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News from the Tyas family
Serving in WA among the Hispanic community
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From the Notes of Ed and Gerry...

As we move into fall we first want to look back on some highlights of this summer...



Gerry enjoys volunteering at the local food bank. She sometimes reconnects with people we have had ministry with before but lost contact with. One such family has girls in high school now and the girls came to help out. What a joy to see them. When we knew them they were a family of Dad and mom and 3 little girls and now they have grown by adding another daughter and son. Mom told Gerry we could come visit because “we (meaning all of us) were not being quarantined now.” What a joy to be in contact with them again.

** We enjoy serving at an InFaith Camp nearby every year and taking kid’s from our field there. This year it was held with 2 less campers than the maximum number that the camp allowed. Just to say... “we had a lot of kids”. It was a great time of learning more of the Lord and implanting truths from the Bible in young ones hearts.*



** We used creative ways this summer.*

An example is with some apartments in town. This was done with Child Evangelism Fellowship and their programs. Instead of having VBS for one week, every day, we have it for 5 weeks, once a week.

Because they are behind locked hallway doors and most of them were attending summer school we found that having it right after summer school we could remind them of the VBS starting shortly as they came from the bus. The kids that we had during the year were excited that we were having this during the summer and were very excited to attend. We considered this a success in this apartment complex.



Now we are looking to the fall and all God has for us.

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