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## Welcome from Pryor, MT!

Justin + Rebecca Shaw  
Addy, Kendall, Jake, + Judah



We arrived on April 16th, and we want to update you on what we've been up to. We are making the church our home and getting more adjusted day-by-day. We are learning how to homeschool...that's new to all of us! Exploring our new surroundings and taking in His beautiful creation is one of our favorite past times. We were able to spend the day in Yellowstone for my birthday. We saw tons of wildlife, especially bison. We even got to see a

bear on our way out of the park! We've been to Chief Plenty Coups State Park, which is about a mile from us. There's a lot of history and tradition to learn all around us.

We have had 4 Sundays with the kids, and each Sunday they open up to us a little bit more. I've taken pictures of each of them for a bulletin board and to learn each of their names. We are preparing for Youth Camp June 4-8 in the Big Horn Mountains of Wyoming. We are excited about spending quality time with the kids! We are working towards starting the after school program in the fall.



"Now set your heart and your soul to seek the LORD your God." | Chronicles 22:19



## Prayer Requests and Needs

### Ministry

Our kids program consists of the bus going through town and picking up kids to come to church. Once they get here, there is a song service and small lesson, a meal, and a game/activity. We then take them home.

- We have this playground that gets used weekly, and will also be used by the afterschool program. This structure is no longer safe and needs to be replaced. It is more than 10 years old and the weather has really taken a toll on it. The cheapest structure that would be suitable for the amount of kids we have is at least \$2,000. Commercial playgrounds cost a lot more!
- We need a reliable bus! Neither bus we have is reliable enough to get our kids to camp. As we start the afterschool program we will need a bus more often as well.
- The summer is pretty busy around here, but we will be starting the construction of a new 40'x60' building! We are still in need of about \$10,000 for this project.

### Personal

- Judah and I will be flying to SC May 22 for his K5 graduation and for me to speak at Camperdown's 8th grade graduation. We will fly back on May 27 and bring Justin's mom, Debbie, with us for a 2 week visit. Please pray for our safety.
- Please continue to pray for Justin's elbow. His case has transferred smoothly to Montana, but the soonest appointment for consultation so far is July 3rd.
- Kendall is still very afraid of the dogs here on the property (and all dogs). She is making progress, but it makes playing outside more of a challenge for her. Please pray that she will overcome her fear of Bear and Dixie.

Thank you so much for your continued prayers and support. We are so thankful to have you along for the adventure God has called us to!

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