

**1** Pray for the continued planning of our 2023 Top End Safari. Pray for the decisions being made around projects. Pray for the right people to come forward with the skills required for these projects to be completed. Pray that MMM can make a significant impact in these communities and be a great encouragement to the churches and communities we will be serving.

**2** WA – Pray for volunteers to make themselves available for a project in Esperance, re-roofing a church before the rain season begins. Pray for the right people with the skills and time to come forward. Pray for God's provision.

**3** VIC – Please pray for our Fundraising Dinner on 22nd April, pray for the final preparations to come together, pray many people will attend and that they would be generous in their support. Pray the night would be a blessing to everyone who comes.

**4** TAS – Praise God for the many requests that have come that will keep us busy until the end of September. Please pray for volunteers for each team that will be needed to complete these projects.

**5** TAS – Please pray for our two projects happening in April. Pray for volunteers who are still needed for the second job. Pray God would bring together a great team. Pray God's hand on both projects and that they would truly be a blessing and encouragement to the organisation's we serving.

**6** WA - Pray for the planning and organising of the MMM WA Celebration Dinner. Pray for a venue, volunteers to cook and for a speaker for the event. Pray for wisdom on the date and for it to all come together in a timely manner.

**7** NSW – Pray for the team working on the Abundant Life Church project in Cowra April 17th – 21st. Pray for God's blessing on the team, for all the planning required and for safety as they work.

**8** NT - Continue to pray for our upcoming project in the Maningrida community for May 2023. Pray for the planning and production stages of the Bible Translation Centre to be built. Pray for God's guidance every step of the way. Pray for the team of volunteers coming together to work on this incredible project.

**9** NSW - Pray for the right person/couple to come forward who God is calling to fulfil the role of Region Manager/s. Pray they would have the skills and time to commit to the role. Pray for God's hand to be on this and for His perfect timing.

**10** QLD - Pray for wisdom and guidance as the team plans jobs for later in the year. We have capacity to take on a few more projects, please pray that any churches with maintenance needs would be led to MMM and applications can be finalised.

**11** WA – Please pray for Hendrik Alberts (Committee Chair) and the medical conditions he has been suffering. Pray for healing. Pray God continues to give him strength and comfort during this challenging time. Pray for his wife Irene as she supports him.

**12** Pray God would show us ways to draw younger generations in to volunteer and work with MMM Australia. Pray for opportunities to speak and share, pray for favour with those we speak to. Pray God would grow us an organisation and increase our impact for His Kingdom.

**13** QLD – Please continue to pray for the Longreach job which is starting April 24th. Pray for safe travels and God's protection, pray all the planning would come together and that the team would be blessed in the time together as they serve on this project.

**14** Pray for new volunteers needed throughout the mission for projects and other activities. Pray God would stir the hearts of those He is calling to come and serve Him through the work being done at MMM.

**15** We are very thankful for James Lacey our CEO. He's already been a huge blessing to MMM Australia. Please continue to pray for him, for wisdom and discernment, for blessing and provision, for health and for his family.

**16** WA - Praise God for Laurie Hannah a Prayer Warrior who gets up every morning at 4am to pray for MMM and other missions and family. He celebrated his 90th Birthday recently; pray God's blessings over him.

**17** Pray for each of our Region Managers: Geoff Jarvis (VIC/ SA), Paul Barnham (Interim - NSW), John & Anne Cooper (QLD), Shane & Ruth Goelst (TAS), Trevor & Karen Beard (WA). Pray for wisdom as they lead and pray for personal time to sit and spend with God.

**18** NT – Continue to pray as we consider how we can have a greater presence and impact in the Northern Territory and the many needs we can help with. Pray for God's leading, wisdom and insight as to the direction He would have us take. Pray for opportunities to arise for us to do so.

**19** TAS - Thank God for His provision and blessings. We are so grateful for the guys who were willing to come and work on the MMM centre driveway in the heat, for the provision of rock and for Matthew and his digger.

**20** Pray for all our National Office Staff and volunteers as they work behind the scenes in the administration tasks of MMM. Pray God's blessing and protection on them and their families.

John 11:25a (NIV)  
Jesus said to her,  
"I am the resurrection and the life."

## Remembering Jesus Sacrifice

Happy Easter! This is one of my favourite times of the year where we remember what Jesus has done for us and the incredible gift of salvation we have because of His sacrifice.

Easter is a particularly special time of the year for my little family. Many of you know our testimony of the miracle God blessed us with, in the birth of our baby girl Daphne. What you may not know is the incredible timing in which it happened. To give a little back story, 8 years ago we lost a baby girl halfway through my pregnancy. She passed away on Easter Friday of that year. It was a devastating journey to go through. As I grieved her passing, I pondered greatly on the fact that on that same day many years ago, Jesus, the Son of God also passed away. Sacrificing His very life for our sins.

Matthew 27:45-46 & 50 <sup>45</sup> *From noon until three in the afternoon darkness came over all the land.* <sup>46</sup> *About three in the afternoon Jesus cried out in a loud voice, "Eli, Eli, lema sabachthani?" (which means "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?").* <sup>50</sup> *And when Jesus had cried out again in a loud voice, he gave up his spirit.*

1 year ago, also on Easter Friday, Daphne made her way into the world, exactly 7 years after the Easter Friday her big sister passed away. It also happened to be right on her Daddy's birthday! I felt God's hand was in every detail, she was meant to be here. It truly was a miracle.

Easter is both a time of sadness, as we consider what Jesus suffered and the life He sacrificed, but it is also a time of new life. He rose from the dead on the third day, He overcame death and the curtain in the temple was torn. We now have direct access to God through Jesus. When we believe in Him and turn away from our sinful life, we become a new creation.

John 11: 25-26 <sup>25</sup> *Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die;* <sup>26</sup> *and whoever lives by believing in me will never die. Do you believe this?"*

Bless you

Robyn Fedrick National Prayer Coordinator

### MMM International Alliance

This month we focus our prayers on the work of MMM in New Zealand & Thailand.

### MMM New Zealand

Pray for the MMM New Zealand Conference for staff and volunteers; being held in Christchurch for staff and volunteers; April 28-30. Pray that it is a great time of growth and fellowship for all who attend.

Praise God for Taylor and Sam the two new apprentice interns who have signed up for the year with MMM New Zealand. Pray that they enjoy their time working alongside MMM teams and are inspired by the amazing missions, ministries and churches we serve.

Pray for Chris McLean and his wife Jen who are leading a mobile team with MMM on the North Island, alongside Robyn and Marty McKone currently serving in the Auckland area. Pray for them as they travel and for safety on projects.

### MMM Thailand

Please pray for Pailta as she runs a summer camp this April hoping to raise more funds for the new school building. She is still needing 300,000 Baht and hopes to make 30,000 from this camp. Please pray a lot of kids will sign up for the camp. Staff, teachers and volunteer Christians in this camp will proclaim God's love through words and actions. Pray God will multiply and provide the rest of the funds miraculously.

Praise God that we are taking back God's land to build Hilltop building to use for God's glory and bless the locals.

Pray for MMM Thailand board members and MMM's work to impact and change lives of those we meet and interact with.

Pray for Pedro's wisdom, strength and good health to keep serving God through MMM.

Pray we will fix our eyes on the one and only true living God, For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.



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