

SIM Australia Praying Together

October / November 2025

OCTOBER 1

Heather Conwell #550963 (Peru)

PREPARING TO GO

Praise God for churches giving me the opportunity to share about God's work in Peru. Give thanks for individuals who are partnering with me in prayer, finances and encouraging me about my future ministry plans. Pray that my financial support target will be met by November so that I can make preparations to leave for Peru in January 2026. Praise Him for His perfect timing!

Jack & Amanda Batchen #550777 (Japan)

PREPARING TO GO

Please pray as we dive into mission support raising and work out further details such as budgets, time goals and visas in preparation for our future ministry and work in Japan.

OCTOBER 2

James & Samantha #054494 (Southeast Asia)

PREPARING TO GO

We would value your prayers for our family's health, for a time of rest and good health. Please also pray for our current season of ministry, that we may show the people we are connecting with God's love.

Samuel & Hayley Wiggins #551027 (France)

PREPARING TO GO

Pray for wisdom in establishing a home-side care and support team. Please pray that God would direct us to have conversations with the right people. Pray also that our mission field placement would be confirmed soon. Praise God for connections we have been making with SIM France team members. Praise God that our home church in Australia has been so supportive of us and our plans.

OCTOBER 3

Alan (& Jaclyn) Millhouse [& Family] #014011 (Australia)

ACROSS

Praise God for the opportunity to travel to regional South Australia and connect with a number of churches and share more about Across. Pray as we share the impact we have made to reach communities in Australia that are yet to hear the Gospel. Pray that our time over there will be fruitful for God's Kingdom and for safe travels. Pray for God's leading for other speaking engagements in the coming weeks.

ACROSS

Angela (& U-Don) Ngiam [& Family] #038615 (Leave of Absence, NSW)

Continue to pray for me as I undertake my Master of Counselling studies this year. Pray for the Freedom to Flourish team as they continue to reach out to refugees in Sydney during my one-year Leave of Absence. Pray also for my health.

OCTOBER 4

Edwin D #048347 (SA)

ACROSS

Please pray for our HUB ministry, and our planned retreat together from October 30 to November 2. The theme for this time will be "Growing Together in Love, with Jesus and His Gospel." Pray for the four adults and

four teens joining the retreat, that they will make a confession to follow Christ and surrender to His Lordship.

Rees #550533 (NSW)

ACROSS

Praise God for new volunteers coming to help run the soccer ministry. Pray for opportunities to connect with other refugee organisations to promote the soccer ministry. Pray also for opportunities to discuss our faith in Jesus with refugees who come regularly.

OCTOBER 5

Nas* #046696 (Australia)

ACROSS

Praise God that our online ministry in North Africa continues to be a way to share God's word and impact the lives of many. Praise God that our ministry is reaching thousands of people in areas where there are no local churches or believers that can share the Good News with them in their country.

Petros* #055071 (Australia)

ACROSS

Give thanks and glory to God for His grace and mercy on persecuted churches in the Middle East. Thank God for His kingdom that expands even in hardship - unstoppable by anything. Pray for the upcoming youth conference - for God's protection and encounter with His chosen generation. Pray for provision of the ten laptops needed for the online churches.

OCTOBER 6

Vinh & Thy [& Family] #048196 (VIC)

ACROSS

Praise God for His transformative work in the lives of those impacted by local ministries in Australia. Pray for fundraising support and for our ministries to the Vietnamese community here and overseas in Southeast Asia. Pray for a positive outcome from ongoing conversations with our supporting church.

Lorenzo & Liliana* #055417

AFRICA

There have been outbreaks of diseases, leishmaniasis and diphtheria, near where we serve. One of Lorenzo's ex-students is now the regional medical officer there and reached out to these communities. Pray for wisdom and good time management as Lorenzo coordinates between the ministry of health, external experts and local health staff. Thank God for opportunities to build relationships in a new area.

OCTOBER 7

Neil & Sil #036264

WEST AFRICA

Praise God for the renewal of our Weno Bible Translation project. Pray that our translators will be protected from illnesses & accidents and continue to grow in their understanding of God's word. Pray that Scripture already translated will be used and widely shared among the local community.

Andrew & Sandra #054237

AFRICA

As we continue in this unexpected 'epilogue' of ministry, please continue to pray for our visa renewals, wisdom, health and strength. Pray that God will help us maximise the opportunities that encourage new levels of learning. Pray also that we can bring greater awareness of the honour-shame dynamics, alongside the challenges of ministering to a very multi-cultural urban church context.

