

110 years of The Leprosy Mission Australia; 110 Years of Prayer.

We deeply appreciate each of you, our partners in prayer, for all that you do in the name of Jesus to bring His light, and His healing to the world.

To celebrate 110 years of The Leprosy Mission Australia in 2023 we asked for your prayers. Prayers of thanks for what God has done, of blessing upon the work being done around the Global Fellowship, of hope for the future, or for a particular country or issue.



Thank you for your response. Your prayers express the hope we share to see an end to leprosy, and for all sufferers to live with dignity, purpose, and free from discrimination and disability.

Thank you, and may God bless you today and each day as He continues to guide you in His will and for His sake.

“And so I tell you, keep on asking, and you will receive what you ask for.

Keep on seeking, and you will find.

Keep on knocking, and the door will be opened to you.

For everyone who asks, receives.

Everyone who seeks, finds.

And to everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. - Luke 11:9-10



Dear Heavenly Father,

Thank you for The Leprosy Mission Australia, and for its 110 years of so many people caring with compassion, just like Jesus did.

Please bless this special anniversary, and the next years ahead too, so that all Your dear children who are affected by leprosy can receive help and healing. And thank you that I can be a little part of The Leprosy Mission.

In Jesus name. Amen.

- Julie S. NSW

Dear Heavenly Father,

Thank you for the many people who, in obedience to You, have served with their offerings of research, medical skills, voluntary loving service, prayer, monetary gifts and any other willing labours to honour You, through service to people suffering from leprosy.

Jesus washed His disciples' feet. God bless all who wash the feet of those with leprosy, both physically and spiritually. Bless those being healed and all involved in their healing. May all come into His everlasting Kingdom.

- Stan B. NSW

Spirit God, we hold before You,
All who have been cured of leprosy over the last 110 years,
All who are receiving treatment at the moment,
All leprosy sufferers who have been abused or ostracised,
All donors throughout the world who make the work of
The Leprosy Mission possible.

Thank you for all who use their special skills to care for those undergoing treatment. Amen.

- Anon.

Thank you, Beloved Lord Jesus,

That when on earth you healed the 10 people with leprosy even though only one came to say "thank you". You care for people with leprosy and their suffering so much.

Thank you for The Leprosy Mission. Thank you that they seek out those with leprosy, to bring them to be healed and rehabilitated. Thank you for the drugs that now heal, and the researchers who seek to find further healing processes. Thank you for the hospitals, please supply their needs. Protect the health of each of your servants there. Keep each one close to you, aware of your love for them. Heal

each who is going through leprosy reaction. Heal those who are mentally suffering from rejection by family. Please help and bless the children of those with leprosy and those suffering the disease. I do praise you for your love.

- Judith F. QLD

I went with my Husband Tom about 15 years ago to Thailand. It was wonderful. I learnt so much about people with leprosy. I also went to a place where they make wooden legs for people who have lost limbs. Met Heather and Trevor Smith.

I pray with God's help they will find a cure for leprosy.

Some medicines now are very helpful.

I pray for the future that all will be cured from leprosy.

- Rosemary D. VIC

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Dear Lord,

Many thanks for the blessings which I have received, and I pray for hope for the future!

- Rose L. SA

Dear loving heavenly Father, thank you for all the people involved in caring for people who have leprosy or who may be diagnosed with leprosy in the future. They are loving, caring people who follow our Lord Jesus example of helping all those less fortunate than ourselves.

- Heather B. NSW

I want to thank and praise God for the establishment of The Leprosy Mission all those years ago and laying on the heart of Wellesley Bailey to inspire Australia to form its own support chapter. I pray earnestly for the growing community awareness in countries where people are affected by leprosy, that the community is not afraid to notice the early signs of leprosy and to help people seek the right help to receive treatment and a cure. I thank God for the medical staff in hospitals and out in the field who show love, mercy and care and give dignity to leprosy

sufferers and I thank God for the research teams who persist in their work so that one day there will be Zero Transmission. By God's Grace.

- Brenda S. SA

Dear Lord, we worship and adore you, and love you with our whole hearts. We thank you for all the good things you have given us, particularly for Jesus Christ, our Lord and Saviour.

We ask you Lord, to look with mercy on those suffering leprosy and we ask you to bless the support staff.

