Round Up Ministries July/August Report Mount Calvary Baptist Church, Ramah, NM First Reservation VBS







Adelee Herndon accepted Jesus as her Savior.



Above is pictured the inside of the church while we are having a fun activity at the end of VBS. You can see this auditorium was full each night. What an encouragement it was to the two Pastors (pictured above with Kevin) Russell Aaron and Jason Herndon. They have been there for over twenty years. This area of the reservation has the Navaho as well as the Zuni tribe which is steeped in many false beliefs. It is hard to get them away from the traditional teachings of the tribe. If someone gets saved, they are not a part of the family anymore.

There were many sweet stories from this meeting. One ten-year-old girl came up to Loretta during the carnival and asked if she could stay here forever. When Loretta asked why, she said because it is so fun. Another junior age boy told Loretta that he hadn't had an ice cream sandwich for eight years (you helped us buy them for the last night promotion for the winning team). These people live in such a remote area. The church provides much of the activities for them. You can see why a Cowboy carnival would be such a hit.

Open Bible Baptist Church Waterflow, NM Second Reservation VBS



This is the largest building of the three churches. We had 47 saved and attendance was 222 for the last night.





We needed help for these meetings, so we invited churches to come to be a part. Faith Baptist of Wildomar had several adults come. These folks are workers. They helped us all day Saturday (after traveling) to clean the carnival equipment that had been out in the sand. They also went visiting and helped on the bus routes. Plus did personal projects for us during the day. Wow did we get a lot done.

One of the families who came was the Villanueva family who went out visiting and came upon teachers here on visas to teach on the reservation. Of course they are Filipino and had instant rapport. They led one of the teachers to the Lord. The other one was saved by missionaries in their home country. Both of them came to church for the carnival and we are rejoicing. Now the Chitty's will have the opportunity to follow up and perhaps get more of the teachers saved.

Ganado Baptist Church Ganado, AZ Third Reservation VBS



This is a well established great work. Pastor Haynes and his assistant are really making a difference in that community. They have a Navajo choir that sings and will really bless your heart. We were amazed at the crowds especially after Covid. Many are still wearing masks and afraid of the disease.

One of the things that is so different in all these churches is the number of teens and adults that attend. We had to add to the prizes that we offered to include them.

We had 19 saved (three adults) and 147 on the last night.

Pictured below is Chloe, Felicity, Clayton, and Read Horton who joined us to do these three VBS meetings. They were invaluable in set up, tear down, and making the program happen. We definitely had a better meeting having them with us. Thank the Lord for sending them to be a part of our team for these meetings. These dedicated young people paid their own flights to meet up with us. You helped us be able to pay their other expenses while with us. We are so grateful!!!



More pictures of those who got saved. Only eternity will tell what you did for these three ministries by helping us to go!