

# JOHNSON FAMILY MINISTRIES

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This summer has been filled with many services even though the original plan was to take fewer since our summer schedule in the past several years has been hanging around 85 services leaving us exhausted. As it turns out however, we're only down by 10 services through the summer. Then, on our 'days off' (please note the sarcasm) we built a massive 3500 sq. foot movie set in a hay field near North Battleford, SK. and filmed for a week, with about 50 cast and crew in the last week of of August. We have done a lot of filming this past year and look forward to telling more about the movie as it gets closer to its release date!

All of the camps, filming endeavours and travel miles, has made for a huge summer schedule. But now, let us fill you in on some of the summers ups and downs and most importantly the results! It all began in beautiful Jasper National Park with a great service and then further up North to Peace River where we held 2 Children's Services, 2 Youth Services and a Family Service with a great reception. In the mean time, we were saddened to receive word from La Crete that the North Country Gospel Jamboree had to be cancelled due to wild fire so we turned around and headed south again to Kingman, AB. Baptist church who took us in for a last minute service.



The first of July began with several weeks of Children's Ministry beginning in Hanna, AB. for a VBS, and then on to Bible camps including Moose Lake Pentecostal, Shekina Baptist, Wheale Family Ranch and Manitou Lake Bible Camp. At each of these camps we had many opportunities to pray one on one with children and lead so very many in a prayer of repentance as they gave their lives to Jesus. These are the moments we travel and work so hard for, and although we're preparing for ministry to the children, we know others are receiving as well. Here is a letter we received from one of the young leaders after our Hanna VBS;....

*"Last week your family did children's ministry in Hanna. I was there as a Jr. leader. I learned a lot from your skits, songs and lessons. I have been a Christian for as long as I can remember, but I didn't really let my light shine. Your family has inspired me and encouraged me to get to know Jesus even better and not hide my light. I'm so thankful that you came and preached because it makes a difference in my life and had a huge impact on my life."* We are so grateful for the hundreds of children & leaders that God enabled us to minister to this summer! Praise be to Him!

Early this year a man spoke into our lives by the power of the Holy Ghost saying that we would start hearing of more results from people and places where we've ministered. Of course, we minister as God directs us, and then leave for another city or church, often unaware of the follow up results of the prayers we've prayed over people. But this year, true to His Word, God has allowed us to hear reports over and over again to quicken our faith and encourage our hearts.

Soon after this was spoken we went back to one of the churches in WA. that we are at each year and one man confided in me that he had been



there when we had, the year before. I casually replied, "thanks for coming back", but he went on to tell me, "no, you don't understand! Last year was life changing for me. I surrendered my life to Jesus and now, life has never

been the same!" More and more reports like this began pouring in of **life changing moments, rededication's, memorable times at the altar and even physical healings.** One lady informed Sandie this summer that we had prayed for healing for an infectious tumour a year ago and following the service, she found she



was healed and the symptoms have never returned.

Twice this summer we have had people come to tell us of what a special place our family held in their heart because it was under our ministry that they gave their lives to Jesus and have served Him ever since. One of these ladies told us of how they would soon be baptized.

Others have told how their whole family was inspired to love one another better and serve the Lord

together.

We are so grateful for this! It is such a gift from God! It has encouraged us to carry on and gently reminds us to "never grow weary in well doing." Perhaps for too long we carried on without knowing many of these results, but this gift has come at a time when we felt very tired and weary from all the travel and services this year.

Now, we begin looking ahead... seeking the Lord for greater things, so that no moment is lost, and so that the kingdom of God is built and established in the hearts of man. We are praying for greater boldness and for continued signs and wonders to follow the believer, as He's promised!

