

Indigenous Ministry-Australia

We continue to grow and support our missions ministry alongside our first nations people and indigenous communities. Ps Will Dumas is travelling throughout NSW, Queensland, and across Australia to preach the gospel, raise up and encourage indigenous pastors and elders, and to bring healing and wholeness to young indigenous men and women and their families. It is only in unity, through the love and hope of Jesus that we see lasting breakthrough, genuine healing, and true freedom for our indigenous people.

We are also supporting Ps Michael Dumas in Port Macquarie and Ps Russell Saunders in Taree as they minister to local indigenous communities, build the local church, and provide fellowship and discipleship in these community settings.

Goals

- Continue to mentor and develop existing leaders nation wide
- Build relationships in new communities to expand influence
- Create opportunities for indigenous Christians to share their faith with an indigenous expression of church, fellowship, and worship.

What is God doing in our Communities?

I see a commitment by Aboriginal Leaders and Pastors sowing back into their own communities, trusting God for the breakthroughs & standing firm on His promises. They are bringing in Aboriginal Leaders to speak into their communities, encouraging and role modelling Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Leadership.

Testimony

A young man by the name of Andrew, who re-committed his life back to the Lord and was baptised at Morapoi Station Dam. Andrew says, "that after the three days of being in the meetings he felt the call of God calling him back home, saying, I'm a dad now and I want to lead my family in the ways of the Lord. I feel I've been set free and have a new passion to grow in God and know my calling."

Prayer Points

- Indigenous communities experience spiritual breakthroughs and for local leaders to rise up.
- Five Stones College - 20 Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander students started this year. Pray that these leaders will be developed and released.
- New Aboriginal Christian School in Taree & Blacktown, needs an open door from the communities, Godly leadership and the right personnel.
- Early release program for Aboriginal inmates in Canberra. Pray that God will bring salvations, healing, restoration and divine appointments.
- Pray for the upcoming indigenous conferences in Townsville, Moree, Port Macquarie and Darwin, for salvations, and unity in the local churches.
- Provision for the church leaders, their ministries and their upcoming outreach events.



Ps Will Dumas, Ps Michael Dumas



Ps Russell Saunders , Taree



Indigenous Ministry - Ps Will Dumas

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- Develop a leadership team to be able to help create plans for next year
- Advocate for Indigenous Christians voice in leadership decisions
- Create opportunities for indigenous Christians to share their perspective (have an indigenous expression of church, worship etc)



Praise Points

- Ps Will's recent trips have brought a fresh touch from the Holy Spirit.
- New connections and deeper and intimate connections.
- Leaders/ elders are hungry and want more spiritual food. They are open to teaching and support.
- Many miracles happening in community that is stirring peoples faith and they are sharing these testimonies with others.

During July, Ps Will went to Darwin and Katherine for a Northern Territory missions trip. He visited many communities including Beswick, Bagan and Baggot. In each community, the Holy Spirit fell in a powerful way, the ministry time felt sweet & intimate, people were healed and saved.

In Baggot, there were many amazing miracles, God healed people of chronic diseases.

- One lady asked for healing from internal bleeding. She came back the following day after seeing her doctor, who said the bleeding stopped.
- Lady in a wheelchair for 25 years was healed and able to walk and stand independently

Prayer points:

- Protection from spiritual attacks and witchcraft
- God would raise up leaders for this next season (renew and equip them for ministry)
- Wisdom and discernment for leaders in the community
- God to continue to flow in the power of Holy Spirit, so there are more miracles, salvations.
- Provision for transport, scholarships, training for leaders and ministers
- Healing for people who have been hurt, rejected and disempowered in community. For God to heal hearts.

