
ROGERS' RUNDOWN

Spring 2015

Dearest Friends and Family,

It's been a very busy spring. We have seen real growth in some of our Tutoring Club students, as Thomas has spent time with one who has shown marked improvement in school and in behavior. Kristine was able to lead his sister to the Lord.

Deep conversations arising out the Married Men's group and the Guys' Game Group have helped at least one teen who had no friends and was

failing all his classes. With the group's support he

graduated with good grades and was accepted by his first-choice college with scholarships. However, once he left for school, he didn't manage as well and has come back to Mt. Morris where he feels better supported.

The puppet team gained a number of new members, with over half being beginners. That didn't stop us developing a short program first and then a big program this spring focusing on the idea that with God we can do anything. This program was performed at our church's family night, a local 4-H club and at the Chicago Puppet Festival, where the team received a Gold Award for the script and a Silver Award for our prepared song. We also taught three classes together at the Festival: Discipleship in Your Ministry, Following up Post-Ministry, and Human Arm Puppetry. We were able to share new ideas to encourage others. On top of all this, two of our veteran puppeteers won first and second place in the individual competition. They are taking leadership roles in the team now instead of just student roles. Pray for them to grow in maturity and service.

Thomas has begun weekly training for the local Backyard Bible Clubs and planning lessons for summer camp. InFaith summer missionaries will oversee the clubs while we are traveling. We will again be serving for two weeks at Winsome Bible Camp in Iowa and one week in Wisconsin for Northland Bible Camp. Thomas will also be going on a Kaleo mission trip to inner city Minneapolis with several of our local body of believers. Please pray for all our contacts and for the summer missionaries.



Puppeteers' families watching performance DVD



Men's Group Stars



Award-winning puppeteers



Enthralled Tutoring Club audience

In June we will be traveling by car to the West Coast for two weddings and many visits with friends and family. Look for us in Montana (June 1-3), Oregon (June 8-14) and Colorado (June 21-23). Check out our Facebook page, **Rogers' Rundown**, for more updates.

Many have asked about our health issues which are on-going. We have completed all our school year activities and will be taking some time as a family to rest and recuperate after all our doctor's visits and tests. We are still awaiting a final diagnosis and perhaps some troublesome adjustment of medications for Thomas' migraines and acid reflux issues. Please keep our youngest daughter Talia in your prayers for her respiratory issues and our oldest Cinda with sensory processing difficulties. Nico and Stephen are doing fine and growing by leaps and bounds. Kristine can always use prayers for stamina and good health too!

Thank you for your faithfulness in the Lord. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

In Faith,

Thomas and Kristine Rogers

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