



### Praise the Lord:

1. Opportunities to give the Gospel out over Christmas
2. Good attendance for the Christmas service
3. God's Protection on the road.
4. Cindy's Sister is doing well after her surgery. Thank you for praying!

### Please Pray for:

1. Bob's continued hearing issues. He will see a specialist in February
2. David M. (Former chief) is seriously ill.
3. The elderly in our church. Many have health issues.

### Psalm 53:1 "The fool has said in his heart, There is no God."

I have recently come across a couple of people who say they are atheists. The Bible says they are fools. They are actually saying there is no God for me. Not only does he not believe in God, but he acts upon that conviction. Men deny the existence of God, but it doesn't erase God from the universe. Romans 1:22 "Professing to be wise, they became fools". It comes down to not wanting to leave their sin and be left alone. There is such a need for the Gospel everywhere around us.

Not only do we see such rejection of God but also sit and listen to a group of seniors, some professing Christians, engage in political conversations against the United States. We are the transportation for the senior lunch at the local Baptist Church. As missionaries, we must remember our reason for being in another country: to proclaim the Gospel. We have to pick our battles and maybe choose to sit at a different table?!

That being said, we are so thankful for our little church on the reservation. We were able to have a Christmas service with a small children's program and then enjoy some soup and homemade rolls, followed by some games. Our native people enjoy their games. We had prizes and a very good time with good attendance. We are

planning to have a monthly game night at the church. It is a small building with long pews, but we will make do. We are looking into replacing the old pews with chairs that would make it more user-friendly for such activities.



**Special Kids:**



Meet Gregory. I believe he's 12 years old but taller than all the others. He's our newest attendee at Safe Zone. I've known his grandma for years. He is very attentive but rough around the edges. Pray God will do a wondrous work in his heart.

We also had a good Christmas party with the Safe Zone kids. A church group from southern Ontario donates Christmas bags to the reserve, and we usually receive enough to give out to our kids. It usually has some clothes, toiletries and candy.

The three of us travelled to Minnesota for Christmas. Rachelle flew up to be with us. The very next day, Deborah was sick, and then we and a few extended family. Rachelle is the only one who didn't get sick. I guess she is surrounded by a lot of little kids and built up a strong resistance. It took us quite a while to get rid of this virus. We had to cancel our first service back home because many of our people and we were sick. We are finally in good health again,

Bob is starting a series on Prophecy on Wednesday night. He is recording it and posting it on our church chat site for those who can't make it. There is a great interest in current events what the Bible says about it. Please pray for our people and us.

