

Simpson Barracks, Macleod VIC

26th Pray for **REP Adrian STEEN** that his newly refurbished Brew Truck recently overhauled in Qld will make it much easier for him to get out and see the troops in the field doing their field phase exercises.

We have a most pressing need for new REPs in the Melbourne area to meet the huge demands and opportunities there. Please consider committing to regular ongoing intercession for new Everyman's and Everywoman's REPs for Melbourne

General

27th Praise God for two Godly ladies who have expressed interest in coming into EWS at our HQ in an administrative capacity. Pray they will find roles suitable to their gifts and abilities to further the effectiveness of EWS to administer and raise funds.

28th Continue to pray for partners in ministry who we work with on Defence bases; **ADF Chaplains**, the **Sallyman**, **Military Christian Fellowship**, **Focus**, **Navigators** and **Solid Rock Ministries** and the **Association for Conferences, Teaching and Service**. May there continue to be greater co-operation as we work guided by the Spirit together for the Kingdom.

29th Continue to pray for our Board Chairman **CCOMM (rtd) John BERESFORD** in the wake of the passing of his wife Audrey. Uphold John, and daughter and son Jenny and David as they move on in life with Audrey now in Glory. Praise God for Audrey and a life well lived serving her Lord and Saviour through

Campaigners for Christ and supporting John as CCOMM of EWS in the 1980's
30th Pray for a speaker for EWS National Conference in September. We have had an unprecedented decline from 3 selected speakers so far this year and we sincerely need to find an experienced evangelistic communicator for our Conference in Kapooka in September. (Suggestions are welcome if you ring 02 6055 2257, 0413 074 818, or email CCOMM Ken at

kenneth.matthews@defence.gov.au)

31st Please pray for Chris and Lou as they research options to meet the needs of EWS in areas of banking and insurance as they seek the most practical and cost effective way to operate.

Please pray for young and willing Christians to serve with Everyman's. Christians who have a heart for the servicemen and women who risk life and limb without knowing Jesus. Opportunities exist in many locations.

Please be asking God if this is a calling he has on your life and consider committing to regular ongoing intercession for new REPs to meet these needs



PRAYER NOTES

May 2018

EVERYMAN'S WELFARE SERVICE



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1 Timothy 2:8 New International Version (NIV)

⁸ Therefore I want the men everywhere to pray, lifting up holy hands without anger or disputing.

RAAF Base Amberley - (23 Squadron)

1st Pray for **REP John TURNER** as he prepares to move over to the new Centre at Amberley. Pray it may be a renewed place of ministry, service and worship
2nd Please pray for two new additional full-time EWS REP's for 23 Squadron.
3rd Please pray for wisdom as we lean upon Holy Spirit guidance to find the right people to help John there as REPs.

Major Exercises

4th Pray for safety, that EWS vehicles may be running well and that they will not break down in remote places of the training areas we seek to minister in. The terrain can be very dangerous and challenging at times.

Victoria Barracks, - Brisbane, Qld

5th Pray for special wisdom for **COMM Phil MARSHALL**, that more RSL's will be challenged as he speaks to them with regard to regularly supporting EWS, particularly our need for new Brew trucks.

9th Battalion (Army Reserve)

6th Pray for **REP Glenn TWEEDALE** as he looks to having our **Dinner of Appreciation and Celebration** organised probably now in May. Pray that Glenn can find a very good venue so we can honour those who have supported us so faithfully

Everyman's exists into its 78th year because of your prayer and financial support to our volunteer staff. COM Phil Marshall, SEN REP Richard Gibson and REP's Ben Ridley, David Tong, need to increase their Personal Support. If you would like to assist with personal support for one of these Reps please log onto www.everymans.org.au or ring Lou Monday to Wednesday on 02 6055 2988

8/9 Battalion – Enoggera

7th Pray for **REP Ben RIDLEY** as he engages with the soldiers at 8/9. As infantry they can be very tough on the outside. Pray that Ben may have Holy Spirit leading to those who are ready to share problems and hear the Good News. Pray Ben will be given the words to say to lead them to Christ.

RAAF Base Amberley - (9 Force Support Battalion)

8th Pray for **SNRREP Richard GIBSON** as he goes out into the field regularly. Pray for safety for his health and in the rugged bush areas he travels. Praise God he has gained great favour amongst the troops in SE Qld who have been increasingly looking forward to “Gibbo” turning up. Pray God will grant Richard the words of life at the right time amongst those who know and respect him through past interactions.

