- NORTHERN SAFARI Pray that the Halls Creek project will be successfully completed by 4th July.
- 2 NORTHERN SAFARI Pray for safety as the team travels to Darwin. That they are able to enjoy a good break before starting the two week project planned at St James Anglican. Pray that the project is at the right stage for the Team to do the fit out and completion.
- **3** SOUTHERN SAFARI Praise God for the safe and successful completion of the Safari and for quickly resolving the three mechanical problems that arose. Each one occurred where help and parts were available.
- 4 Pray for the health and safety of all our volunteers as we head into the winter season in Australia.
- **5** VIC/SA Pray for the Committee as they begin planning and organising the MMM SA Dinner to be held 6th September.
- 6 BUILD-A-BOND— Pray for Ian Graham and James Lacey as they seek to obtain more projects for the team.
- **7** TAS Pray for the project at Longford Anglican, that any outstanding work will be finished, and future work can be planned for Spring/Summer.
- **8** QLD Continue to pray for Trish Baade that her pregnancy will be free of complications.
- **9** QLD Pray for the last garage sale fundraiser that MMM QLD will be hosting, on 11-12th July. Pray that as many items as possible will sell and that there will be minimal rubbish to take to the tip afterwards.
- 10 NSW Pray God will provide volunteers to take leadership of upcoming projects and for a team to support them.
- **11** NORTHERN SAFARI Pray for protection from vandalism and theft.

- 12 Pray for the organising committee of our 50th Anniversary to be held in Victoria, on Saturday 4th October this year. Pray that we'll be able to make contact with all who would want to be a part of this celebration and that the event will be well attended.
- 13 NSW Praise God for the work carried out at West Wallsend and Bethshan in June, and thank Him for keeping our teams safe and healthy. Pray for these two communities and for the new Church plant at West Wallsend.
- 14 TAS Pray for Shane and Ruth Goelst for wisdom and discernment as they visit churches who have requested work to be done in the Spring/Summer season.
- 15 NORTHERN SAFARI Praise God for the work carried out in June at St Pauls Anglican, Katherine, Bulla Tabernacle and Halls Creek Aboriginal Gospel Church. Pray for the ongoing impact of these churches in their communities.
- $16\,\mathrm{WA}$ Pray for the scheduling of two projects in Coolgardie and Geraldton and for volunteers to carry out the work who are available to travel to these places.
- 17 BUILD-A-BOND Praise God for the surprise provision of a pallet jack, which can now be sold to raise funds for future projects.
- 18 NSW Pray for those volunteers who are struggling with health issues; John Blade, John Kroon, Bruce Collard and Greg Jackson. In particular pray for wisdom regarding a diagnosis for Greg who has been unwell since Christmas.



Psalm 3 v4 (NIV)

"...I call out to the Lord and He answers me..."

- 19 QLD- Pray for safe travels for interstate volunteers coming up to help with different projects in Queensland.
- **20**WA Praise God and give thanks for a wonderful Dinner. There has been so much positive feedback and encouragement. The 80 who attended were blessed with testimonies from both clients, volunteers and the work of MMM
- **21** WA- Pray for Trevor Beard who is undertaking medical tests. Pray for God's presence, guidance and healing.
- **22** Please pray for the National office staff. Praise God for our volunteers who give their time generously to help keep our IT under control and iron out any bugs that occur.

Continue to pray for ongoing protection over all our IT and office equipment.

- **23** Pray for all those in the MMM network who are struggling with health issues, that they will know God's comfort, peace, strength and healing.
- **24** QLD Praise God for the ongoing boat project for Restore Mission, and the progress that's being made. Pray that God will continue to give wisdom and finances to the project.



He Hears & He Understands

In May we welcomed another family member. It has been lovely to see him being held by his proud parents. So full of hopes and dreams for their little boy.

Unfortunately children are not born with guarantees for making us happy or fulfilling our dreams for them. Each one is born with a genetic make up unique to them. The influences that shape them along their life journey, will be both positive and negative. What they hold onto as truth will be largely determined by them and what they choose to believe. We can share our faith, we can make sure our children are included in a supportive Godly church environment, and we can even send them to a Christian school, but that doesn't quarantee our children will choose to follow Christ.

This morning, I was reading about King David, a man devoted to God, but with a very messy home life. Mind you, when you have numerous wives/ concubines and children, not surprising! David's Godliness certainly didn't filter down to all his sons. You may recall the story of Absalom (from II Samuel) who wanted his father, David's, kingdom for himself and set out with his supporters to kill David and the people loyal to him. Again, David found himself flee-

ing for his life as he had done from King Saul earlier.

How crushed David must have felt by the betrayal of his son. However, when Absalom was finally killed by David's men, David mourned him deeply. Despite all the hurt his son had caused him, Ďavid still loved him

How do you handle that kind of pain? Just like David did...... you pour it out to God (Psalm 3: 3-4 "But you, LORD, are a shield around me, my glory, the One who lifts my head high. I call out to the LORD, and he answers me from his holy mountain").

God understands completely the pain caused by erring children.

God bless

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MMM International Alliance

Please pray for the work of the Centres in the MMM International Alliance

MMM Fiji

Praise God for the great team of local guys helping on projects. Pray they will be encouraged to grow in faith and building knowledge and skills.

Pray for patience, strength and wisdom for Roy and Rachael as they lead MMM projects in Fiji with teams and projects always changing. Pray that they will know what projects to take on and which ministries need most help

MMM New Zealand

Continue to pray for new Director, Steven Senn, and Administrator, Jeanette Russell as they settle into their new roles. Pray Steven will have clear insight to lead the ministry forward with wisdom, focus and favour.

MMM Zambia

Pray for Florence as she heads up the Zambia division of MMM.

MMM South Africa

Pray for the Gisoro Health Centre project now scheduled to take place mid August. Also two other projects in conjunction with EMI and respective donors.

Pray for Neil as he travels from 29th June, for five weeks on MMM business.

Praise God for new Board member, Jurg van Dyk, that he will be blessed and will be a blessing in this role. Pray also for MMM South Africa generally, that God will make the way forward clear.

MMM Thailand

Pray for Pedro and the work he carries out so diligently on behalf of MMM.

Pray for TangMo who will be taking over Palita's role shortly.

Pray for James Lacey and Andy McCulloch as they make plans to visit the work in Thailand late July.

Continue to pray for wisdom regarding the development of the MMM property.

MMM Hong Kong

Pray for the Board as they seek ways to grow the work in Hong Kong.



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