





Praise the Lord:

- Mild temperatures this winter. We will have lots of wood leftover for next year.
- Deborah is settled in her job and living at home again.
- Good visits. Some of our church ladies want to get together to bead.
- 4. Robert, our son, will be coming home for a visit in April.

Please Pray for:

- I. Jackie's cancer and his desire to get married.
- 2. A special need in our family
- 3. God would lead a young couple to work with us.
- 4. Help with VBS
- 5. Possible month furlough to visit some churches in May.
- 6. Rachelle possibly coming for the summer.
- 7. Stuart- struggling with addictions

Isaiah 54:13 ""And all thy children shall be taught of the LORD; and great shall be the peace of thy children."

This is the time of year when winter seems long and the cloudy days unending. It's snowing and colder this week. Neither of us can afford to slip and fall this winter. We always look forward to working outdoors again. We are planning a possible VBS for our church this summer. This will be the first time to do this. We would like to make it a family event.

It was encouraging to see a dad reading scripture to his boys while waiting for the service to begin. Bob has been teaching on the Holy Spirit and it brought up issues that may create problems. There has been a strong

influence of
Pentecostal
origin here.
Pray God will
open people's
eyes to Truth and
be encouraged.



We seem to have

a routine of activities to do. Every other Monday we help with a senior luncheon for the elders. Tuesday and Thursday, we have Safe Zone, and Wednesday we do visiting on the reserve. Bob is working on making a Murphy's Bed in our third smallest bedroom. Pastor Moore and his son came and help cut the boards he will need for the project. This type of bed will make that small room usable when family visits. Robert will be here in April for two weeks and Rachelle in June for 6 weeks.

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Special Kids:

The young girl, **Ayla**, is putting a puzzle together in the second picture. She comes many times by herself rather than walking with a group. She had difficulty playing card games. Maybe she had never done that before. She has severe eczema on her hands and hard to understand sometimes. Yesterday she won a card game, and should have the puzzle finished tomorrow. She read Scripture aloud before her peers and seems more sure of herself. She is in foster care, given up by her parents because of their addictions. She doesn't feel anyone at her house really cares for her. I see many kids like this. So, we try to show them love and inclusiveness in our activities. We want all of them to understand who Jesus is and how much He loves them.

The kids that come to safe zone are asking lots of questions. "How old is God? Can He see everything? Did both Adam and Eve eat the fruit? Weren't both naked then? In public? Some questions are easier then others to answer. The last two questions: I gave an example of a child who doesn't understand why they need to wear clothes because they don't have any understanding of shame. Adam and Eve were innocent until they sinned and now they had shame and wanted to cover themselves. It led to talking about our need for a Saviour. In many ways, its sad to see their ignorance of the Bible but a great joy to be the ones to bring knowledge to young hearts. Both here and on the reserve.





We have a special prayer request for Bob's brother, Mike. He has been diagnosed with stage 3 melanoma. But there are some inconclusive results that may change this diagnosis. We are also concerned about his understanding of Salvation. We do plan to visit him in April.

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