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Welcome from Pryor, MT!

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

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! So sorry this is reaching you after Christmas, but we wanted to be sure to include information from our Christmas party. We were able to provide gifts for 32 native children with the help of many churches and individuals. Each child received 2 presents, clothes, shoes, a coat, and a shoebox full of goodies. The excitement as they opened their toys radiated through the room! There was pure happiness from parents and kids alike. We are so thankful that you have a part in this ministry. Here are some pictures from that night; please know that anytime we share photos they cannot be shared on any social media.



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

Prayer Requests and Needs; Praises from Previous 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 were able to have a Fall Festival in early October. We had many kids and adults come down to enjoy hot dogs, bouncy houses, and hay rides.
- We have seen growth in our Sunday morning services, and we are thankful for the ones that are coming.
- The playground is now assembled and the kids love the new area and swings!
- The outside of the building is done, but we still need to do the concrete flooring, insulation, and electrical. If there's a team of men that know about insulation and electrical work and would be willing to come out, please let us know.



Personal

- Justin's worker's comp case is now wrapped up. He is currently looking for some type of job that will help supplement our support and my tutoring income. With the ministry, it is important for him to have flexible hours or hours that can accommodate what we need for the school.
- We were able to come to SC for Thanksgiving. It was so great being able to see so many of our friends and family. One of our biggest prayer requests going into the trip was for God to guard our hearts and confirm our calling. Before we left, the girls said they were excited to go but they were going to miss home. We were so touched that Montana has become home! After being in SC for about 10 days, we were still enjoying our time, but we were ready to come home. It is so nice how God truly moves your heart!

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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