Blair Family Newsletter #1 August 2014

Lingdom to Lingdom

"He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son" Colossians 1:13



Welcome to our first newsletter. We're so excited to be sharing with you our plans to serve Christ and his kingdom in the kingdom of Cambodia. Our hope is to go to minister amongst children, youth and university students in Phnom Penh. We pray that you would partner with us as together we take the gospel to the people of Cambodia.

Why Cambodia?

Cambodians desperately need Bible teachers to share the good news of Jesus. We realised this after spending 9 weeks of our long service leave last year



running a kids and youth holiday program at Celebrating Church in Phnom Penh (see photos below). As a result of our time there we want to use the blessings we've received in Australia to be a blessing to Cambodians. There are many opportunities to do this in Cambodia. In Phnom Penh there are over 40 universities with very little Christian ministry being done on campus. It's our prayer that Cameron can start reaching the unreached at



these universities. Cameron plans to train and equip students through Bible teaching while Lara hopes to reach children, youth and women.

Together as a family, we hope to share God's love to those who so desperately need it.

Where are we up to?

This month we were formally accepted as appointee missionaries with Pioneers Australia. Our appointment has come after 9 months of



conversation with Pioneers
Australia about returning to
Phnom Penh. In May this year
Pioneers invited us to apply and
we gratefully accepted. After
filling out numerous forms,
undertaking medical
examinations, psychology tests
and various interviews, we were
finally appointed. Praise God!
To get back to Cambodia we
now need to start raising a
support team of people who
will partner with us in this work.



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Will you partner with us?

We'd love you to prayerfully consider whether you can partner with us though prayer, financial support or even coming to visit us or to work alongside us after we arrive in Cambodia. Please consider coming along to one of our prayer and information meetings or the first of our fundraising nights (see below) or simply come over to our place and join us for a meal. Our mission agency Pioneers is a wonderful organisation that seeks to reach the unreached with the good news of Jesus. If you'd like to support us financially or for more information about Pioneers please see the Pioneers Australia website below.









Prayer Points

Please thank God for....

- The opportunity we had to go to Cambodia last year.
- Celebrating Church in Phnom Penh and their faithful local leaders.
- Pioneers and their appointing us as missionaries to Cambodia.

Please pray for....

- A clear path for us to get to Cambodia by this time next year.
- The raising up of a support team to partner with us.
- Our children as they prepare emotionally to leave Australia.

Prayer Meetings

7pm Wed 20th Aug (for dinner) 3pm Sat 13th Sep (for afternoon tea) 7pm Mon 20th Oct (for dinner) 1pm Sun 23rd November (for lunch)

*All meetings will be held at our place 258 Bexley Road, Earlwood. Please RSVP to the9blairs@gmail.com

FUNDRAISING BUSH DANCE

5:30pm Saturday 11th October

All Saints Petersham Church Hall 325 Stanmore Road, Petersham \$20/person or \$30/family

Please RSVP to the9blairs@gmail.com by Wednesday 8th October

