the planning and execution of project activities in Fiji for 2020. Pray for the New Zealand teams as they prepare for each trip.

Hong Kong

Pray for the work of MMM in Hong Kong, pray for Andrew Wong as National Director.

Pray for more volunteers and team members.

Thailand

Pray for MMM Thailand as they begin planning for the first stage of works on the new MMM property in Chiang Rai.

South Africa

Pray for Neil Eichstadt and his family, that God will use them in a significant way through MMM South Africa in the coming year.

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1 Pray for volunteers and supporters impacted by the bushfires. Pray for protection and strength to endure.

2 Pray for churches impacted by bushfire activity. In some cases churches have been destroyed. Pray for healing and God's peace as they move through the recovery process.

3 Pray for the Board as they meet on Feb 6th for the first meeting of the year. Pray for Dale Richardson, Melanie McGrice, Matthew Smith, Rod McGarvie and Craig Goldsmith. Pray for God's insight, wisdom and strategy for the year ahead.

4 Pray for our finances. Donations have declined significantly over the past couple of months which may be bushfire related as people redirect funds to bushfire appeals. Pray that people will also see the needs in MMM.

5 Pray for our CEO as he begins implementing programs and events that have been in the planning for several months. Pray he will be strengthened, refreshed and kept in good health to ensure he can meet all the demands of the role as CEO of MMM Australia.

6 Pray for each of the Region Managers as they embark on 2020, that they will have renewed strength, clarity and Godly wisdom as they plan the year ahead. Pray for Shane & Ruth Goelst (TAS), Greg & Robyn Jackson (NSW), John & Anne Cooper (QLD), Geoff Jarvis (VIC/SA), Trevor & Karen Beard (WA).

7 Pray for the many fundraising events being planned around Australia. Pray specifically for the dinners in Western Australia (March 7th), Victoria (March 21st), Queensland (March 28th). Pray that many supporters will be able to attend, pray for an open heaven and open wallets.

8 Pray for the Tasmania team as they embark on their first projects of the year. Pray for more volunteers for the St James Presbyterian Church project happening from February 17th – 21st.

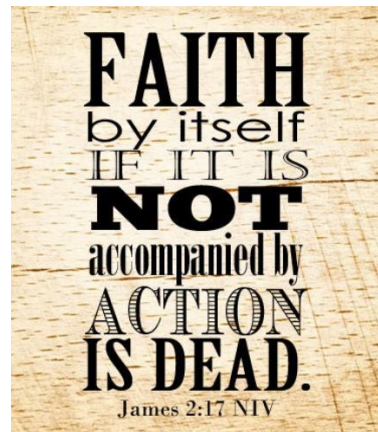
9 Pray for the planning of the Top-End Safari may— August 2020. Pray for more team members and for a Team leader. Pray for the projects currently scheduled and for those still being planned.

10 Pray for the planning of the first Papua New Guinea project in Alotau. Pray for volunteers to commit to the project scheduled for late March/early April 2020.

11 Pray for the planning of the Dogura Hospital, PNG project (Build-A-Bond) in September. Pray also for a committed team to construct the buildings.

12 Pray for God's provision for all material needs, which are so vital to continue our operations and administration. Pray for provision from God in every area of need across MMM Australia.

13 Pray for more volunteers to join the summer projects, who are keen and committed. Pray a blessing on all the people involved on the sites and those behind the scenes organising it all.



14 Pray for each of the regions chair persons and committees so that they might have fresh and creative ideas for fundraising this year. Pray for new volunteers and new associates throughout the year, in each region.

15 Pray for our National Patron, Steve Grace as he tours Australia in his ministry as a musician/evangelist. Pray for safe travels and a fruitful ministry.

16 Please continue to pray for a replacement for Noel to run the Build-A-Bond ministry as he prepares to step down early this year. Give thanks for his faithful service.

17 As we embark on 2020 please pray for safety on all the project sites both locally and internationally. Pray for safety in use of tools, safety in working at heights. Pray also for safety in travelling to and from project sites.

18 Pray for the network of MMM prayer partners. Give thanks for their faithfulness and commitment to praying for the needs of MMM. Pray that many more prayer fellowships will grow around the nation.

19 Pray for opportunities to share the vision and mission of MMM in churches across Australia. Pray for gifted ambassadors for MMM who can succinctly and clearly present the MMM message and that it will inspire a new generation of MMM volunteers and supporters.

20 Pray for all of our staff and volunteers in our National Office in Mitcham. Pray for Rachel Littlechild, Kim Roediger, Flora Fung, Dave Kenyon, Robyn Fedrick & Sutha Jayanthan that they will know every blessing from God as they faithfully serve him.