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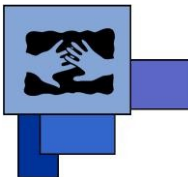
An Annual Labor Day tradition for our families is our Noodle luncheon. All home made! Not only does it teach our kids how to cook, but it allows our houses to take trips for the year! God is so good!



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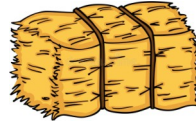
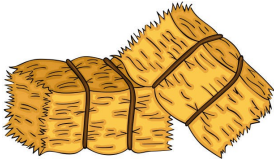
Our Lord Jesus Christ says the mission field is a lot like farming. He says "the harvest truly is plentiful" We see that everyday. Just like the corn and beans, our kids are growing too. We are thankful for what God is doing "in our fields." Some of our kids get to work for Arvin in the tomato garden others (like in the photos above) got to do some baking with the board members with the persimmons they had picked. It makes for an awesome autumn, as we see our youth blossom into the young men and women that God created them to be. Continue praying! We covet your intercession, thank you so much!



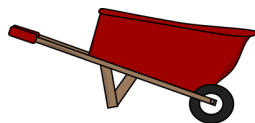
"Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into His harvest field."
Matthew 9:38

Farm Work is More Than a Job

It's a Way of Life



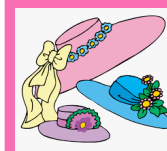
One of our Eight Values is work. If a young person, entering adulthood can't work, they're effectively handicapped. Farm work is hard work and these kids find it rewarding.



The girls at Talitha Koum got to take part in a tea party. A nice cup of tea, elegant headwear, and even decorating their own cookies! What a fun way to spend the afternoon.



"She opens her mouth with wisdom,
And on her tongue is the law of kindness."
~Proverbs 31:26~



CONCERT FOR OUR KIDS



We had our 1st Annual “Concert For Our Kids.” Churches, worship bands, and Jake Hault came to make a joyful noise and pray over our campus as we had one of our most successful fundraisers ever!



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In Loving Memory



In Memory

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In Honor

Son Rise Christian Church in honor of the fathers ♥ Birds Free Methodist Church in honor of the mother and fathers of the Oblong Children’s Christian Home ♥ Mark & Kathryn Mullen and Roberta Smith in honor of Don & Jill Thornton’s 50th wedding anniversary ♥ Mike & Sue Bumpus in honor of Cathy Daugherty ♥ First Christian Church of Christopher in honor of Mother’s &



On-Campus Wedding



It's such a special time when one of our young people decide to start a family of their own. It's even more special when they decide to have the wedding on campus and choose their houseparent to officiate.



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Are you called to childcare ministry? Make a difference in a child's eternity.

Our second boy's house needs houseparents so that we can serve even more kids and provide refuge for their healing. God loves His children and we know that He has the a set of houseparents that are called to this ministry. Is God calling you and your spouse to impact children's lives for now and eternity. We offer a competitive pay package, retirement contribution, and we fully pay health insurance. Housing, food, and utilities are also provided. Call us today!

We Love Our Work Groups

We want to fellowship with your church family, small group, or organization. Give us a call today and learn how you can get involved on campus. Have a retreat and stay on campus and do some maintenance as you learn more about our mission and spend time with our staff and kids.