OCTOBER 8

KB #050308

AFRICA

Pray for God's protection and encouragement as our local team is very small, especially with some serving outside of the country. Pray for continued improvement in local language learning, for ministry

direction, local partners and opportunities to contribute to community health education in meaningful ways. Pray for God's wisdom and leading in all that we do and say.

Steve & Beck #046159

AFRICA

Praise God for a productive first term in our town. This has involved learning languages, finding opportunities to build relationships, alongside our work of teaching English and literacy. Pray for the building of a ministry centre for our team and for our visits to West Africa to support our language learning. Pray for good connections with supporters as we travel in NSW and Queensland in October and November.

OCTOBER 9

Pete & Kathryn [& Family] #029533

WEST AFRICA

Pray for doors to open for Pete's art relationships and practice for his creative arts ministry. Pray for wisdom and fruit in church involvement. Pray for encouragement from the Lord. Pray for political stability as the nation enters a high-risk election period. Pray our kids will thrive at school.

Rae #047817

WEST AFRICA

Praise God for a safe arrival and excellent start to the school year. I've really enjoyed getting to know all my students. Pray for wisdom in choosing all the 'extra' activities I get involved with this year.

OCTOBER 10

Robyn Green #044012

ETHIOPIA

Give thanks for new staff to fill the main faculty gaps and pray for them as they plan lessons, manage groups of students and provide opportunities for learning. Pray for the ongoing search for a new school Director. Continue to pray for holistic wellbeing that makes serving in this setting sustainable.

OCTOBER 11

Bethany #031188

WEST AFRICA

In these coming months, our local English Centre is expected to open. Run by our newest mission worker family, the Centre will also be a way for us to connect people with Trauma Healing and provide education about human trafficking. Pray for wisdom in pulling details together and for a good start to the ministry.

OCTOBER 12

Peter & Joanne Ong [& Family] #065045

MALAWI

Give thanks to God that the new Director for SIM Malawi has commenced his role. Pray for the team to adjust well to the transition. Pray for our family as we transition and discern our next steps in ministry.

Ian & Theano Ratcliff [& Family] #055353

KENYA

Give thanks to God for Ian's attendance at the Micah Global Consultation. Pray that the Consultation's outcomes will encourage and inspire SIM workers and partners to engage with Creation Care ministries. Pray for Gospel impact from our September training for faith leaders serving in the slums helping to address trafficking. Pray for Trinity and Ollie as they continue their new school year.

OCTOBER 13

Rowan & Bethany #046484

WEST AFRICA

Pray for Rowan as he begins a new academic year teaching in a theological college. Pray for Bethany as she begins working with local Christian schools to improve quality of teaching.

Janet #039949 WEST AFRICA
Pray that I can remember and apply the Hausa language in the local community. Pray as I continue to teach and make an impact at school and for students to learn well.

OCTOBER 14

Andy & Cathy [& Family] #046672 WEST AFRICA
Please pray for our family as we adapt to life back in Australia. Pray that we will be an encouragement to others as we share with supporters and churches about God's work in West Africa. Pray with us for the team in Galmi Hospital facing malaria season and many logistical challenges.

OCTOBER 15

David & Taryn [& Family] #046157 WEST AFRICA
At the time of writing, we don't know if we'll be allowed to move back to our village in West Africa – please pray about this. Pray for fruitful Gospel connections. Pray for more hospital personnel and rest for overworked doctors. Give thanks that homeschooling is going well. Pray for visa renewals, peace, safety and smooth travel throughout the country.

Anne-Sophie #039339 WEST AFRICA
I am currently in Australia, travelling briefly for my brother's wedding. Grateful to God that I can be with family at this time and have a short break. Pray for the Galmi Hospital team during malaria season, that God would protect and provide.

OCTOBER 16

Phil & Carol #052477 (VIC) WEST AFRICA
In a month's time we hope to have returned to ministry in West Africa. Pray for preparations to leave, for safety in travel whilst away. Pray for flexibility and adaptability to cope with change, be closely listening to the Spirit's leading. Pray that we will also see God going ahead of us preparing the way, and for hearts open to receive God's love in the communities that we will minister to.

Corey & Amber [& Family] #048008 WEST AFRICA
Please pray for us as we settle back into life in Australia. Pray for protection as we travel to catch up with family, friends, supporters and churches. Pray for us as we look to God for our future ministry plans that things would become clear. Praise God for all that we have achieved in West Africa in the last 6.5 years.

