## Smoke Signals... From the McKinneys

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## **Dear Prayer Partners:**

Spring is definitely here in the Northwest. We are still seeing a lot of rain in Tacoma, but on the eastside of the state, it's dry and getting warmer. People in Nespelem are commenting on the "mild" winter that we've seen. While in Tacoma, we were concerned about thunderstorms, golf ball size hail and possible tornadoes. We're glad it didn't happen!

Last weekend, I preached a Revival at Warm Springs Baptist Church in Oregon. There were a lot of people in attendance. The attendance on Sunday was 75. One young lady named, Heaven asked Jesus to save her. Now she is assured that Heaven will be her home one day! A Ukrainian Baptist Church from Portland, OR came over to help with the children's activities and feeding everyone. They brought over a bouncy house and many outdoor games for the kids. Everyone enjoyed it all!

God has been blessing the church in Tacoma also. We have started a children's class, which our granddaughter teaches. A few weeks ago, a 10 year old boy, named Emmet trusted Jesus as his Savior. Praise the Lord for Sunday School! I'm teaching a series of lessons on Bible Survey at the Tacoma church on Wednesday nights. We're going through the whole Bible, one book at a time. The lessons are over an hour, and it gives people a desire to learn more about God's word. Hopefully, they will dig deeper into each book!

The Way of the Cross Baptist Church is growing. Our highest attendance is 18. We have been passing out tracts and talking to people at the Trading Post. We are starting to see some response there. Please continue to pray for all three churches. A Pastor in Kent, WA committed on how his church is praying for us. He said they pray that God will keep us in good health to continue taking care of the churches. We also ask prayer for our VBS in June and if it is possible, financial help would really be helpful for doing work on the outside of our building....the roof, the siding, the painting and on the inside, the nursery.

We are anxiously looking forward to Bro Spenser and his family coming to help in the Nespelem church in April. We're happy that our Pastor, Bro Giordano will be visiting us too! Our prayer is that the Lord will make the transition a blessing for Spencer and his family!!!

Thank you for your prayers and financial support. God's blessings to you ALL.

For Christ's sake.

Way of the Cross Baptist Church



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