

Prayer and Praise Cont.

- 29 S **May Mission Month** Pray for God's Spirit to be at work in the lives of people considering a call to intercultural mission service.
- 30 M **Papua** Pray for the Theological Colleges and training programs preparing local people for ministry leadership. Lift up the facilitators and students as they grow and learn together.
- 31 T **Papua New Guinea** Pray for the Baptist Union of PNG as they seek to train church leaders. Pray for God's provision through the generosity of Australia believers to enable more people to complete this important training.

Local Mission Story Andrew, Western Australia



Watch Andrew's video by scanning the QR code or going to <https://vimeo.com/703577815>

Andrew Hamilton is a Pastor at Quinns Baptist Church in WA and an avid surfer. In his video, Andrew shares how he meets people where they are in his everyday life. It's a wonderful encouragement for all of us that, most of time, mission isn't about the big, spectacular moments. Instead, it's about the everyday moments that we choose to invite Jesus into.

Locally and globally, mission is about taking the ordinary opportunities the Spirit opens for us to step out and cross the street with the hope of Jesus.

As you pray for our intercultural teams around the world, we also lift up you and your church community's local mission engagement. Wherever we are, let's be praying for more crossing the street moments as we live as sent followers of Jesus.



2022
May Mission Month

Prayer Guide

Thurs 12 May - Tues 31 May

This special edition of News & Prayer is part two of the May Mission Month 2022 prayer guide.

Throughout this two part guide, there are prayer points for each Baptist Mission Australia ministry location as well as May Mission Month related prayer points for each Sunday.

Thank you for praying!

Your prayers sustain our teams and open doors for the Gospel to the shared.

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- 12 T **South East Asia** Praise God for the impact of the Education Foundation as local people are employed, trained and invited into a space where the good news of Jesus can be explored.
- 13 F **South East Asia** Pray for the team as they journey with local believers and seekers. Pray for Ally, Ando, Kate and Mike as they settle into life in South East Asia and invest in their culture and language learning.
- 14 S **Indochina** Lift up the people of Indochina. Pray for God's Spirit to grow a new curiosity to hear about Jesus in the hearts of many.
- 15 S **May Mission Month** Give thanks for the passionate and faithful women and men who advocate for our workers and ministry in their churches.
- 16 M **Indochina** Pray for Mark and Ngoc as they parent their baby daughter Maia. Pray for clarity and God's wisdom as they re-establish a ministry among people with disabilities.
- 17 T **Thailand** Pray for the local believers and faith leaders. Give thanks for their testimonies and pray that they will keep reaching out to their community with the hope of Jesus.
- 18 W **Thailand** Pray for protection and good health for the team in Thailand. Pray for God's guidance as they seek to build relationships with people of peace.
- 19 T **Cambodia** Pray for healing for Khmer people who remain scarred from past trauma. Pray for communities to be wholistically transformed through experiencing God's love through word and deed.
- 20 F **Cambodia** Pray for the team in Cambodia as they embark on new ministry initiatives. Pray for opportunities to build rich relationships with Khmer people through this work.
- 21 S **Outback Australia** Give thanks for the faithful First Nations church leaders who are discipling the next generation.
- 22 S **May Mission Month** Pray for growing awareness about what God is doing around the world, particularly through our teams.
- 23 M **Outback Australia** Pray for the team as they walk alongside local believers. Lift up Mat, Shannon and their four children as the only team members who live in Outback Australia.
- 24 T **Urban and Regional Australia** Pray for this new ministry location as Daniel, and Siddique and Fozia prepare to serve among communities in NSW.
- Pray for churches and individuals to partner with this work.
- 25 W **Zambia** Pray for church leaders to be equipped, trained and sustained. Pray for God's provision and protection for those in need.
- 26 T **Zimbabwe** Pray for children and young people to grow up knowing their identity in Christ. Pray for God to raise up the next generation of faith leaders.
- 27 F **Bangladesh** Lift up the Bangladesh Baptist Church Fellowship and pray that they will grow in numbers and faith.
- 28 S **India** Pray for the local church to be empowered to reach out to their neighbours with the Gospel. Pray for many more to meet Jesus and follow Him in their own distinctive ways.