

# NAURUAN NEWS

From The

## McGeorge Family

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Dear Pastor and Praying Friends,

We Praise the Lord that we are back home and enjoying life and ministry on Nauru again!

We were able to begin our travels home on 4th August, with limited flights and crazy long layovers we arrived in Sydney, Australia on 7th August. We expected to fly to the Gold Coast on the following day, but were quarantined in Sydney for 14 days. We survived quarantine, and flew up to Brisbane and spent a few weeks with my parents while we waiting for our flight to Nauru on 4th September.

Once we got back to Nauru we were quarantined for Nauru for 5 days then released after our last negative Covid test (5 tests for all of us! :( ). On our Sunday in quarantine we were able to have a short church service and had 14 in attendance. I had a “Captive audience” :) and preached to them from Rom 5:8 and Rom 10:13.

Once out of quarantine we were able to go home.

We found Leo and Cathy Paine were well and the church was in great shape. One of our men, Bro Frank, has been leading singing and preaching on Sunday nights, so I have been glad to keep that up upon my return.

Our first Sunday on Nauru we had 53 in attendance, which was great! We were glad to see many familiar faces and a few new ones too. We are thankful for the faithfulness of our people and for the willingness of the Paine’s to fill in for us again.

Leo and Cathy were able to leave Nauru on 18th September due to a cancellation, which was a blessing or they may have had to wait till Oct 2nd to get out! They flew to Brisbane, then onto LA via Auckland, New Zealand. They arrive home to St Joe Missouri safe and were able to rest and get over jet lag.

So since our arrival home and the Paine’s departure, we find ourself with some increased costs from our furlough, or as we might say “The Covid Tax”:(

- Our quarantine in Sydney, New South Wales was a blessing in disguise, being only \$5500AUD for our family of 5 vs over \$7000 AUD like we were expecting in Queensland.
- Our flights from Brisbane to Nauru were \$8100AUD
- Leo and Cathy’s flights from Nauru to Brisbane were \$3,100AUD, And their flights from Brisbane to St Joe were \$2500USD

We are thankful to those who have given towards these increased expenses, and we pray that you would prayerfully consider what you could do to help. Anything sent to the GIBM designated “return to the field expenses” will be used for these needs.

Life on Nauru has remained largely unchanged since COVID-19. We still have no cases on island and outside of less flights in and out and the 5 days of quarantine on arrival, things are still “Normal on Nauru” which is an expression and accusation seldom used of our little part of the world ;)

We are very glad to be home and done with all the Covid Craziess in the US and Australia and especially all the paperwork and uncertainty about traveling - it really is a mess.

Some Prayer Requests to Remember...

1. The work in Nauru to grow, have visitors and receive land.
2. Australian citizenship Paperwork for Titus and Gideon

Thank you once again for your prayers and support that enable us to continue to serve the Lord, and represent you in Nauru.

Bro Adam, Christie, Elijah, Titus and Gideon McGeorge



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