



*Reaching Australians with the Gospel, and teaching them to observe all things Christ has commanded us to do.*

## **BRAZZELLS TO AUSTRALIA**

June 2024 Prayer Letter

### **Praises:**

-The Lord provided us with a new home

-Growth of LWBC

-Joshua Dudley's help during a transition time

-Flora's visa approval

### **Prayer Requests:**

-Wisdom and guidance as Living Waters Baptist Church grows

-New visitors from our outreach efforts

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We have much to share in this update! Since our last letter, life has been a whirlwind. Brettney's dad came for a visit at the end of April. We had the best time showing him our new life here in Australia. May was busy with celebrating Willow's 2nd birthday, registering Flora with the US Consulate in Sydney, a father/son camping trip for Knox and I, and podcast interviews for Brettney.

At the end of May, we received the news that our landlord needed our house back, and we had one month to move. This unexpected news was a shock. God miraculously provided us with that home, and we had become quite attached. We quickly began packing, looking for a new home, and praying! In four days, we looked at 14 homes. Only four of those were a possibility for our family due to our family size and ministry needs. We put in an offer to rent each of those homes asking God to open one door and close all others. Long story short, He did just that. Two and a half weeks after getting the hard news, it was moving day! God has richly blessed. Our new home is absolutely lovely, and we have even more room for hosting our midweek Bible study and other church events!

During this time of transition, our New Testament Church Pioneer student from Crown College arrived. God's timing could not have been more perfect. He sent us Josh at a most needed time. Joshua Dudley has worked hard helping us move and get settled. He has also been a huge help letterboxing, teaching our Kid's Club, and more.

At the beginning of his trip, we had a special outreach day in Parramatta Park. We made balloon animals and passed out our Kid's Club flyers. God gave us the opportunity to speak to quite a few young families! One lady and her two children have visited due to this outreach effort.

Just last week we had a record Sunday at Living Waters Baptist Church! There were 33 people in attendance, 10 of which were first time visitors. We also had several returning visitors who have expressed interest in attending regularly. God is growing His church! We will celebrate one year since starting LWBC in October. We are planning to spend the month emphasizing missions locally and worldwide. During this time, we plan to constitute the church and start official membership. Please be in prayer for us as we take big steps trusting God all the way!

Another exciting opportunity for our family is that we will be attending a missions conference in Colorado in September. A pastor friend has graciously offered to fly our entire family back for this conference. We are looking forward to being Stateside again and sinking our teeth into a Chick-fil-A sandwich (or chicken burger as Aussies would call it!) Our lives are full- full of hard work, full of lives to touch with the gospel, and full of blessings! We covet your prayers for our family. God is answering, and you reap alongside us as we see our work here bear fruit! Keep serving Jesus. He is worthy!



Reaching Australia for Christ,

Simeon, Brettney, Eden, Knox, Ivy, Willow, & Flora Brazzell