

The Shumakers

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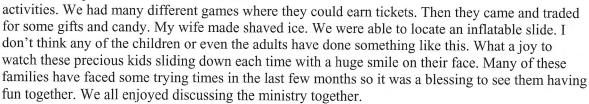


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Field Director For Africa dissionaries in Burkina Faso Dear Pastor and praying friends,

The month of August was an extremely busy month. We had two camps, and they were a great success. Through the years we have had sever-al pastor's camps. We were blessed to be able to have another one the first week of August. It is a time where the pastors, their wives, and their children can have a time of fellow-ship, a time of relaxation, and a time to be challenged. We taught on the theme out of Nehemiah 2, "Let us rise up and build."

We decided that this year we would have an afternoon carnival so that the pastors' children could experience some new and fun



We had our youth camp at the end of August. This is our 13th year doing youth camp here in Burkina Faso. Every year we have a little bigger crowd. This year there was over 160 youth. The theme this year was, "Why is the harvest great but the labourers are few?"

The greatest thing about camp is that you take people out of their normal routine, giving God a great open door to work in their hearts. Many different preachers preached. You could sense God working, but there weren't a ton of decisions made until the last night. I felt led of the Lord to challenge them to get out of the boat. That is exactly what Peter did, and he walked on the water. I told them God has touched their hearts, but if you stay in the boat nothing will change. By God's grace there were around 15 gloriously saved that night. There was also 5 called to preach. Others made decisions

to be pure and others made decisions to get rid of some things in their lives that weren't pleasing to God.

Thanks so much for all you do for us and Burkina Faso,

Keith, Rebecca, Emily, Meredith, Isaac and Caleb Shumaker

