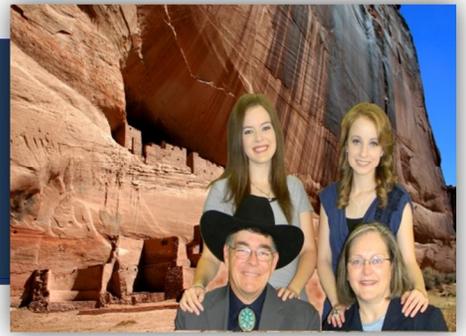


# The HAYNES FAMILY

## Missionaries to the Navajo Nation



"...Streams in the desert." Isaiah 35:6 b

Dear Pastor and Church,

May - June 2014

### A SERIES OF FIRSTS – FIRST CLASS IN NEW BUILDING!

The summer has proven to be our busiest ever, so there is a lot to tell you! **We had our annual Vacation Bible School in Ganado and it was amazing! Three days we were over 100 in attendance (the average was 99.25 – motivation to average 100 next year!). The Lord saved 12 precious souls, some of whom have already obeyed in being baptized! One of the most exciting things to happen was that one of the classes was the first to meet in our new building!** No, we are not close to being ready to move in, but it sure got folks excited to see a class taught in there! Pastor Love, Pastor Golden, and Pastor Zdziarski all did a great job with the people they brought to help with the VBS.



### A SERIES OF FIRSTS – FIRST SERVICE AND VBS AT CHAMBERS BAPTIST CHURCH!



Many of you have been tracking the progress of the purchase of the building in Chambers, Arizona, to start a new church. **On July 13, 2014, the first service was held in the former Apple Dumplin' Restaurant, now Chambers Baptist Church! The VBS was amazing with a high day of 51 (incredible for a first time VBS here) and 17 people saved!** There is still a long way to go to finish the purchase of the building and property, but it is making progress! **Please pray about helping as we are nearing the \$30,000 mark of the \$80,000 needed to secure it all.**



### A SERIES OF FIRSTS – FIRST TIME FOR A STEEPLE!

Progress is being made on the new building here in Ganado! One of the problems is that it looked like a warehouse instead of a church building – until now! Bro. Johnnie Gray brought a steeple from San Angelo, Texas, all the way to the Rez. It has just been installed onto the building and it has totally transformed its look! **The steeple is visible all up and down AZ**



**Highway 264 and lets folks know there is a church here!** Our people realize that this steeple points to the One Who is worthy of all honor and praise! What is being accomplished on the Reservation and at Ganado Baptist Church is because of our Lord! Praise His name!

### A SERIES OF FIRSTS – FIRST TIME IN A LONG TIME FOR WEEKLY BAPTISMS!

We have had the privilege of seeing a good number of people saved over the past few months. It has been our joy to baptize on four consecutive weeks! **So far, we have seen 18 people follow the Lord in baptism for 2014. Attendance has been up with a high day of 158.** We are not about numbers, per se, but it has been wonderful to see how God is working. I have also preached in multiple funeral services and had the privilege of seeing quite a few saved and some visitors to our church as a result.



### A SERIES OF FIRSTS – FIRST TIME CHURCH PLANTS IN PREPARATION!!

In addition to Chambers, church plants will be starting, **Lord willing, within the next two years in Indian Wells, Arizona, and Window Rock, the Tribal Capital.** Bro. Ryan Nez will graduate from Ganado Baptist Bible College this May and begin deputation to start the work in Window Rock. The dream of starting ten churches in 15 years is totally dependent upon the Lord, but it looks more and more like a reality. Pray as we endeavor to saturate Navajoland with strong, Native-led Bible preaching churches! Thank you for your praying and giving!

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