

AMPP Roll-Out 2021

1. ACRONYM

AMPP as most of you know, is an ACRONYM for Adopt Members of Parliament for Prayer
This Project was launched in 2017-2020 Term of Parliament. There are at least 2 ways in which we seek to implement the exhortation to pray for Government in 1 Tim 2:1-2:

- (a) Prayer @ Parliament events in Wellington
- (b) AMPP Project – Praying for every MP (120) throughout the Nation.

2. REORGANISATION

With massive changes in the configuration of the 53rd Parliament, we have to go back and reorganize the allocation of MPs to Project Supporters (both present and future). Of course the vision remains the same. Pray for every MP (120) during the whole term of Parliament (3 years).

3. PS RASIK'S ROLE

My term as Prayer @ Parliament Convener will terminate on 18 March. I will continue to be Prayer @ Parliament advisor; Prayer @ Parliament Promoter; participate in Wednesday Parliamentary Prayer Breakfast and also as National Director of AMPP. Please see my 'Transition Time' newsletter sent in February or visit our website

www.prayeratparliament.org.nz

4. AMPP Roll-Out

Rolling out the AMPP project and allocating both Electorate and List MPs Nation-wide takes at least a few months. In the meantime I am looking for 120 Prayer @ Parliament members who for an interim period, 19 March to 30 June 2021 (just over 3 months) will take the responsibility of praying for only ONE MP at least twice a month. *See Table Below*

AMPP PRAYER PARTICIPATION

INTERIM	YEARLY
18 March – 30 June	18 March – 31 December
1 MP only	2 MPs – your Electorate MP & 1 allocated List MP
No registration required	New Registration or Re registration essential
Starts 19 March 2021	Starting soon
Prayer Partners from Wgtn Region(mainly)	Prayer Partners Nation-wide

5. ENROLMENT PROCESS

This is how we propose to implement it:

At our first Prayer @ Parliament on 18 March 3 categories of people will enter the Grand Hall:

- a) Those who are prepared to commit themselves to be an *INTERIM PRAYER PARTNER* as explained above.

- b) Those who for whatever reason do not feel they can commit themselves to *Interim AMPP*.
- c) Those who had not read the AMPP Roll-Out newsletter that I am sending with Final Update No. 4.

If you belong to category (a) request an MP Name **Slip** from the Information Desk inside the Grand Hall. See Specimen below.

If category (b) Please go right in.

If category (c) I will be speaking briefly about Interim AMPP vision on 18 March. You may decide at end of service to join.

I am praying that I will be able to find 120 attendants who will be able to help out in this *INTERIM PERIOD*.

6. MP INFORMATION

Information and photo of MP allocated to you can be obtained from MP's Website, MP's Party website, or by phoning 04-471-9999 and the receptionist will direct your call to MP's office.

Remember relevant information helps to make our prayers (1) specific not general; (2) sustainable not short-term.

MP NAME SLIP

Name of MP Party. Electorate or List	MP code Number	Your Name (Print)	Your email address
AMPP Prayer Partner. Keep this portion	Complete and return this portion in Box provided for office use.		

It is recommended you take a camera photo shot of your MP Name Slip in case you lose this slip.

7. ALL MP'S ARE SERVANTS OF GOD (Rom 12)

It is important to bear in mind, that we pray for all MPs whether they are Christians or not, whether you support them or their party or not. You are praying because he/she is an MP and part of the legislative process of parliament; because they are involved in a God-ordained institution namely, human government; they are designated three times as 'servants of God' in (Rom 13:1-7) in the broadest sense. In the narrower sense a person who is described as a servant of God, is a devoted Christian who is conscientiously serving the Lord in the spiritual arena (Rom 1:1).

8. PRAYER POINTS

If you join please,

- a) Pray that they will make a constructive contribution while they are in Parliament.
- b) Pray for their families
- c) Pray for their salvation, if they are not Christians (this information can be obtained through the MP's office by asking if the MP is a follower of any particular faith. Sometimes it is difficult to get this information from them.
- d) Pray for their protection.

9. ENROLMENT ESSENTIAL FOR YEAR-LONG COMMITMENT

Those who want to join the project for a whole year or more can register on our website. Even if you were an AMPP participant in the last term of Parliament you must register again as your list MP and Electorate MP may have changed.

10. KNOWING HOW IT WORKS

Please come well briefed with the contents of this email before coming to Prayer @ Parliament on 18 March 2021. This will be of great help. **Please bring a copy of this email with you for reference.**

11. VOLUNTARY

I thank you sincerely for reading about it thus far and I hope you will be able to join at least the interim project, if not the longer term project. I must emphasise this project is entirely voluntary.

12. QUESTIONS

If you have questions please see me at the end of the Prayer @ Parliament Gathering on 18 March.

Praying together for the welfare of our Nation

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