



For the Lord is good and His love endures forever; His faithfulness continues through all generations. Psalm 100:5

Home-going - The Lord called home Vonda Smith, a faithful retired Corning Area Bible Club Missionary on August 29, 2020. I (Dave) had the privilege of officiating her funeral service on September 2. Only eternity will reveal the number of boys and girls that were impacted by her faithful life of proclaiming Jesus and the gospel. The Bible reminds us, to be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord. Vonda is now rejoicing in her forever home.



On August 28 - We held a Bible Club Camp Gathering - North Baptist Church Corning, NY. We had 40 in attendance and enjoyed fellowship, music, snacks, a campfire, and a message from God's Word.

Upcoming Events:

September 13 - Dave will speak at Christian Life Baptist Church in South Corning, NY. (postponed from August 30)

Monthly Committee Meeting - pending September 21

We will host a Day of Prayer later this month, our exact date is not yet decided. Please pray for all of our regional missionaries that are facing the same COVID-19 related challenges. They need wisdom on how to continue to minister to students.

Looking Ahead - Currently it appears that our area schools will all be on a type of hybrid teaching schedule in the Fall. A combination of in-school classes and online virtual classes. COVID-19 guidelines advise the schools not to allow outside visitors/nor after school in school programs. We are working on a plan to at least make a couple of options available to our students in the Corning-Painted Post School District. Please pray with us for wisdom and success in making these classes available and that we will have a good response.

We are looking into setting up a mailbox Bible Club and offering students Bible lessons through the mail.

Dave has applied to be on the teacher substitution list for the Corning - Painted Post School District. This is a back-up plan, if ministry in the schools remain limited, this will allow a presence among students and enable some connections to be kept in place.

Thank you for continuing to stay with us through these trying times. More than ever we need your prayer support and we pray too, that our support level will not drop off during this time. Thank you so very much to everyone that supports us and the ministry with faithful financial gifts.

"Let God's promises shine on your problems." - Corrie ten Boom

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