



January - February 2018

G'Day,

I can't believe it has already been two months since our last letter. We have so much to share and may not get it all in this prayer letter. Let's start with the most exciting part: We recently had three people come to know Jesus Christ as their Savior and two joined in membership. One of those who received Christ was Christopher's best friend, Josh. What a blessing it was to see these folks come to know Jesus and then a few days later follow the Lord in baptism. Here is a picture of our church going down to the local river and baptizing them. Most of our people stayed up on the banks and watched. It was also exciting to see the testimony we were having in the community. Many people were passing by and would stop and watch what was happening. I would say most Australians have never seen a baptism, nor would they understand what was going on.



We've asked you to pray for Jason, Joanna and family. Just recently we had an outreach activity in our home. As I was speaking with one of our church members, Jason (who does not believe in God) said, "I like Chris' preaching. He really makes it apply to my life and I'm able to understand it. My wife makes me go to her Catholic Church and I get so bored." I was overwhelmed at the complement from an unbeliever. PLEASE, keep praying for Jason and his family.



Christopher and Josh

Sonya's Journal Samuel, age 10, has been coming to church for a few months now. When he first started attending he was a handful. I sent an activity home with my S.S. kids and asked them to make a list of their good qualities and how they could be more like Jesus. Samuel said he had no good qualities and did not want to complete it. I told him that was not true and that he had a lot of good qualities. Can you believe he was the only one who completed the assignment. He's been told for so long that he was a bad kid, and as a result he has been acting out. He just needed someone to believe in him. Please pray for Samuel's salvation.