

Prayer Partner

July 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>1 Praise God for the safe arrival of all the building material for the Alta-1 College school building. Thank God for the two builders who donated their time for the refurbishment of the old TX building.</p>	<p>2 Pray for Alta-1 Business Manager Kevin Thomson and his wife Angela, who will be the first teacher at the Kununurra Alta-1 school. Pray for them as they are conducting interviews for assistants and students.</p>	<p>3 Pray for Brent and Shelley Weeks as they travel to Brisbane today with their family visiting from Canada. Pray for safe travels and a great time of fun spent together.</p>	<p>4 On this missionwide Day of Prayer and Praise, please pray for the teams in Central Asia this (northern) summer to serve medical partners in the region. Pray that God would bless them and keep them safe.</p>	<p>5 Pray for our weekly Javanese broadcasts. Javanese is a language spoken in Indonesia by approx. 112 million people. Pray that many would be blessed as they hear the gospel in their own language.</p>	<p>6 Thank God for Reach Beyond's UK Millside Centre, reaching out to needy people in the community. Pray especially for their ministry to women who are suffering domestic violence.</p>	<p>7 Pray for the staff and volunteers at the Kilsyth office as they switch to a new donor relations system. Pray for a smooth transition to this new system and the wisdom to know how to use it to its full capacity.</p>
<p>8 Thank God for the release of <i>Beyond Borders</i> – the story of Reach Beyond Australia. Pray that it will encourage and inspire many in their pursuit of God and the journey He has for each one of us.</p>	<p>9 Pray for Stephen Sutherland's work load as he prepares the old TX building to be converted into a school building and assists the Peru team with their transmitter breakdown, as well as attending to his many day-to-day tasks.</p>	<p>10 Pray for our weekly Meitei language broadcasts. Meitei is spoken by approx. 1.5 million speakers from five people groups living in Manipur, North-East India.</p>	<p>11 Pray for the Board Meeting in Kununurra today. Pray for the Lord's wisdom and guidance for the board members as they make decisions for future projects and the direction of Reach Beyond.</p>	<p>12 Pray for our CEO Dale Stagg for the Lord's continued blessing, health, wisdom and guidance on him as he leads Reach Beyond Australia.</p>	<p>13 Praise God for final government approval for a station in Northern Thailand. Our Thai radio partner can now make plans to train radio announcers and set a launch date for broadcasts to begin.</p>	<p>14 Thank God for the volunteers who have joined the Kununurra team recently. Pray for good interaction, fellowship and fun as they serve God together.</p>
<p>15 Pray for Chairman of the board, Paul Mock, that God will lead and guide him as he fulfils his role on the board of Reach Beyond.</p>	<p>16 Pray for the impact of our weekly Bhojpuri broadcasts. Bhojpuri is spoken by approx. 50 million people from 33 people groups. Pray that many lives would be transformed through hearing the gospel.</p>	<p>17 Pray for the students who will be starting at the Alta-1 College this month. Pray for a peaceful, happy and smooth beginning to their school term.</p>	<p><i>“Thank you, thank you, thank you, for never giving up on me and for always having faith in me when I didn't have faith in myself.”</i></p> <p>Alyssa V – Alta-1 College ex student</p>			

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			<p>18 Praise God for the great start to the maternal and health care clinic based in one of the Rohingya refugee camps in Bangladesh. In the first two weeks, the clinic served over 700 people.</p>	<p>19 Pray for God's blessing on our Bangladesh partners as they continue operating the Rohingya refugee medical clinic and for the required government permission so we can continue to send medical personnel to assist.</p>	<p>20 Pray for the technical teams in Kilsyth and Kununurra as they work on improved synchronisation of our broadcast audio systems between the two locations.</p>	<p>21 Pray for our weekly English broadcasts reaching into Southern Asia – including Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal and Sri Lanka. Asia has over 800 million people who speak the English language.</p>	
