

A week of prayer & fasting

Day #6

Sunday 30th October

Today is our SEEK service, and we will be praying together beforehand on-site at the school. Today's Scripture and reflection are accordingly about those who seek God.

Daily Scripture Reading

- Acts 17:27 -

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Reflection: Have you ever played Blind Man's Buff? One person is blindfolded and has to tag the others, who move around the room as the 'blind man' swings and stretches out their arms at imagined targets. The blindfold gives you little idea where others are, when in reality they could be right in front of you. Today's reading is a single line from Paul's address to the Athenians in Acts 17. Paul was troubled at the sight of the many idols lining Athens' streets, but he detected in them a spiritual hunger—a desire to know transcendent reality. The grasping he perceived in Athens' citizens he affirmed not as a flaw but as God's design: we are made to know the one true God, and knowing him begins with seeking him.

Centuries before, God spoke to the Jewish exiles through Jeremiah, "You will search for me. And when you search for me with all your heart, you will find me!" (Jer. 29:13). Now Paul was sharing the same idea with pagans. God wants to be found; he is not hiding in a corner, but is near to each of us, even when we struggle to see it. Let's pray today for those seeking God, that they would turn to him when they find him.

Communal Prayer at Huapai School Classroom 9:15–9:45am

Hosted by Murray

Prayer focus: SEEK Service

- For those who have been invited to be prompted by the Spirit to come.

- For fruitful conversations that honour God and help people get to know him.
- For a relationship to develop between people and Christ.
- For openness to questions and discussion.
- For people to believe in the gospel for the first time and seek to follow Jesus!



Communal Prayer Times for the week:

- Sunday 30th: 9.15-9.45am at Huapai School (Murray)
- Monday 31st: 7.30-8.30pm at 78 Station Road (Silvia)

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