OCTOBER 17

Matt #039816 WEST AFRICA
Pray for God's grace each day, that I would be drawing water from the well of salvation and finding my strength in Christ. Pray for continued opportunities to equip local believers to be Gospel-centred. Pray for continued progress in sharing Christ with those who don't yet know Him.

Naomi #035197 WEST AFRICA
Continue to pray for wisdom and guidance for the school leadership team as I serve with them. Pray that God would raise up more teachers to come and join us so that we can continue our ministry and support families of mission workers.

OCTOBER 18

Ben & Antonia [& Family] #045278 WEST AFRICA
Please pray for our visas to arrive before our Home Assignment begins in January. Pray for Antonia's students and classes, and for the school as it struggles with a lack of teachers and students. Pray for Ben that he will see good progress in language learning and find some clarity on ministry roles for our second term in mission.

Elizabeth #054619 WEST AFRICA
Praise God for continued understanding as I undergo my language studies. Pray as I move to a new town that I will be able to settle in quickly. Pray for my team members and I, as we support each other and for good communication between us. Please pray that my language studies will be clear and effective for both myself and those helping me.

OCTOBER 19

Robin #059333 (Australia) WEST AFRICA
Pray for wisdom in ongoing Bible translation checking, in harmonising names and recurring expressions over multiple books. Pray for insights to make sure phrases are expressed simply and clearly. Pray for God's guidance, for eyes on things above and for good translation team rapport. Pray for displaced people in West Africa, that they would find a home and see God's love extended to them.

Emily & M [& Family] #041501 AFRICA
Next month we will travel back to Australia as we await the birth of our twins! Please pray for the church leadership in M's absence and for those taking on the Personnel role as Emily steps down during this season. Praise "God with us" for these gifts and please pray for good health for Emily and the babies.

OCTOBER 20

Rob & D #044617 AFRICA
We're excited to welcome two single ladies to N4 (September/October) - pray for smooth transitions and adjustment. Pray also for growth in a few individuals that Rob is 'mentoring' who are new to our family of peace. Pray for the English Centre as it restarts; may it be a place of fruitfulness and blessing.

Martin & Lid Barley [& Family] #074506 Nigeria
Pray for the Barleys as they prepare for time with family in the USA (December-January 2026) and on Home Assignment in Australia (January-July 2026); for good priorities in these last 2 months in Nigeria, good handover of ministries and good communication with churches/supporters. Pray for unity within the local church and also with the local SIM team.

OCTOBER 21

John & Fiona [& Family] #078857 ASIA
John is attending a conference in Korea this month to mobilise for this field. Pray God will inspire new workers to come to serve from there. We have welcomed three new families to the field in the last six weeks. Pray for their language learning and God's guidance as they decide where to live. Pray that we can make good connections. Pray for wisdom for Fiona as she supports a new local women's network in this country.

Kumar & Dileeni #034481 ASIA
Dileeni has two classes this term: Personal and Spiritual Formation (with Roshi), and Counselling Foundations (with Heather Gingrich). Kumar is teaching Disciple-making Movements & Discovery Bible Study. Pray for Kumar as he joins his six evangelists in Kenya and as they organise and speak at an evangelistic festival.

OCTOBER 22

S and L [& Family] #046041 ASIA
Continue to pray for wisdom with decisions about what strategy we will undertake as we seek to connect with the Fortress people for the sake of Jesus.

OCTOBER 23

Lisa A #048372 ASIA
Please pray for the setting up process of the Youth Development Training Centre. Pray specifically for new skilled teachers and financial support for the running costs of the trainings.

OCTOBER 24

Joung & Tin #051204 ASIA
Praise God for the beautiful relationships we have built with the young people through theological teaching and youth fellowship. Pray for our team's future leaders and stability. May our Lord, the good shepherd, continue to lead the team. Pray for our health, and that we'll continue to serve faithfully and run towards the cross.

Peter & Gennie #053250 ASIA
We've had many prayers answered lately and are thankful to the Lord. We just finished training people here in Trauma Healing and are starting our training in 'How to care well for children' every Sunday for 8 weeks. Pray that God will bring the right people, and they apply what they learn. Pray for energy and wisdom as we balance our workloads.

