

“Northwestern Ontario News”

Update and Prayer Letter from the Rasmussens, your missionaries to NW Ontario

Be not weary in well doing. . . . June 2021

We have been blessed:

1. God’s protection and care of us.
2. Opportunities to minister outside of church services.
3. Many responses to the service for family camp.
4. God’s provision to expand our storage area

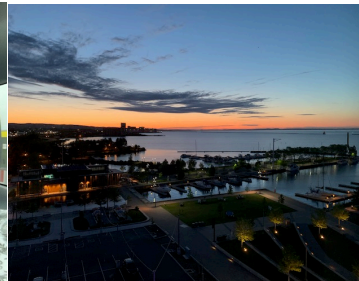
We ask prayer for:

1. Deb’s Citizenship testing- last step
2. Sunday School area
3. Commitment from Believers services
4. Counseling Camps in Round Lake
5. Several fires west of us.

COVID STAGE 2: Churches can now have 25% of capacity inside. Outdoor gatherings are fine. We can travel to the USA and not have to quarantine when returning as long as you are fully vaccinated and your covid test comes back negative 3 days before re-entering. We are quite busy this summer so don’t plan to travel across the border for awhile.

HOUSE OF PRAYER: There are many outdoor opportunities and camps on the reserve this summer that may take some people away on Sundays. We still had good attendance last week (several kids) even with high temperatures. Bob is teaching on the origin of the church and it’s importance. He decided to record this so it can be viewed on you tube for those who weren’t there. A pentecostal church on the reserve is resuming services. They currently hold services every other week. This has drawn those back who were from that church originally. **Let the Lord build the church.** We are working on clearing out the trailer for Sunday School. We are praying some will see the need as well and help out. We hope to start doing some visiting on the reserve soon.

ANNIVERSARY TRIP: June 14th marked our 35th wedding anniversary. We have been saving a little money here and there so were able to get away for a few days. Each year is a gift. Thank you Lord!



We were able to spend a day at the camp in Mishkeegogamang. Most of our attendees were out there for family camp, so we held Sunday Services out there. Cindy helped with singing and we were able to connect with the people. The temperature dropped considerably while we were out there making our return trip quite chilly. Next week starts the camps up north in Round Lake. (July 12-16/ 26-30/ Aug. 9-13) It will be great to reconnect with friends.



A NEED OF CONCERN: There has been a discovery of the remains of children from school residential days 1950-1970s. More than 6,000 children went missing and now found to have died while at these schools. It’s so heartbreaking and is creating a rift between churches and First nations. Most of these schools were run by Anglican and Catholic churches. Please pray.



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