<p>22 Pray for safety and wisdom for Media Manager Jonas Santos as he travels to Myanmar to meet with Burmese program producers and prospective new ministry partners.</p>	<p>23 Pray for Brenda Uwubuntu as she departs for Rwanda, Africa. Thank God for the partnership with ChristianityWorks helping African Christian radio stations become self-sustaining.</p>	<p>24 Pray for the impact of our weekly Dzongkha broadcasts. Dzongkha is spoken by five people groups in Bhutan where Buddhism is the predominant religion (86% of the population).</p>	<p>25 Pray for wisdom and clarity for Greg Peacock as he considers the mission's ongoing needs for volunteers and staffing requirements at the Kununurra site.</p>	<p>26 Thank God for Neill Dart who has recovered well and is back at his tasks in the Kilsyth office. Pray for God's strength and wisdom in all he does.</p>	<p>27 Thank God for the answer to prayer for Christopher and Dolly Kirubakaran – their New Zealand visa application has been approved for a further two years.</p>	<p>28 Pray for board member Stephen Coleman, that the Lord will give him wisdom and strength as he fulfils his role on the board as Deputy Chairman.</p>	
<p>29 Pray for the impact our Light Up a Village project is having. Pray that many will tune in to hear the gospel message in their own language on the radios provided and respond to the message of salvation.</p>	<p>30 Pray for our weekly Marwari broadcasts. Marwari is the main language of the Indian state of Rajasthan and is spoken by approx. 934,000 people.</p>	<p>31 Pray for an increase in finances for the ministry, so that the gospel will continue to be broadcast to the unreached people groups of the world. <i>(Kilsyth offices pictured right)</i></p>				<p>PO Box 291, Kilsyth, Vic 3137 Phone 1300 653 853 Email meloffice@reachbeyond.org.au Web www.reachbeyond.org.au</p>	
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		<p><i>“He performs wonders that cannot be fathomed, miracles that cannot be counted.”</i> Job 5:9 (NIV)</p>	<p>1 On this missionwide Day of Prayer and Praise, please pray for all of our program partners across South East Asia. Pray for good health, wisdom and protection on them and their families as they serve the Lord.</p>	<p>2 Pray for our Finance Manager Nicholas Yap as he prepares the financial records for the annual auditors’ visit. Thank God for him and his faithful service to the mission.</p>	<p>3 Pray for Stephen and Kathy Sutherland as they farewell their son Jonathan who is leaving Kununurra to study in the US. Pray for safety as Kathy travels with Jonathan to get him settled.</p>	<p>4 Pray for our Chhattisgarhi programs, broadcasting every week to India. Chhattisgarhi is spoken by approx. 15 million people from 10 people groups. Pray for many to respond to Jesus through these programs.</p>
<p>5 Pray for board member Peter Letchford as serves with Reach Beyond. Pray that he would be blessed as he gives of his time to serve the mission.</p>	<p>6 Pray for the impact of our weekly Himachali broadcasts – mainly spoken in Himachal Pradesh, an Indian state. There are three unreached people groups who speak Himachali as their main language.</p>	<p>7 Pray for safe travel for the volunteers coming to attend to the many tasks needing completion at the Kununurra site. Pray for their safety and health as many won’t be accustomed to the heat and harsh environment.</p>	<p>8 Praise God for Alan and Carol Bickell who have spent three years in Kununurra attending to property maintenance and administration. Pray for the Lord’s leading for the next chapter in their future adventures.</p>	<p>9 Pray for the staffing needs of Kununurra to be filled. This is a critical time, with many projects and things commencing, where God’s supply and provision will be required.</p>	<p>10 Pray for the Sunday tours held each week in Kununurra. Pray that as each person tours the site and sees God’s provision, their hearts will be touched and they will become supporters of Reach Beyond.</p>	<p>11 Continue to pray for Florence Judd as she is resettling here in Australia. Pray for strength and good health as she travels to various speaking engagements in churches and home groups.</p>
