

THE BROWNS

SERVING IN ARNHEM LAND

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NEWS

Hello everyone, it is great to be writing to you from All Nations Christian College (ANCC).

The past few months have been incredibly busy, but a wonderful blessing. We have moved house three times, started studying at ANCC and talked at some brilliant churches. Thank you so much for your prayers and support over this time, we have really felt God at work in our lives.

We started at ANCC in September. So far our time has been a real blessing. Having the time to focus on our spiritual and mental preparations for mission has been invaluable. The wisdom and support of the staff and fellow students has been fantastic and really encouraged us.

MAF has asked if we could move to Arnhem Land much earlier in 2023 than we had previously planned. This expedited timeline is really exciting and your prayers will be appreciated as we prepare for departure.

AND WE KNOW THAT FOR THOSE
WHO LOVE GOD ALL THINGS WORK
TOGETHER FOR GOOD, FOR THOSE WHO
ARE CALLED ACCORDING TO HIS PURPOSE
(ROMANS 8:28)

NOW DEPARTING
IN EARLY 2023!!!



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PROGRAMME UPDATE

Ben visited Arnhem Land at the end of summer. It was a real blessing to meet the team and see first hand the amazing work MAF is doing .

If you want to see some photo's please visit our Facebook page.

FIRST IMPRESSIONS OF ARNHEM LAND

- What first struck me about Arnhem Land was how vast the area is. It's like flying over an ocean, with miles of untouched Australian bush beneath you. It doesn't take long to realise how important aviation is, without it many of the small Yolngu communities would be totally cut off from essential supplies and medical support.
- Flying onboard a MAF aircraft for the first time was amazing. It was a privilege to visit some remote communities and get a small taste of Yolngu culture. During my flights I got to meet some of the Yolngu, health workers and missionaries who rely on MAF.
- I was encouraged to see how busy the programme is. There was a constant stream of people checking in to fly to one of the 60 airstrips MAF serves. I was able to meet some of the children and teachers MAF regularly fly and witness a medevac flight. It was a brilliant trip.

POINTS FOR PRAYER

1. We seek God's guidance and support as we start to make our final preparations for moving to Arnhem Land in early 2023.
2. Thank God for his support and provision .
3. That Barny and Reuben are able to adjust to all the changes going on around them
4. We can meet our financial sponsorship obligation.
5. Our Australian visa's are approved in a timely fashion.

MAF PLANE ON A REMOTE AIRSTRIP



EVENING CHURCH ON THE BEACH

