

**1** Robyn Fedrick (*our National Prayer Coordinator*) – Pray for Robyn as she copes with severe morning sickness. Pray for her continued health and for strength as she nurtures the life growing within. Pray for an end to this sickness and a return to feeling the joy of life.

**2** Pray for all our faithful project volunteers across the nation, that God will provide the resources, time, and energy to go above and beyond the call in serving with the gifts and talents God has freely given. Give thanks for their faithful service.

**3** Pray for Board Chair Dale Richardson to know the leading and guiding of the Holy Spirit as he leads the Board in the governance of MMM Australia. Give thanks for his availability and willingness to serve on the Board. Pray for both Dale and Rose to know the rest so necessary in their busy lives.

**4** Give thanks for Josh and Trish Baade who serve full time in the Queensland team. Pray for their finances, that God will miraculously provide for every need. Pray for their witness as they share the work of MMM in churches and groups where MMM is serving.

**5** Praise God for Shane & Ruth Goelst serving as region managers in Tasmania. Pray for them as they lead the busy schedule for the rest of this year. Pray for wisdom and insight as issues arise. Pray for rest and relaxation even in the busyness of life.

**6** Give thanks for Craig Goldsmith as he serves on the MMM Board and chairs the Audit and Risk Committee of the Board. Pray for wisdom and insight as we finalise the Audited accounts for 2020/21. Pray for Craig and his wife Kerrie as they serve God in their community.

**7** Continue to pray for Geoff Jarvis as he relocates to the western region of Victoria to better serve the Victoria & South Australia region. Pray for God's peace and guidance as he works through issues and sets up his base in Colac. Pray for His finances that God will provide for all his needs.

**8** Pray for Trevor and Karen Beard as they lead the mission in Western Australia. Pray for clear direction for Trevor as he guides the various activities in the west. Pray for opportunities to share the stories of MMM in churches and communities around Perth. Pray for the blessing of finances as they serve together.

**9** Pray for Board member Andy McCulloch in his role as a director of Global Interaction (Baptist Missions), pray for leading and guidance as he works on policy for MMM. Pray for Andy and Wendy as they deal with lockdown pressures in Melbourne. Pray the whole family will know God's richest blessings.

**10** Give thanks for the faithful service of John and Anne Cooper as region managers in Queensland. Pray for Anne as she works with remote communities across Queensland, and pray for John as he leads the Queensland project teams. Pray for strength, and endurance for both as they serve God.

**11** Praise God for the great work done by Ian Dawson as our national WH&S Coordinator. Pray for Ian as he monitors the constantly changing legislative landscape of WH&S across Australia. Pray for wisdom and insight as he keeps us up to date with WH&S compliance.

**12** Give thanks for the fabulous service of Rachel Littlechild as she serves as PA to our CEO. Pray for Rachel and Chris as they are in the middle of home extensions during lockdown in Melbourne. Pray that their extensions are completed on time. Pray that Rachel finds great peace in the middle of a busy schedule.

**13** Praise God for the skills and gifting of Matthew Smith who has served on the MMM Australia Board for 11 years. Pray for blessing and prosperity in His business and on his family. Pray for wisdom as he guides and advises on our investment strategies to bear much fruit.

**14** Pray for fundraising opportunities to come to fruition even as this pandemic continues. Pray for creative ideas for our fundraising volunteers to be able to safely and effectively run events and activities. Pray for a great return for their efforts and for God to open the heavenly provisions.

**15** Pray for our CEO Terrence Baxter as he continues to navigate the organisation through the labyrinth of the Covid Pandemic. Pray for strength and endurance along with wisdom and insight into safe and risk free processes to continue our operations across the nation.

**16** Pray for Flora Fung as she serves as our Finance Administrator. Pray for the richest of blessings as she guides and administers our finances on a weekly basis. Pray for good health, and great blessing as she assists in this vital role.

**17** Uphold Paul Bradley (Board Member) who is based in Sydney. Pray for great blessing on his business that allows him to serve so faithfully. Pray for the riches of God's grace to be upon him, and his family. Pray for prosperity and fruitfulness in all he undertakes.