OCTOBER 25

Josh & Shell [& Family] #037931 (Australia) SOUTHEAST ASIA
Praise God for good progress as we help the water user group in West Timor to develop simple finance, administration and reporting systems. Please pray this is helpful for management and staff. Please also pray that the water network is a blessing for households in the area.

OCTOBER 26

Tanya #038614 SOUTHEAST ASIA
Pray for wisdom for me as I have unexpectedly taken on leadership duties at our school. Pray that I will be able to find new financial supporters.

Jason & Maria #048017 SOUTHEAST ASIA
Praise God for our first field conference, two weeks of rest in Malaysia and four weeks of training in Singapore. Give thanks to God that we have settled back into a routine and for a new academic year for the girls. Pray as we continue to undergo language and culture learning during our first term. Pray for wisdom and Abba's future leading in our second term, as we explore possibilities for moving into communities further up north.

OCTOBER 27

Jacqui Croxon #077234 THAILAND
Praise God for the smooth transition of our community space, Shalom House, to a new neighbourhood where there are significant vulnerabilities and needs. Pray our presence, ministry activities and local church partnerships will bring opportunities to share the hope of Christ here. Pray too as we begin to think about Christmas events and planning.

Mark & Nyomie Meenks [& Family] #051086 THAILAND
Thank God for all He's done while we've been back in Australia. It's been a real joy to be able to see friends and family, and we're thankful for all the new people partnering with us. As we plan to return to Chiang Mai in early November, pray that He would help us prepare to go and resettle back in Thailand well.

OCTOBER 28

Matt & Alisa Tingle [& Family] #040646 THAILAND
Please pray for preparations for the English camp and that many

students will come with open hearts to know Jesus. Please pray for our preparations for Home Assignment.

Ruth Davies #075262 (Leave of Absence) THAILAND
Pray as I take a two-year LOA for my theological studies until the end of 2026. Pray for the Faithful Witness team in Thailand that I serve with, that they will continue to share the hope of the Gospel and establish outreach programs in the community.

OCTOBER 29
Walter Genuit & Andrea Flipse #0550524 THAILAND
We give thanks to God for a good start for Andrea at Grace International School in Chiang Mai. Pray for continued wisdom and growing relationships at the school. Please pray for Walter for his Thai studies, as well God's blessing on the mission team that he joins that visits the local hilltribe villages.

Kira Bambrick #550080 CZECHIA
Pray as I finish my Somatic and Dance Movement Therapy degree to support my ministry. I resume study again this month and will complete it in January. Pray also for motivation and understanding in my language studies and for a workshop weekend that I am directing in October. Please pray for peace and confidence for the team and for it to be a really great time of teaching and a blessing.

OCTOBER 30
Jennie (Pascal) Girard #028734 FRANCE
Jennie has just returned from a Global conference for Healing the Wounds of Trauma (HWT) in Kenya. Praise God for all the exchanges and testimonies of how God is using this tool to restore lives and spiritual health. Pray for the ongoing work of Healing Groups, training facilitators and developing effective resources. Pray for her as she leads the French HWT network into the next stage of growth and structuring through collaboration with the Alliance Biblique Française partner organisation.

Colin & Jill Bakon #002674 SPAIN
The months of July and August were less busy in terms of ministry, however praise God that several youth and university camps took place during this season. Pray that God will work in the hearts of those who attended these camps and for good follow up.

OCTOBER 31
Ros Barnes #024472 HUNGARY
Thank God for the students and chaperones from Christian schools across Europe who participated in the Student Leadership Conferences in September and October. Pray that God would give them wisdom and courage as they lead in their schools and communities. Continue to pray for our brothers and sisters in Ukraine.

NOVEMBER 1
A and R [& Family] #036538 MIDDLE EAST
Give thanks for the opportunity to be back in Australia for a short period. Pray for good connections for the coming football season that will allow A to grow and deepen relationships across barriers.

R and E [& Family] #055156 MIDDLE EAST
Praise God we've landed in our new country and are settling into our church, ministry, school and apartment. Pray for R as he serves leaders from the Middle East & North Africa. Pray for E in discerning where to serve. Pray for our kids that they would establish themselves well with us. Pray for our Arabic language learning!

NOVEMBER 2
Abby Penglase #053118 ECUADOR
Give thanks for a time of rest during my HA and for God's leading in my decision-making. Pray for our Saraguro believers that they would continue to boldly share their faith as they withstand persecution. Pray for the local Christian radio station as they continue to record the Bible in the local Kichwa language that God would use this to bring many to Him.

