

Smoke Signals... From the McKinneys

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Dear Faithful Friends,

Things have been going well here on the Warm Springs Reservation in Oregon. This time last year we experienced many deaths across the Rez and it became a concern to all the people. This year has been normal in that department and we are glad to have the Lord's favor. It has given us the opportunity to preach the Lord's goodness, life, and blessing.

In June,,,we have been having good altar response and some saved but the visitors coming is a good indication that people are hungry for the Truth of God's Word. We also had two work groups come by to do some work on the building and renovate our restroom down-stairs. We are repairing floors upstairs and the building is looking pretty good.

My wife and I have been driving to make all the Graduations from family and friends. We had two grand daughters graduate; Victoria McKinney in Tacoma and Gabrielle Sanesi in Puyallup, both are in Washington. Those little kids do grow up and all the rest follow...amen! Regina and I helped with the summer camp and spoke on marriage and these young ladies really did have some good questions around the subject of marriage. We had a good time helping the girls camp.

In July... we are planning a three day VBS for K-5th graders and we will have another one in August for the Middle schoolers. Next year we will aim for the High Schoolers and the need to reach them is great.

This month is also when Regina is officially RETIRING from the work force. She got a job with the Tribe when we first moved here but the grant has run out of money so instead of looking for another job, she decided to hang it up for good. She will be retiring on July 20th and I am as excited about it as she is...She has earned it!

Prayer Needs.....That the Lord's favor will continue / New converts to Grow and learn Obedience / VBS and salvation of children / Good News Club to go well in this new school year / Our men to keep growing / Over 800 acreage of land burned around our main area of town but no one hurt /

Let me Thank a dear Brother in Christ that helped us purchase a set of new tires and it came in time when we needed them. Over the Years, all of you have have been faithful to be part of God's blessing on our ministry to the Northwest for 30 years.

May The Lord Bless his People,



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