## Smoke Signals ... From the McKinneys

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Dear Prayer Partners,

We have been back in Tacoma since Valentine's Day, and we are seeing doors that the Lord has opened up for us. There are tremendous opportunities for Tacoma Indian Baptist Church and it's ministries.

**First of all...**There has been a promise to provide new facilities or a new addition to the old building. This will provide plenty of room for classrooms and for any other activities. It's in the planning stages now.

We do have a church van to pick up folks who need transportation. We just need a licensed driver preferably over 25 years of age.

We also received 70 cushioned chairs for the auditorium. The pews we had were old & faded; they needed to be replaced! We really like the way our auditorium looks now. Thank you Native American Mission Fund Ministries for your gift!

Second of all...Regina and I have been doing good in the area of our health. I have had a couple of bouts with vertigo, but I am better now. I also had cataract surgery on both eyes. The Lord has been taking care of us during these last few months since we are as busy as we have ever been.

We have officiated several funerals. The saddest one was for a six year old girl. We have been busy working on the church building, and we are working on our house too.

We will not be able to have VBS this year, but hopefully we will see things develop for next year.

Last of all...I am acting as Interim Missionary Pastor here until we find a replacement for the Pastorate. It is difficult to find pastors for churches these days, especially for Native Ministries. We are encouraged by 3 decisions to trust Christ and many who have rededicated their lives!

Thank you for all the funds that were given for our vehicle. It was a tremendous shower of blessing for us! We appreciate your prayers and your care for us over the last few months. We love and appreciate you all.

In Christ Alone

**Bro Larry G McKinney**