NOVEMBER 3
Thomas & Joannah Crowe [& Family] #047367 PERU
Please pray that we adjust well to becoming a family of four. (Boy due - 30th October). Pray for safe travels from Lima back to Abancay after the birth. Also pray for the AIM Centre during the rainy season (November-March), that the land settles well, that there will be little erosion and that God will provide more financial support.

Mike & Kerry with Megan Fischer #048805 PERU
Give thanks for God's goodness in how our daughter Megan has adapted to life in Peru. Pray for Kerry as she recovers from some heart and blood pressure issues (all under control), and that she can find a good cardiologist here to keep monitoring things. Pray for Mike as he juggles a few different roles and projects locally. Finally, please pray for our safety as we travel on the fairly lawless Peruvian roads.

NOVEMBER 4
Ben and Manje [& Family] #035576 PERU
We thank God for His blessings. As we reach nine months in Peru, we are seeing growth in our connections with local friends. Please pray for continued progress in our language learning, and for deeper relationships and open hearts as we share life with those around us.

Phillip (& Janne) Andrew #010131 (Australia – ROYALL) INTERNATIONAL
Continue to pray for Dr. Yohannes Yimer as he leads the work of SIM Nigeria and restructures the administration of the field. Also pray for the ongoing outreach in the core north of the country, which is undergoing a strategic planning review, and is also welcoming new mission workers to join the team.

NOVEMBER 5
Sandy (& Wendy) #046626 (Australia) INTERNATIONAL
After eight years in the shared International Security role, and being one of the first, Sandy has announced he will soon finish in his role with SIM. Give thanks to God that a replacement has been found, please pray for a smooth transition for Sandy as this person takes up the Security role.

Jason (& Leng) Hazell #074690 (Australia) INTERNATIONAL
Pray for wisdom as we continue to advocate for the safety of children on the mission field.

NOVEMBER 6
Morgan & Anna Powell [& Family] #077882 (Australia) INTERNATIONAL
In October, I (Anna) observed SIM USA and met with their trainers. I'm in Latin America, to meet with the SIM Latino America, SIM Bolivia and SIM Peru Personnel coordinators. Give thanks for these trainers equipping our workers. Please pray for God's wisdom as we talk about needs and effective training for our workers and safe travels.

Stephanie (& Kym) Schwarz [& Family] #038905 (Australia) INTERNATIONAL
Pray for my team as we meet in person next week. I will be in the USA for three weeks for the team retreat, to deliver Peacewise and to attend

the Mental Health in Missions conference. Our youngest, Eleanor, completed the HSC this week. Pray for God's leading as she engages in children's ministry opportunities in 2026.

NOVEMBER 7
John & Karine Woldhuis [& Family] #077883 (Australia) INTERNATIONAL
Give thanks that our team has been able to support SIM globally to grow trafficking awareness and prevention activities, most recently in Kenya and South Africa. Please pray for a fruitful time of learning and effective connections for a group attending an anti-trafficking conference in Asia this month. Pray for wisdom as I lead the For Freedom team.

Peter Burke #074174 (Australia / Nigeria) SPECIAL MINISTRIES
Pray for the believers in Nigeria where life is getting harder due to the economic context. Pray for many new believers in the country as they experience pressures from families and that they would trust in the risen Saviour, our living hope.

NOVEMBER 8
Omar (& Kay) Djoandy #064020 (Australia) SPECIAL MINISTRIES
Pray for a global publisher for the revised English edition of his book Redefining Success, his term on the NSW-ACT Baptist board, advocating for global mission, governance and women in leadership.

Pauline #021920 (Australia / Africa) SPECIAL MINISTRIES
Two of Pauline's trainers have been elected to international leadership of French-speaking theological education. Pray as they balance already very busy ministries at national, institutional, church and family levels. Pray as she assists the 25 new trainers to finish their training. Pray also for budgeting decisions in this last year of the highly requested online education training project.

NOVEMBER 9 SPECIAL MINISTRIES
Mike & Jacky Hammond #074517 (Australia / Southern Africa)
Praise God for the SIM Southern Africa Directors' conference. Pray that it will bear good fruit in providing excellent theological education and member care across the region. Pray for the new SIM Director in Malawi as he settles into the role. Pray for the For Freedom team as they revise and update their online trainings and Bible study materials.