<p>12 Thank God for the Reach Beyond trainers in Cambodia. Our team is involved in training workshops for local radio announcers. Pray for God’s blessing on all those participating.</p>	<p>13 Thank God for Mark Hodgekiss, our new Compliance and WHS Officer at Kununurra. Pray he settles into the role and the different environment in far north Western Australia.</p>	<p>14 Pray for Patrick McCabe as he prepares to visit Kununurra for a few weeks to work on critical upgrades to our internet and networking equipment to facilitate our operations and those of the Alta-1 College.</p>	<p>15 Pray for our weekly Tamil broadcasts. Tamil is spoken by approx. 75 million people from 115 people groups across India and is also spoken by many people in Sri Lanka.</p>	<p>16 Continue to pray for Ps Aung Win who partners with us by distributing radios and leading a team from Yangon to reach the Matu speaking people.</p>		

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			<p><i>“Sir, we are listening to your program regularly and thank you for talking about the true life of Christ. Thank you for your Christian love ...there are many that need deliverance from bondage. Please send us books in Tamil, we want to distribute it in our college.”</i></p> <p>A Listener to our Tamil Programs</p>		<p>17 Pray for God’s protection over the Rohingya refugees. Pray that God will continue to open doors for us and our partners to be able to share the love and hope of Jesus with them.</p>	<p>18 Pray for workers to come forward to be able to staff the medical clinic in Bangladesh and pray for God’s wisdom over our team to be able to minister to and serve the Rohingya people well.</p>
<p>19 Give thanks for the ongoing and growing distribution of the daily devotional booklet FRESH in the Tamil language in India. Pray that it will continue to build the faith of many.</p>	<p>20 Thank God for the churches in New Zealand who are partnering together to reach Indian immigrants with the gospel using low-powered FM broadcasts.</p>	<p>21 Pray for the impact of our weekly Malayalam broadcasts. Malayalam is the primary language of 35 million people from 101 people groups, predominantly from the Indian state of Kerala.</p>	<p>22 Pray for Kazuo Ozaki, our Japanese language producer. Kazuo has served with Reach Beyond for nearly 50 years. Pray for his continued health and strength in producing these programs.</p>	<p>23 Pray for board member David Solomon that he would be blessed as he gives his time to serve on the board of Reach Beyond.</p>	<p>24 Continue to pray for the impact of all the Indian ministries who produce our gospel programs in 18 languages shared via shortwave to millions in the Asia Pacific region.</p>	<p>25 Thank God for all of our shortwave broadcasts and listeners. One listener said, ‘By listening to the radio I accepted Jesus as my Saviour.’ Pray that many more will hear and accept Jesus into their lives.</p>
<p>26 Pray for the weekly Oriya broadcasts which are impacting people in the Indian state of Odisha and adjoining regions. Oriya is the primary language of 34 million people from 192 people groups.</p>	<p>27 Pray for Ken Lingwood, our Frequency Manager, who is currently in Slovakia negotiating frequencies for the B18 broadcast season. Pray for safe travel and for the process of securing frequencies to go smoothly.</p>	<p>28 Pray for Wolfgang Brinkmann who is assisting our Research Team to develop a language strategy to reach more unreached people groups. He will also be in Slovakia with Ken Lingwood.</p>	<p>29 Pray for Jonas Santos, Shelley Weeks and Ian Albury as they commence the task of scheduling programs for the next 6 monthly broadcast season (B18). This schedule will begin airing on 28 October.</p>	<p>30 Pray for Adrian Olney as he prepares for the annual Reach Beyond Golf Day on 23 November. Pray that it will be a great time of raising awareness and funds for the Rohingya refugees in Bangladesh.</p>	<p>31 As religious freedom becomes restricted, pray for Christians in Bangladesh who face increased persecution and oppression. Pray that they receive hope and transformation through our broadcasts.</p>	