The Jones Journal



Kirk, Yvonne, Chloe, Tony, Celina & Gracie AGWM Missionaries to the Children of Panamá Vol. XXXV * Holiday Issue * 2024



We Wish You a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God....

The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us ("moved into the neighborhood" MSG).

We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.

John 1:1, 14 (NIV)

Tying in with Thanksgiving, we are very grateful for each of you, our faithful supporters in prayer and finance. We are pictured here before enjoying the Thanksgiving Banquet of our biannual AGWM retreat that the Panamá field hosted last month along with about 130 of our missionary colleagues from the seven countries of Central America.

Ministry Reports



Annual Ngobe Family
Conference came back strong.
About 3000 total, with
400+ children, and 1400+
families received a large
sack filled with the
Convoy of Hope donation.
Concluded with 60+
baptisms.

AD Kids National Kids Ministry

For the Andrés Palau Crusade AD Kids provided a kids evangelism tent with hundreds of children receiving the

Gospel message and the colors bracelet.



After years of praying, hoping

and waiting, Fine Arts
Festivals, that we call
Talentos AD Kids, began
this year! With the help of
the awesome national
leadership team, several
hundred kids from all

across Panamá prepared and performed their gifts in ministry using the categories of Communication, Voice, *



Instruments, Choreography and Drama-Art.

Kids Camp began again this year and we were privileged to be the opening speakers. They included some of the kids from previous fine arts festivals.



With Panamá International Church Yvonne continues to play keyboard on the worship team, and Kirk teaches in Epic Kids Ministry along with doing transition. As Fine Arts

Director, Yvonne also organized a video testimony for the Light Night concert. This month she is leading the Christmas special music with the kids and a drama by the Fine Arts team.



The *Amigo Mentor* program continues to grow with more volunteers added this year culminating in a special Christmas party, with over 25 volunteers loving on the kids, singing Christmas carols together, sharing the Christmas





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story and a delicious meal. Our Speed-the-Light Toyota was jam packed. We gave each one a gift bag with their picture on the outside and the inside stuffed full of clothes, toys, and an age specific Bible. Much thanks to Newbreak Kids Church for their generous donation!

Prayer Requests

- Open doors for mentors to love on kids from hard places.
- Growth of fine arts festivals —prepare more kids' gifts and talents in ministry.
- Financial provision for work budget.
- Prayer support for effective ministry!

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