

The Burns Family to Quebec Canada

September-October 2024



We begin this update by praising the Lord Who is still saving souls! In the last two months here in the church plant, we were thrilled to hear of an 8-year-old girl that got assurance of her salvation during this year's VBS program, a 7-year-old boy that accepted Christ as Saviour at his home, and another 8-year-old girl that just recently accepted Christ! Rejoice with us over these **souls saved!** Please pray that they would grow in their faith! Also, since moving into our home, we have been striving to build good relationships with our neighbours. On Thanksgiving Sunday, we were excited to see one of our neighbours attend the morning service!

During the message, he heard a clear presentation of the Gospel. Please pray for **Stéphane** to be saved.

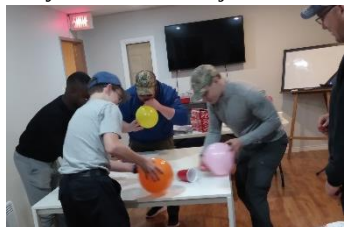
The ministry here has been busy, with its expected ups and downs. The beginning of September, Wes and Kenan completed the **annual airplane inspection**. We also recently removed the ELT, and will soon be taking it to a shop in Quebec City for recertification. We praise the Lord that everything went smoothly in the inspection, and that the airplane is ready for another year in the Lord's service!



With fall comes the restarting of various ministries that had been on pause during the summer months. **Ados pour Jesus** (Teens for Jesus) started back up in September, and although about half of the teens are busy with high school/Cégep classes and/or driver's education courses, they all came and were enthusiastic to participate! Please pray that each of them will be faithful to the Lord and take the time

necessary to cultivate their relationship with Him during this busy season of their lives.

We started something new at the beginning of this school year. Each Sunday morning right before the morning message, Wes invites all of the children to the front of the auditorium. The children take turns bringing an object, and Wes presents a short **object lesson** of a Biblical truth that the particular object reminds us of. We have had a wide variety of objects—everything from a pig-shaped eraser and a coffee filter, to a watch, a head lamp, and a toy lion! These object lessons have proven to be a special time for children and adults alike!



The **young men's group** continues to be an encouraging time for the guys. We have seen some real steps of growth in some of their lives. One young man mentioned to Wes that he senses that God is in the process of reviving his heart! Another one has begun helping with leading the singing occasionally. A couple of them also volunteered their time to help Wes erect the temporary entryway shelters at the church (for the winter season). It has been so encouraging to see them continue to grow spiritually and find ways to help out and serve in the church! Please continue praying for each of them.



We also restarted **Jeunesse pour Jesus** (Youth for Jesus) in September. One of the families that normally would participate is no longer attending, so our numbers were down. We are praying for the Lord to bring more families, and would appreciate your prayers for that as well!

Looking ahead, we anticipate a **Ladies Breakfast** in mid-November. Please pray that it will be an encouragement to each of the ladies that attend!

We are filled with gratitude for each of you that support the ministry here in Quebec—either prayerfully or financially. May the Lord bless you abundantly!

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