

CREE COMMUNITIES MINISTRIES – FEBRUARY 2019 – by DarWin Benson Taylor

During the last journey to Grandmother's Bay, I was able to meet with approx. 30 students at the local school. Students, and 5 adults enjoyed a hot dog lunch, followed by a 20 minute devotional. During the devotion time, I stressed to them how Jesus should be revered and seen as the Greatest 'hero' in their lives! (Vs. other so-called super heroes, sports "heroes", etc.) I was also able to share with them that God, our Heavenly Father, is available & pleased with fellowship, with Him – through PRAYER! The group was reminded that our wonderful God is always present – with everyone who has received/believed in Him :) and that He is pleased and welcoming when we commune with Him through Prayer – anytime & any place! He IS always with us :) and He will never disappoint us, when we LOOK to Him by faith! :)

**"...Hold fast to
The LORD
your God..."**
Joshua 23:8

**"GROW in the
Grace & knowledge
of our Lord and Savior
Jesus Christ."**
II Peter 3:18



Some of the Bible verses, shared with the youth & adults, included the following:
(I tried to select ones that tied in with Valentines :)



**"TRUST in
The LORD
With
ALL
YOUR HEART!"**
Proverbs 3:5

**"LOVE
one another
as I have loved YOU!"**
words of Jesus :) in John 15:12

"Give your cares to JESUS because He CARES FOR YOU!" I Peter 5:7

"For GOD so LOVED the world (YOU! :) that He gave His only begotten Son that whosoever believes in Him should not perish but have EVERLASTING LIFE!" John 3:16

"Be sure of this: I AM WITH YOU ALWAYS! :) I will NEVER LEAVE YOU, OR FORSAKE YOU!"

Words of Jesus :) Matthew 28:20 and Hebrews 13:5

75 'GOSPEL Treat Bags' were distributed to approx. 60 school students and 15 adults. There would be many more Adults who'd be exposed to reading the home-made, 'Valentine Card/multi-page Tract' that was included in the bags, as many of the children would share these items with their families - when they went home from school. :) Several children & adults, from Bethlehem Church helped with packing this month's Gospel Treat Bags. THANKS to all who helped! :) The treats in the bags were kindly paid for by the Association of Free Lutheran Congregations! :) **YOUR FAITHFUL PRAYERS** – will be a key part, in Spiritual Fruit coming forth - from the sharing of God's Holy Word - through the distribution of these very well-received, 'GOSPEL Treat Bags'! :) I was also able to have several great 'Friendship Evangelism' visits – with many from the village, during the time there. Several donated clothing items were also distributed – including new & used, warm boots, gloves, mittens, & more!

TO GOD BE THE GLORY :) for what He is doing! :)

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