

Going Deeper – October 2018

Dear Friends,

Welcome to the October edition of Going Deeper. Thank you for your prayers and support for our partners. It is greatly appreciated.

Australia - Indigenous Ministries

Pray For:

- Global Mission Partners pays tribute to former staff members of the Australian Churches of Christ Indigenous Ministries (ACCIM) whose lives were celebrated in the past few weeks. Don Oakes, Laurie Errington, Bill Hetherington and Frank Johnson. We send sympathy and prayers for comfort to the families of these men and give thanks to God for their commitment to ministry and to the Indigenous people of Australia.

Fiji - Bruce Edwards

Pray For:

- Alexander Kumar who has been overseeing the new church plant in Cunningham near Suva. He is currently unconscious in the Intensive Care Unit in hospital in Suva with a severe bloodstream infection.

India - Hosanna Ministries, Danny Gaikwad

Praise God:

- For a good monsoon season this year after drought-like conditions last summer. All our wells are full.
- We held a blessed parent and children's convention organised last month. Many people shared their testimony as to how God saved, healed and blessed them.

Pray For:

- Permission from the local education authority to start eighth grade.
- Encouragement for every staff to carry forward this ministry He has given us.

South Sudan - Christian Mercy International, Paulino Malou

Pray For:

- That the recent agreements will remain as a seal between the government of South Sudan and the rebel group to bring peace to the whole country.
- Peace building workshops and training.

Vietnam - Bright Solutions, Fiona Briers

Praise God:

- Suzanne Hayes (COCOA) visited to work through documents.

Pray For:

- Wisdom in structuring and implementing Bright Solutions Empowerment Program in coming months.
- Team unity. Struggles continue for maintaining group cohesion and unity, especially in the current stressful climate of heavy workloads and deadlines. Pray for solutions that help restore relationships.
- Ongoing appointments and transitions for new staff.