

MINI UPDATE FEBRUARY 2018

NEXT CONTAINER OF BOOKS AND EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES BOUND FOR FIJI FOR JUNE 2018

After sending five 20-foot containers of books and educational materials to needy schools in developing countries in southern Africa over several years, Library Aid International Inc (LAI) now has over 80% of a container of sorted materials ready to be shipped to Fiji in April. Two years ago many areas of Fiji were devastated by a Category-5 cyclone and they are still recovering. Another Category-5 cyclone has just battered southern Fiji islands.

A team of 10 people are going to Fiji in June 2018 to work with schools and assist the distribution together with help from the Fiji Education Ministry, the Rotary club of Nadi (Fiji Schools Project) and the Radisson Blu Resort (Adopt-A-School program). It is also hoped to meet a request received through Youth For Christ for books to establish a library in a village there.

The distribution will be mainly to rural, disadvantaged or remote schools that are in need of support for basic resources. Please pray for Library Aid which operationally involves people from a number of churches in northwest Tasmania, community volunteers, Centrelink and CVGT Australia work placements, and supporters/members from around Australia. If you would like to know more about LAI, how you could be involved or provide an opportunity to give a presentation, please contact us by phone (03) 6437 1000 or email libraryaidinternational@gmail.com