

### **Stony River Easter Service**

Mary Willis, our Person of Peace and local Tribal leader, invited us to come to the small remote village of Stony River over Easter weekend. As we discussed the details of our trip, I asked Mary how long has it been since they'd had an Easter Service in Stony River. She responded with;



"I'm almost 60 years old and I don't remember ever having an Easter Service during my lifetime." She also added, "it is has been over 20 years since any ministry has been done in my village for the kids."

US Missionaries Pam and Tracy Hodges led services for the kids each day starting on Friday.

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Easter Sunday morning we held a worship service followed by a potluck and fellowship time Sunday evening. About 75% of the village population was in attendance.

Arctic Man.

We set up of lighted cross Pole coffee

Many responded and were touched by the power of God. We need to continue presenting the Gospel Message to Each Person in Every Village no matter their size. Praise God for the opportunity to minister to these precious folks in Stony River.

## Speed the Light

We are so thankful for the Speed the Light grant funds we received. Pastor Ryan Gluth and our Alaska Youth Department raised funds last fall for our Speed the Light grant.

This enabled us to purchase our new outreach trailer in time for our annual outreach at Arctic Man.

#### **Arctic Man Outreach**

Each year thousands of people make the trek north of Glennallen to camp in tents and RV's in this wide valley in the Hoodoo Mountains to attend Arctic Man

We set up our camp, place our lighted cross up, and give out North Pole coffee and snacks.



Then, as we have an opportunity, we simply have conversations with people and let the Holy Spirit guide us. Each year we have amazing, lifechanging encounters with folks.

#### The Power of the Cross

The first morning a lady camped just across from us came over to our camp. As she approached, Danean asked her if she wanted a cup of coffee, hot chocolate, or a pastry.

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# **Each Village Every Person**

### The Power of the Cross (Cont)

She responded with "No, I noticed your cross and I need prayer." Danean and other team members were able to pray with her to be delivered from addiction.

As soon as Pastor Jeremiah arrived, he started visiting other camps and inviting them over to our camp. Late morning on the second day one of the guys Jeremiah had met came over.

It was obvious to us that he had a rough night at the beer tent the night before. He had an unlaced boot on one foot and a sandal on the other.

He started talking with us as he huddled up next to the fire pit with a cup of coffee. Within a few minutes, the Holy Spirit led our conversation to the point of us being able to pray with him.



After committing his life to Christ, we prayed with him for deliverance. As soon as we finished, with great enthusiasm, he asked "Can I have a hug?"

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Then he pulled out a syringe from his pocket and threw it in the fire pit. Glory to God! By His power, God set him free!

This young man went on to tell us that when we set up our camp and hoisted the cross up, his friends said "Great, we need to see if we can move now, church people have set up camp here."



Friends, the symbol of the Cross is powerful. The Holy Spirit convicts people of their sinful lifestyles and draws them to a point of decision.

We are determined to continue attending events like this to represent Christ. I refer to this as "fishing where the fish are."

#### **AKHM Missions Luncheon**



We presented an update on our 2022 projects and introduced the Alaska Home Missions projects for 2023 at our annual event in April.

Contact me for info on the RAM Initiative or check out www.whatihave.org/hub1/for info on the Bethel project.

### Camp Agaiutim Nune

Supplies are on site for our new Dorm cabin project and workers will soon be headed to Western Alaska for the 2023 camp season.

Please join us in prayer for:

- Safety as people travel.
- Funding to complete projects.
- The outpouring of the Spirit of God upon all in attendance.

### **Fundraising Update**

We are thankful for the generous response to our appeal for financial partnership. However, we still need additional funds.



Please consider joining us in reaching Each Person in Every Village in Alaska. You can find online secure



giving at http://s1.ag.org/terryl Thanks for praying and giving!

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