God you are my refuge and fortress, my God in whom I trust, and my hope through which I am saved. Jesus, I need you as Lord of my life. Holy Spirit come!

In Jesus name we pray.

- Molly R. NSW

We praise you Lord for the amazing work you do through the ministry of the Leprosy Mission. May you continue to strengthen this ministry and the hands and hearts of all those who minister to those who suffer because of the discrimination and fear shown to those who suffer.

Amen.

- Bev B. QLD

Praise and thank You Lord!!

- Anon

Loving Spirit God, we thank you for the work of The Leprosy Mission over 110 years. We remember:-

All who have been cured of leprosy through Multi-Drug Therapy,

All who have received reconstructive surgery,

All who are being educated to care for affected feet and hands,

All who are being trained to earn a living and so become respected and self-sufficient,

All who over the 110 years have worked so tirelessly to bring about these outcomes,
All who are in research, that the day will come when leprosy is a thing of the past.

- Patricia W. QLD

Loving Father,

I thank you that we, Your children, can come to You in prayer knowing that You listen and answer in loving kindness, just as You have over the past 110 years when supporters of TLMA have turned to You with their prayers for those affected by leprosy.

Loving Lord, I give You praise and thanksgiving for all that has been accomplished over the years and for the new projects with which TLMA has become involved.

I give You thanks for the recent opportunity for the building of good relationships with NLR Indonesia and for the Team with whom they are working: Asken, Valen, Toman and Yasmin. Give them wisdom and foresight in their work in training health staff about leprosy and, also, guidance and safety in travelling to project areas.

Please bless those involved with the two new projects, the Leprosy Friendly Village in Sulawesi and the Urban Leprosy Project with their initial focus near Jakarta. Give them guidance and sensitivity as they focus on mechanisms for making it easier for people who have, or suspect they have, leprosy.

May those who serve You in all aspects of the work of The Leprosy Mission and those who are affected by leprosy feel Your loving presence supporting and encouraging them in all that they do.

In the name of our Saviour and Lord, Jesus Christ, Amen

- Marlene H. SA

God blessed you in the past,
May he do so in the future.

- Anon

God in Heaven,

Thank you for health and strength and financial ability to help people in need. Remember all those who give their time and their lives to help people with leprosy. We pray for all who need Your love. Please help us to work towards a world without leprosy and heartache.

- Beth H. NSW

I ask our loving and gracious Saviour to have mercy on His suffering people. May He relieve their suffering through the years of drought and natural disasters. May the work of TLMA lead many to Christ. Hear our prayer, for the sake of Jesus Christ. Amen.

EJ - QLD

Our Father in Heaven

We praise and thank You for Your love for the people you have created.

We praise You that You hear our prayers.

Yes Lord, we thank you for Your faithfulness to an underserving people.

Thank You for your unfailing provision.

Thank you for revealing yourself in the Lord Jesus

In the Bible we read of His love and compassion when He walked this earth.

We see His compassion for the destitute, the suffering and those rejected by their community.

Lord Jesus, You turned their lives around, as You restored them physically, socially and spiritually.

We praise you for Wellesley Bailey and his small band who reflected the love that they saw in Jesus.

And we thank you for your blessing on the work of The Leprosy Mission over the past 149 years.

And for the contribution Aussies have made for the last 110!

Thank you for all who have chosen to serve You in this field, for the comfort and support they have been, and continue to be to so many.

We praise you too for Dr Hansen who set us on the path of dealing medically with the disease of

Leprosy, and for all who continue in research today.

Lord you have heard our prayers, You have provided us with all we've needed to continue this ministry. You've poured your Spirit into the hearts of so many over

the years, turning the sadness of rejection into the joy and amazement, that You, the creator of the universe, would make them part of your forever family.

We pray Lord, you will continue to be our strength, and our reason for serving, as we face the challenges ahead. Father we praise You that so much has been achieved, and we praise You that the end is in sight. Father may You be glorified through the work of The Leprosy Mission worldwide.

We pray in Jesus Name

Amen

DS - QLD

Thank you for praying. May God bless you as you continue to Ask, Seek, and Knock until together we make leprosy a thing of the past.

NOTE: Some prayers have been edited for clarity and accuracy.

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