# THE WAGAR'S

# To Chuuk, Micronesia

### Praises

- 1) Three saved at teen VBS
- 2) Two saved on visitation
- 3) Church is growing

## Requests

- 1) Continued Language
- 2) Continued Opportunities

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Dear Friends,

Summer is pretty much over, but around here the weather doesn't really change so you can't tell that fall is on its way. What an amazing summer that we had, though! Thank you for your prayers on our behalf. Our church hosted their first Vacation Bible Schools and we are thrilled with the results. The first of the two VBSs that we had was for ages 6-12. A good group of kids came out and each day they heard the Gospel. None of the kids accepted Christ as their Savior, but I believe that God planted seeds in the hearts of some. Our second VBS was more of a teen rally. Though we did not have huge numbers (I think that 12 was our high), we did see amazing results! Three young ladies accepted Christ as their Savior and have been fairly faithful in coming to church ever since. It was a blast to watch the kids and teens play new games, sing new songs, and see how learning about our Awesome God can be truly enjoyable.

Though we saw no kids saved during the children's VBS, Pastor Mike and I did see one of the mothers come to know Jesus just a couple of weeks later during a VBS followup visit. Right there in



front of her husband and kids, this precious lady accepted the Lord! Pastor and I had the privilege to see yet another lady saved a couple of weeks later while we were out on our Thursday night visit. She had many questions and was so ripe for the harvest. It was an absolute joy to watch Pastor Mike lead her to the Lord and to also be able to understand a good amount of the Gospel in our new language. The Gospel is beautiful in any language.

Speaking of language, slowly but surely it is coming along. Milena is still working on her English, but her Chuukese phrases are progressing. The poor little girl never gets a break when we go into town because many people we see know that they can get her to answer in Chuukese, and they love it. My (Josh) Chuukese is probably sounding a lot like Milena's English; I know what I am trying to say, but

the poor people listening have to fill in the gaps. Truly, though, there is progress in both speaking and understanding Chuukese. Thank you for praying to that end - please continue to do so.

Though it isn't really a new ministry, but rather a reviving one, our back yard has, once again, been flooded with the neighborhood kids on many evenings. God situated us in the right house with the perfect yard in a neighborhood of kids. Though there are certainly times where we would love just a smidgen more of privacy, we are thrilled that our house can provide a safe place for kids to come and play. We often have big groups of older teens playing volleyball while the younger kids play in our rain barrel or try to muster up the courage to play with Cap, our dog (or even to walk by him).



Before we came here there were days where I thought, "What are

we going to do once we are there? How will we ever keep busy." My, how the answer has come. It's been amazing to just simply live life and watch God provide opportunities. We certainly stay busy, but even on the slow days we know that God is working in and through us even if cannot always see it. Thank you for being part of this ministry. It's our pleasure and privilege to be here in these islands representing Christ's love on your behalf.

Until the Islands Know Him,

Josh, Sarah, and Milena Wagar

Romans 15:21

P.S. If you want to see more VBS pictures, check out our FaceBook page, Chuukbound!