

Miracles of Ministry: Called for Youth

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Dear Friends,

My Summer, God's Plans

The school year is over. Students are either at home working hard or on missions trips somewhere around the world! In both settings they are serving God and sharing His heart with others. But while the school year has ended, God's hand at work has not.

I wrote in my last update about a Bible Study in Erie for a few post-high school kids with muddy pasts. While this will still occasionally be the case, my primary focus is in Indiana, PA, now. The church I attend there, Calvary Evangelical Free Church, had need of a summer Youth Leader. After much prayer and church encouragement, I took the job! The first week



Sarah (top left) coleads the youth with me; Taylor, Hannah and Maria are all very involved

there, four kids attended; they were eager to learn and get more involved.

Now, in just a short period of time, there are nearly 20 kids

who are inviting their friends; they are just as eager to go deeper in their walk with the Lord! Praise God, as most of the kids

just returned from Creation, a Christian music festival of over 80,000 people! One of our girls accepted Christ there!

Coming up soon, we're hoping to engage the surrounding community by playing ball in the neighborhood, making friends with everyone we can and inviting them to events we've planned for the future.

seen God steadily providing the necessary funds; I am a third of the way there! Keep praying for this especially, because I must reach the hundred percent mark by August 1st. If you feel led to contribute financially more than you have already, please write back to the return address with a check made out to Campus

Never Stop Thinking Ahead

My other responsibility for the summer has been preparing for the Fall when students are back on campus. Launching multiple ministries last year was certainly faith-building, and I am now praying about where God would have me allocate time and energy and in what capacity. The more im-



I am preparing for another year of ministry

mediate adventure will be a throw back to last summer as I develop ministry partners like yourselves and raise up personal funds to make ministry possible. Thus far I've

Please Pray for:

- ◆ These young high school kids to learn how to better share their faith.
- ◆ God to follow up with the lessons He taught the kids at Creation.
- ◆ God's hand on me as I develop funds and plans for next year. I must trust Him to do it, not me.

Other News

Recent IUP grad, Rachel, is raising support to join our team for next year! However, she is unavoidably overworked and discouraged due to outside circumstances. Pray hard!

High school ministry in Erie may take off; God is bringing along several potential initiate contacts!

Crusade for Christ. I really appreciate your heart and support.

In His hands,



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