SPECIAL MINISTRIES
Andrew (& Naomi) Jones [& Family] #029411 (Australia)
Pray for Farm Fresh Harvest, a Missional Agribusiness in Zimbabwe. Pray for perseverance and wisdom. Pray for our SIM Business as Mission Global Team as we continue to support SIM Missional Business ventures. Pray for us as we develop business strategies for the future as many countries have become less accessible.

NOVEMBER 10
Phillip & Diane Marshall #039443 (Australia) SPECIAL MINISTRIES
Praise for Diane's opportunity to speak to women in Canberra this weekend gone on "Shaped By Jesus." Phill has a Creating Safe Spaces seminar on November 15, and on November 24-25 a PeaceWise training "Heart of Everyday Peacemaking in the Global Context" to co-lead. Pray we might communicate well how the Gospel impacts everyday life and ministry.

NOVEMBER 11 SPECIAL MINISTRIES
Andrew & Tanya [& Family] #040040 (Australia/Africa)
Pray for our 'Foundations for Farming' project. Pray that God would continue to help us raise financial support to enable sufficient courses

to happen this year which includes about twenty courses. Pray also for guidance for our future ministry with SIM.

NOVEMBER 12

Daniel & Jeanie Ough #047047 (Australia) SPECIAL MINISTRIES
We are thankful for the blessing of time with our family and church as we take a break from overseas ministry and spend 2025 in our home near Sydney. Please pray that we can achieve our plan to return to Jerusalem in March 2026, to serve as guides at the Garden Tomb for three months.

NOVEMBER 13

Ruth Perkins #045950 (Australia / West Africa) SPECIAL MINISTRIES
Thank God for good progress made on health training material. Pray for stable internet connections so that I can check the text with my Hausa speaking colleague. Praise God for good rains. Pray for a good harvest, for a spiritual harvest and that our team will soon be able to resume village teaching.

NOVEMBER 14

Julie #036836 (Asia) SPECIAL MINISTRIES
I'm thankful to God that the new health promotion and community development project in a rural village has made a good start. Praise God also for an enthusiastic response to our leader's retreat. Please pray for preparations for Christmas outreaches, wisdom in mentoring local leaders, migrant leaders returning to their home country and sufficient resources for project and activities.

NOVEMBER 15

Ray Morris #070073 (Retirees, USA) SPECIAL MINISTRIES
Praise God that about one person per month has accepted the Lord through the correspondence course. Give thanks also that around four people per month have finished the overall Bible study course. Continue to pray for the weekly Zoom class that more participants would come. Thank God for the committed Christians who attend to help.

NOVEMBER 16

Cathy #041072 (Southeast Asia) SPECIAL MINISTRIES
Praise God for a fruitful Missions conference and mobilisation initiatives. Please pray for a refreshing Home Assignment and preparation to go back to South Asia soon. Pray that more ministry partners will help me meet my monthly financial support target and provision for the school ministry. Pray for God's favour for my daughter to be accepted in a good law clerkship.

NOVEMBER 17

Steve & Terry Early #016510 AUSTRALIA
Please give thanks for good progress for mission worker candidates preparing for service with SIM. Please pray for improvements to our partnership development training and a more responsive relationship with our supporting community.

NOVEMBER 18

Frances Early #048821 (SA) AUSTRALIA
Please thank God for giving me guidance as I settle into the role of Regional Ministry Director for SA/WA/NT. Pray that He will be with me as I prepare for upcoming events with ministry apprentices and university students.

NOVEMBER 19

Malcolm & Jenny Watts #059345 AUSTRALIA
Give thanks for the Mission Interlink board meetings last week in Melbourne and for the time visiting supporting churches. Give thanks

for Jenny's new role with the western local health district with periodic trips to Broken Hill. Pray for our workers in difficult places, that God would enable and encourage them each day. Pray for generous givers as we continue to send workers to nations here and around the world.

NOVEMBER 20

David & Michelle Fauchon #029059 (NSW/ACT) AUSTRALIA
Praise God for the wonderful evening in Canberra celebrating those going out from our Australian Capital City. It was an engaging night. Pray for the Australian Fellowship of Evangelical Students (AFES) National Training Event (NTE) in Canberra during the first week of December. SIM Mobilisers from across our nation will have the opportunity to engage with over 2000 students about mission.

NOVEMBER 21

Brett & Kathy Flippence #036539 (NSW) AUSTRALIA
Give thanks for a great year serving in SIM. For me it has been the busiest year since I joined the home office. We still have National Training Event (NTE) next week for 5 days in Canberra. Please pray for our team that we would have good connections and engagement with university students from around Australia.

