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CAMP GEIGER

The ministry at Camp Geiger continues and is a source of blessing. On average 6 or 7 Marines show up every Wednesday as we go through the book of Proverbs. Some who have attended are already out of the Corps or have been transferred to other bases. It's not a ministry of long-term relationships, just planting seed and asking the Lord to keep watering. The staff at Geiger has been far more supportive than I could have imagined, and we thank God every week for this new ministry opportunity.

EASTERN MECHANICAL

In addition to the local churches that help us out by cooking Friday night dinners for us occasionally, this month we had a local business step in and provide dinner on two Fridays. Eastern Carolina Mechanical have supported us in the past with the purchase of a mower and a freezer. They continue to look for ways to bless us and our Troops really appreciate it.

TABERNACLE NJ

We were back on the road this month with a trip to Maryland for our Annual Board meeting and a visit to Tabernacle Baptist in South River, New Jersey. We hadn't been with them in several years but their love for us made it feel like we were just there. I preached a mini-prophecy conference Saturday night and Missions on Sunday morning. Pastor Dan and Pastor Jimmy and everyone there made us feel at home.

KIETH CALLED TO PREACH

I got a phone call in the middle of the month from Keith. He was having trouble in his unit as a superior was trying to muzzle his Gospel witness among his fellow Marines. As we talked he stated that this trouble just made him want to share the Gospel even more, and he was wondering if he might be called to preach. The next Tuesday I met with him before our Dinner and Bible study and he told me the call was confirmed and asked what his next steps were. I took him in my office and gave him a concordance, books on basic theology and biblical preaching, and told him to start writing sermons and I would critique and help as he did. At the end of the Bible Study Patty asked "Why not have Kieth preach Friday night?" I had just told the story of how my pastor had told me on a Thursday, the day I told him I felt called to preach, that I would be preaching at a Nursing home that Sunday! Everyone in attendance got excited and shouted their encouragement to preach that Friday. Keith agreed and he wrote a sermon, sent me the notes on Thursday for my input, and he preached on the call of Samuel for 15 minutes Friday night! Keith is the 21st man to announce his call to preach in my 10 years at the Military Fellowship Center. I believe God will do great things through Keith and his wife Micheala in the future.

TREE SHARK SHIRTS

I have a saying I have been using for a while at the Center, "Never stop growing, never stop moving." A Few months ago I added, "A tree that stops growing dies, and a shark that stops moving dies - so be a Tree Shark! Thinking on it, I drew a cartoon of the "Tree Shark" and showed it to our Marines and Sailors. They all started clamoring for a T-shirt... So we made one. Already they are posting on social media showing themselves wearing their shirts to church and out in the town. So let me encourage you also to always keep growing in the Lord and always keep moving forward, for the fields are white unto harvest and The Lord is calling each of us to labor in the Harvest!



DAVE MASON
Rom 1:16



- The Kitchen Window - ^{by} Patty

We are surrounded by men and women of faith. Today I was introduced to a guy that was struggling qualifying on the range. He told me he was invited by one of our guys who prayed for him + encouraged him when he was struggling.

Our guys + girls are growing in their faith and are not afraid to share it. We have several (at least 5) new visitors a week.

We've also had 2 people return to us after they were pulled away by bad relationships. Praise God for their return - no questions asked, we just want our folks putting Jesus first. God Bless 