## To Nowra, Lake Tabourie, Tathra, Bombala, Queanbeyan

This was our first trip since June last year to the public schools and the communities along the way, to take the love of God and the presence of Jesus, and to offer each school a set of our Children's books and our Teen tracts. Our friend, Jessica, was interested to see what we do so she came with us and did the praying and anointing of each place we visited. We also had an assortment of leaflets to share with those who would be blessed by them, including Psalm 91, which seems to still be essential reading for many.

We set out and stopped at Pheasants Nest, where we prayed with 4 people, but our first school was Burrawang, followed by Avoca, both of whom accepted our sets of books graciously. However our next 2 schools, Kangaroo Valley and Illaroo Road, treated us very ungraciously as did Shoalhaven Heads, but we still were able to pray for the community there and had an opportunity to pray for healing for H. J at the preschool accepted the set of children's books. Bomaderry, Terara, and Greenwell Point Schools accepted the booklets and shared prayer with us. We stayed in Nowra Motel that night, where T prayed in Cambodian and T in Italian, using our language leaflets.



On our second day we had very gracious reception from Culburra, Sanctuary Point, St Georges Basin, Sussex Inlet, and 2 Ulladulla schools, but were disappointed at Callala, Falls Creek, Vincentia, Tomerong and Milton Schools. Some of these rely totally on the input from the Scripture teachers but only at Huskisson did they refuse to let us pray. It is interesting to meet with the supernatural powers that block God's blessing and we must be creative in prayer to overcome. Our accommodation at Wairo Beach was very good and T prayed with us.

We stopped for fuel at Cullendulla and prayed with J and V, who received 2 children's books for her grandchildren, then drove to Batemans Bay where K received the sets of books graciously, but at Sunshine Bay we were treated very rudely and we needed to pray "warrior" prayer against the dark forces there. At Mogo, Broulee, Bodalla and Narooma our books were again received but Moruya School refused them courteously but accepted a prayer. We had lunch at the water's edge and prayed with 4 people, sharing Psalm 91 with 2. Then we drove to Central Tilba, Cobargo, Quaama and Bermagui Schools where they encouraged us greatly and were grateful to receive our visit. We stayed that night at Tathra in a lovely cabin, and prayed with A.

Next day we drove to Tanja School, who received our books and prayers but Tathra School refused the



books but did allow us to pray. Bega and Merimbula Schools did not take books but appreciated the prayer, but Eden School not only refused the books but ordered us out pronto. It was a very unpleasant encounter but S in her garden and T on the street were courteous and appreciative. From there we drove to Towamba where they are still recovering 2 years later from the devastating fires in 2019. K greeted us warmly and received the praver and the books. A at Wyndham School and R and M at Candelo School, then C at Bemboka School, all received the books and the prayer with

appreciation, then we drove to Bombala for the night. On our fifth day we called at Bombala School where they graciously received the sets of books and prayer and then drove to Delegate where B accepted prayer and the books, then drove back through Bombala to Nimmitabel but not only would they not receive books but were ungracious about our offered prayer too. We were very disappointed, having driven so far, but we met C who was mowing the lawn at the Catholic School. She was so sweet and readily accepted



the books to distribute to children in the town. We went on to Dalgety where there are only 3 children this year and prayed with M, who also received the books. Berridale School receptionist told us to get out as we were not allowed on the school grounds but she did take the sets of books from us. Cooma School expected us to wait around till someone in charge was ready to speak to us, but after 10 minutes we left without leaving the books. Cooma North School, however, welcomed us sincerely, and received books and prayer. From there we drove to Bredbo, and T welcomed us too. Time was running out and we arrived at Michelago after school had finished but God was good and the Principal was still there and willing to see us. He took the booklets with such a positive attitude. It was a wonderful way to finish our schedule and we went on to Queanbeyan for the night, as each of us had friends or family to visit before we went home on Saturday morning.

Thank you Lord for Your faithfulness, enabling us and blessing 98 people in answer to our prayers, not counting all the children who will receive the fruit of the use of the booklets; 444 Children's books and 252 Teen tracts. We had prayed in 56 communities and anointed 51 places. It was a great privilege to bring God's blessings.