Land Warfare Training Centre - Kokoda Barracks - Canungra - Qld

9th Continue to pray for part time **REP Jeff GREENE**. Canungra is a place where many long term soldiers train and have in many cases closed themselves off to any kind of Christian witness. Pray God will use Jeff to soften their hearts.

Royal Military College – Duntroon

10th Pray for part time **REP Frank TOTTINGHAM**, that Cadets at Duntroon may be interested in the Defence Bibles that Frank has in the truck. Pray they may be challenged to consider the Word of God as they look to a moral frame of reference to work off as our future Army officers.

Fleet Project 18

11th Pray for hearts to be softened towards supporting the funding of a new Brew Truck for 2018. Pray this goal may be realised before the end of the year.

MOSES

12th Pray for **MOSES**, Missions Overseas – Sponsorship Encouragement Scheme. **MOSES** is designed to raise personal support for all our EWS missionaries who commit to the 4 months overseas operational service to support our ADF currently in the Middle East. Pray that God would raise up those who may contribute to each REP's personal support for just a period of 4 months. Pray that this will come in a timely way for those making the sacrifice without pay, to love and serve our ADF. **CCOMM Ken MATTHEWS** will hopefully be the next to deploy in July this year.

HMAS Kuttabul Navy Live in Accommodation, Homebush and Randwick Barracks, NSW

13th Pray for **REP Chris WAINWRIGHT** that his wife Robyn may soon be healed of the fainting spells she is having. Pray the Holy Spirit will move the doctors to be vigilant in finding the source of the problem so Robyn can resume her work and support Chris faithfully.

14th **Praise** God for the upgraded Brew Truck Chris now has for work at the wharf at Kuttabul and also with Army at Randwick Barracks. Praise God also for the work of Brew Runs Chris has undertaken with Army Cadets in the area. Pray many of these young people will be touched by the claims of Christ.

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Blamey Barracks, Kapooka, NSW

15th Praise God for **ACOMM George THOMAS** as he plans for EWS National Conference to be held at Kapooka this year. Pray doors will open and that EWS will continue to grow in favour with the Army there as they see our training and presence in action.

16th Praise God for **REP Warren CLARKE** who resumes work at EWS Kapooka this month after a time of well-deserved rest after 4 months in the Middle East.

17th Praise God for **REP Milton WILSON** and pray for physical and mental strength as he continues to minister to recruits in the hospital. Pray that the Lord may yet bless Milton with increased healing as Milton remains keen as ever to serve the Lord through Everyman's.

18th Pray for **REP David TONG** as he is getting better known and is gaining more experience as an Everyman. Pray that he will be given words to say to new recruits who are often in a state of culture shock when they first join the Army.

19th Praise God for **REP Rory MCKENZIE** that he may get many opportunities to do field work at Kapooka as well as in the Centre. Pray for him and wife Daphine as they prepare for the birth of their second child.

Everyman's Headquarters: Army Logistics Training Centre, Bandiana VIC

20th Pray for **Admin Support Officer SNRREP Lou HOCHWIMMER** as she prepares for a break in Austria this year before Conference. Pray that she and husband Bernie will be refreshed and strengthened for the second half of what is shaping up to be a very busy year.

21st Pray for **Admin Support Assistant REP Chris KEMPER** as she has had more work put upon her to do embroidery with the issue of our new camouflage uniforms for field work now coming out. Pray that Chris will be able to balance that with admin work and family needs.

22nd **Pray for CCOMM Ken MATTHEWS** who will need surgery on sinuses that are just about completely blocked and now restricting his efficiency at work due to the sleep apnoea that lack of oxygen is causing him. Pray the operation may be done before July otherwise he will not be able to go to the Middle East.

23rd Pray for guidance for **REP Kristian KEMPER** as he is trying to get money and Wi Fi for the EWS Rec Centres in the area but the meetings are poorly attended or don't happen. Pray that Kristian may be empowered to approach the Chief of Staff of the base to open the door to getting some action.

24th Praise God for **Administrative Supporter James BLACK** who has recently started his own IT business as well as volunteering at EWS HQ. Pray his new business will go well but that he may still be able to help in his crucial volunteer role at EWS HQ.

25th Pray for **REP Neil MCGINN** that he might be able to get up to help at EWS at ALTC in June as there will be many soldiers then going out on exercise in the local area.