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"...For they perceived that this work was wrought of our God" (Nehemiah 6:16b).

The campers at CAMP GOOD NEWS OVERNIGHT CAMP (ONC) learned how God used Nehemiah to rebuild the walls of Jerusalem, despite opposition and other obstacles. When the wall was finished in only fifty-two days, even Nehemiah's enemies recognized the hand of God in accomplishing such a feat! Countless times throughout ONC, I prayed this verse as my desire for what would be said of CEF OF NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY after nine weeks of summer ministry: *Look what God did* to reach His little ones with His Good News! He brought more campers than we have had at overnight camp in several years; He stretched my faith in the timing of His provision of the staff; He brought young people and adults who "had a mind to work" as Nehemiah's people did (Nehemiah 4:6). The greatest blessings of all are the young souls who made decisions to receive Jesus Christ as their personal Saviour from sin! Seven were counseled for salvation during ONC, totaling 15 for the summer. Nine children were counseled for assurance of salvation throughout the camp weeks, and 14 children plus one counselor took the next step to consecrate their lives to Christ. To God be the glory!

Summer ministry is only the beginning of what God can do! Will God ask you to be part of letting the children come to let the children know of Jesus during the Good News Club season, beginning in October? Singing "Jesus Saves!", Anna

CGN OVERNIGHT CAMP

60 campers at Week #1 • 55 campers at Week #2



The most important thing campers learned at their week of ONC, in their own words:

"Thank you for teaching me to accept Jesus as my Savior"

"That other countries don't get to worship Jesus"

"God always answers prayer even if you did not like the answer"

"Nehemiah and that he kept praying over and over until God answered"

"Even through your hardest times pray God will get u through it"

"Evolution is fake. (I actually believed it until this week!)"

Testimony from Miss Erin:

"I am so thankful for another summer God allowed me to serve Him through this ministry. Being a counselor for five different groups of kids this summer came with many blessings, especially seeing them grow in teamwork with each other and individually growing closer to God. I saw spiritual growth, especially at overnight camp. Each day, the girls in my group would be eager to share what God had shown them during their quiet time earlier that morning. It was a blessing to see them soaking in God's Word and to see that they understood it!"



Testimony from Miss Meredith:

"Throughout the summer, God has blessed me so much and taught me so many things. One of the many things that God taught me this summer is that there is no age limit on the Gospel. Going into the summer I felt very young and not mature enough in my faith to teach children about Christ and God proved to me that there is no set age you need to be to preach the Gospel. Young or old, if you are a Christian, God calls you to tell others about Jesus and will give you all you need to do so. He also taught me that there is no age limit on accepting and understanding the Gospel. My first 5-Day Club, during the second week of Summer Missionary Training School, was a preschool club. Going into it, I had some doubts that the children were going to be able to understand the Gospel. However, God proved me very wrong. The kids understood that God loves them, that Jesus came to save them, and that He died and rose again. It was amazing to see the proof that there is also no age limit on understanding the Gospel. Overall, this summer has been such a blessing to me."