**18** Pray for Rod Heape in Western Australia. Praise God for his faithful service to MMM as a full time volunteer for over 30 years. Pray for a full recovery from recent surgery, that he would know strength and vitality again. Pray good health and personal blessing.

**19** Pray for the finances necessary to cover all of our planned budget for 2021/22. Pray that God will challenge the hearts of business leaders, church leaders, and individuals to sow into the ministry of MMM. Pray for an open heaven in our finances.

**20** Pray for new 'full time' and 'part time' volunteers for the mission. Pray for every area of need across the organisation to have the right people to serve with vigour and passion to see His kingdom extended.

**Philemon 1: 4 (NIV)**

*"I always thank my God  
as I remember you in my prayers."*

## Making Mention of You

I'm drawn to the passionate letter Paul wrote to the household of Philemon concerning the runaway slave Onesimus, particularly the insight of Paul mentioning them specifically in his prayers.

Philemon 1: 4-7 (NASB)

*<sup>4</sup>I thank my God always, making mention of you in my prayers, <sup>5</sup>because I hear of your love and of the faith which you have toward the Lord Jesus and toward all the saints; <sup>6</sup>and I pray that the fellowship of your faith may become effective through the knowledge of every good thing which is in you for the sake of Christ. <sup>7</sup>For I have had great joy and comfort in your love, because the hearts of the saints have been refreshed through you, brother.*

There is something significant in praying specifically and purposefully for needs, especially for people, bringing their name before the throne of God. Firstly, it helps us focus, and secondly brings their personal situation before God with a specific request. It also builds a bond of love and faith between us and those we are praying for.

This month we are praying for our leaders and those in full time ministry with MMM. Can I encourage you to name them specifically when you pray. Bring them before the throne of God and pray for their walk, their needs, and their ministry. Some you will know personally; others will perhaps just be a name to you. Pray with a passion that is born out of faith, and grounded in love. Pray that the Holy Spirit will lead and guide you as you open your heart to God.

Each of these people have different needs, and will be facing different personal situations. Each has a specific ministry through MMM. Pray that God enriches their ministry and causes blessing to overflow in their life and ministry.

We will of course also be praying for some critical areas of need in MMM. Pray with the same passion and confidence that God will provide for these needs as you pray.

May God bless and lead you,

Terrence Baxter (for Robyn Fedrick)

Devotion

## MMM International

### MMMIA Board

Pray for the MMM IA Annual General Meeting which will be held via Zoom on October 22<sup>nd</sup>. Pray for Shane Prior as he leads the Board and chairs the AGM to know wisdom.

### Thailand

Pray for the safety of all MMM staff and Board members as a significant wave of Covid infections sweeps across the Thai nation.

Pray for Pedro as he continues assisting the various Christian groups with their building maintenance and construction needs.

Pray for Palita as she continues to serve MMM as our office manager as well as administering her English school in Chiang Rai. Pray for safety and for personal finances.

### Hong Kong

Pray for Charles Lo in his role as Board Chairman. Pray for a boldness in strategy that can only come from God. Pray for wisdom to know when God directs the next thing is to step out in faith.

Pray for new finances to bless the work of the ministry in every area of service,

### New Zealand

Pray for Howard Robinson as National Director that he will know good health, great strength, and long endurance to stay the course and guide the organisation with a steady arm.

Pray for Doug Carson as Board Chair, to know blessing upon blessing for his faithfulness and unswerving dependence on God alone.

### South Africa

Pray for Neil Eichstadt to know protection from the coronavirus infections sweeping the nation. Praise God for a successful completion of the project at Kuma in Tanzania and give thanks for safe travels and protection during this last visit to the site.

### Zambia

Pray for the Board transition taking place in MMM Zambia, that it will be a smooth and trouble free transition of responsibility. Pray that an effective and supporting Board can be established to see the work grow and flourish under the leadership of National Director, Florence N-Kaniki.



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