



The Lesters serving in Australia

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Dear Co-laborers and Friends,

Life for everyone has been impacted over this last quarter of the year. Whether you have been confined at home or abroad, have lost work or have been over-worked, had extras of the necessities or could not find what you were looking for in the store, one thing is for sure, with little exception the entire world has been impacted by the most recent events. While that can be distressing, the Bible commands us to “cast your cares on Him for He careth for you.” No matter what circumstances we find ourselves in, God is faithful.

Australia has had similar restrictions as the rest of the world, and like most ministries around the world, we have also been affected. Restrictions on gathering sizes caused all community halls to be closed until further notice. Our internet is often not the best (often slow and even cutting out on a regular basis), so we have definitely have had our challenges. However, we have enjoyed some exciting things during the weeks of quarantine.

We recently have had the pleasure of seeing God save a mother and daughter. Sherrie and Liarra have been able to work with them via the internet with discipleship as well as one-on-one time in their home. We have been able to take food to people and give out Bibles as well.

Sherrie has been able to tell Bible stories to the children that come to church over the internet and has been able to send them Sunday school worksheets to reinforce Bible lessons. Meeting with different people at different times has kept us busier, but we have enjoyed those special times.

In the last week, restrictions on meeting sizes have upped and we were able to meet in one family’s home for a special service with them. We were all blessed and encouraged by the singing and truths we learned from the Word of God.

Please keep the people of Australia and our baby Christians in your prayers.

To the praise of His glory,

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