Wayne & Helen Mayhew [& Family] #045279 (NSW) AUSTRALIA
Give thanks for God's faithfulness through all seasons. Pray for the Mission Mobilisation team as we seek to point all mission enquirers, applicants and candidates to Him as they make various decisions, seek partnerships and trust in His timing.

NOVEMBER 22

Maddi Ward #550911 (NSW) AUSTRALIA
Thank God for multiple mission enquirers progressing to applicants, pray that God would be guiding and upholding them as they follow God's calling on their life. Pray also for good connections at the upcoming National Training Event (NTE) conference in December.

Susan Strong #054641 AUSTRALIA
Please pray for the SIM Victoria MK and Families Camp running from December 15-17. Pray for good connections with our families, and particularly our kids. Pray for good conversations and time spent reflecting on God and His goodness. Please pray for my research topic, which I will be working on to complete my Master of Counselling. Pray for wisdom and direction.

NOVEMBER 23

Stanley #076344 AUSTRALIA
Pray for all families making a return to Australia this term. Pray that God would lead each of our mission workers with guidance and wisdom as they transition in these times. Pray for God's provision for all their needs.

Doreen Thomas #053892 AUSTRALIA
Praise God for safe travels, good health, and an encouraging time of connection with team members in Asia last month, and to have been able to attend the country's SLC (Spiritual Life Conference). Pray for continued opportunities for our Member Care team to listen and engage well with all our workers both at home and overseas.

NOVEMBER 24

Jay & Robyn [& Family] #018158 (QLD) AUSTRALIA
Please pray for Jay as he prepares to take on the role of Director of Mobilisation and Church Engagement. Pray for new mobilisers in QLD.

Give thanks for Robyn's Across ministry teaching English to migrants at our church. Pray that this November would be a meaningful time with our students before the Christmas holiday break.

Ruan & Gemma Martins [& Family] (WA) AUSTRALIA
Pray for those we mentor for mission through Prepare the Way, for hearts to be stirred by Jesus' invitation to "Go." Pray that we would have wisdom, listen well and be effective mentors. Pray for our preparations to go overseas next April, that the Lord will provide all we need and prepare our hearts.

NOVEMBER 25

Brendan (& Virginia) Short [& Family] #077881 (VIC) AUSTRALIA
Brendan and Virginia Short give thanks for the growing team (including volunteers) in Victoria and Tasmania. Pray for many fruitful conversations by our team members with university students attending the National Training Event (NTE) in Canberra this December 6-10.

NOVEMBER 26

Warwick & Natalie Short [& Family] #030244 (VIC) AUSTRALIA
Give thanks that Sahara has just completed Victorian Certificate of Education, and Hudson just finished his first year of Physio. Pray for a SIM Victoria 'Family Camp' that Warwick and Natalie are helping to organise for mid-December. Pray that each family that participates will be refreshed and that it will be a fruitful time of mutual encouragement.

NOVEMBER 27

Liz Mahanidis (VIC) AUSTRALIA
Please continue to pray for good engagement with students at Mission Days at Melbourne School of Theology and Ridley Bible Colleges. Pray for wisdom and discernment as I meet with students who have requested to be mentored.

NOVEMBER 28

Pray for **Tiffany** (PA to National Director).
Pray for the Ministry Support team: **Rania** (Personnel Administrator), **Lorena** (Admin Assistant - NSW), **Allison** (Admin Assistant - VIC).

NOVEMBER 29

Finance and Partner Relations (PR) Team: **Graham** (Finance and Corporate Services Director), **Andrew** (Systems Accountant), **Joanne** (Finance Officer), **May** (Accounts Officer), **Cheryl** (Accounts Payable Assistant), **Rukshani** (Partner Relations Coordinator), **Kristie** (PR Assistant), **Andy** (PR Assistant).

NOVEMBER 30

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ABBREVIATIONS:

- HA = Home Assignment
- LOA = Leave of Absence
- Name (& Spouse) = Spouse is not a SIM Member
- PTL = Praise the Lord
- ROYALL = Retiree On Yet Another Labour of Love
- SLC = Spiritual Life Conference
- AFES = Australian Fellowship of Evangelical Students
- NTE = National Training Event
- HWT = Healing the Wounds of Trauma
- MENA = Middle East North Africa
- VCE = Victorian Certificate of Education