

為世界、我們國家及社區的需要：

- 為以色列、加沙、黎巴嫩和烏克蘭持續動盪和緊張的局勢祈禱；求神賜和平，止息暴力和動亂，拯救所有捲入這些衝突的無辜人民。求神賜智慧和引領各國領袖，讓他們在這些動盪的地區尋求和解、公義與持久和平。願主的平安掌管大地。
- 為緬甸和泰國受大地震影響的人民祈禱，求神安慰和賜力量給災難中的受害者及其家人，讓支援工作能儘快到達有需要的人中。
- 為澳洲大選祈禱！求神興起公義、敬虔的領袖，並按照祂的旨意建立政府和制定政策。願這次選舉成為澳洲全心全意回歸神的轉捩點！

為宣道總會及國際工作者：

- Thibaut 和 Naoual 與一些正面對個人和家庭困境的北非信徒並肩前行，請為他們祈禱。也為他們能透過 TikTok 抖音事工敞開大門禱告，讓更多的尋求者感受到耶穌的愛。願主繼續保護和祝福他們的事工，以榮耀祂！（Thibaut 和 Naoual 的通訊已張貼在副堂佈告版上，會眾可參閱以了解詳情。）
- 為 Ooi 牧師一家在日本的侍奉禱告，願日本教會能大膽地宣揚耶穌基督的福音。請為兒子 Samuel 祈禱，讓神經科的會診能為他的昏厥和癲癇情況給予清晰的診斷和醫治方法。
- 為 Chris 和 Amy 在昆士蘭六個月的回國述職祈禱。求神賜福他們與教會和支持者的分享。也為他們的孩子禱告，讓他們能夠順利地適應學校生活及新的環境。

為教會的需要：

- 求神帶領、賜智慧和洞察力給教會處理聘牧事宜，願祂引領合適的牧者來牧養祂的教會。
- 為計劃購買 Rentoul Hall、教會後面的建築物及周圍的土地一事，祈求神的旨意和引領。願神保守我們在心靈和意念上合一，願一切所行的都是為了祂的榮耀和拓展祂的事工。
- 為 5 月 11 日母親節合堂崇拜的準備工作禱告，讓一切順利進行，並祈求這是整個教會一個充滿意義的敬拜、慶祝和合一的時刻。
- 感謝神的供應，讓我們能在這非常靠近教會的 Deakin 大學舉行崇拜。祈求祂引領我們順利過渡，並使之成為接觸大學生的機會。請會眾繼續為整個宣信堂長遠的場地安排禱告。
- 求神為我們的事工興起並預備合適的領袖，特別是在英語少年團及教會的其他領域。求神呼召並裝備忠心的僕人，讓他們有一顆為神和祂子民的心。
- 求神賜智慧給青年事工發展小組重新策劃事工，幫助我們的青年在信仰上成長，成為積極參與教會活動的成員。
- 為敬拜小組每週忠心地帶領會眾詩歌敬拜讚美主，求神繼續恩膏他們，讓我們的敬拜榮耀主。
- 為新的兒童事工重組和兒童敬拜禱告。求神賜下智慧和指引給兒童事工委員會，幫助他們順利推行這些改變，讓兒童在信仰中得到栽培，並在對神的愛中日益增長。
- 為教會的小組事工、組長和組員禱告；求神讓會眾透過加入小組，在團契中成長，加深與神和彼此之間的關係。
- 求神帶領和供應教會的裝修工程：我們需要更多空間及修理屋頂，願主賜我們智慧和資源，使我們能改善教會的設施以榮耀祂。

Prayer Items

Pray for the needs of the world, our country and our community

- Pray for peace and an end to the violence and unrest in Israel, Gaza, Lebanon and Ukraine where tensions and uncertainties persist. We lift up all the innocent people caught in these conflicts. Pray for wisdom and guidance for leaders to seek reconciliation, justice, and lasting peace in these troubled regions. May God's peace reign over all.
- Please pray for those affected by the devastating earthquake in Myanmar and Thailand. Pray for God's comfort and strength for the victims and their families, and that support and aid will quickly reach those in need.
- Pray for our national election! Pray that God would raise up righteous, godly leaders and shape the government and policies according to His will. May this election be a turning point for Australia to return wholeheartedly to God!

Pray for C&MA and our International Worker

- Pray for Thibaut & Naoual as they walk alongside North African believers facing deep personal and family struggles. Pray for open doors through their TikTok ministry to reach more seekers with the love of Jesus. May the Lord continue to protect and bless their ministry for His glory! (Please see their newsletter for more details)
- Pray for the Ooi family as they serve in Japan. Pray that Christ's gospel message be proclaimed boldly by the Japanese Church. Also, pray for Samuel, that his neurology appointment will provide clarity and resolution regarding his fainting and seizure.
- Pray for Chris and Amy's six-month Home Assignment in Queensland. Pray that God bless their sharing with churches and supporters. Also, pray for their children to settle well into school and adjust smoothly to the new environment.

Pray for the needs of our Church

- Pray for God's guidance, wisdom and discernment in the pastoral search process. May He lead the right person to shepherd His church.
- Pray for God's will and guidance regarding the potential purchase of Rentoul Hall and the surrounding land. May God keep us united in heart and spirit, and may everything be done for His glory and the advancement of His mission.
- Pray for the preparation of the Combined Mother's Day Service on 11 May. Pray that all will go smoothly, and that it will be a meaningful time of worship, celebration, and unity for the whole church family.
- Praise God for providing a place to worship at Deakin University, so close to our church. Pray for His guidance in ensuring a smooth transition and that it may be an opportunity to reach out to university students. Please continue to pray for God's provision of a long-term venue arrangement for our whole church.
- Pray for God to raise and provide suitable leaders for our ministries, especially in Reverb Youth Fellowship and other areas of the church. Pray that He will call and equip faithful servants with a heart for God and His people.
- Praise God for our worship team who faithfully lead us in worship week after week. Pray for God's continued anointing upon them, and may our worship bring glory to the Lord.
- Pray for wisdom upon the youth ministry task force as they redevelop the ministry, helping our youth grow in their faith and become active members of the church family.
- Pray for the new children's ministry restructuring and the children's worship. Pray for God's wisdom and guidance for the leaders as they implement these changes, and that the children will be nurtured in their faith and grow in their love for God.
- Pray for our small group ministry, for the leaders and members. Pray that everyone will join, participate, and grow in fellowship through small groups, deepening their relationships with God and one another.
- Pray for God's guidance and provision for our church renovation. We are in need of more space and need to fix the roof. May the Lord provide wisdom and resources as we work to improve our facilities for His glory.