

TANNERS 2 MISSIONARY ACRES

Serving God's Servants



Dear Prayer Partners,

We praise God for His abundant blessings and protection during our recent ministry trip! After many miles and meaningful visits, we arrived back safely at Missionary Acres. Though a winter storm advisory covered part of Montana, the snow fell higher up, leaving I-90 clear so we didn't have to take the longer alternate route—what a blessing!

Traveling from those winter conditions to a heat warning in Missouri was a shock to the system, but we made it home in just three days. The van made some funny noises at times, but we had no major issues and enjoyed turning the miles into learning by listening to audio biographies.

The van is now at the mechanic as he's trying to troubleshoot the intermittent problem; we'd appreciate your prayers for a quick repair.

Missionary Acres Update

It was wonderful to return in time for the Independence Day picnic here at Missionary Acres! We enjoyed catching up with residents and neighbors over a delicious meal, then watching the fireworks that evening as we celebrated our country's 250th anniversary.

The Acres looks amazing—the team did an outstanding job with mowing and trimming while we were away, and they even planted new flowers around the flagpole and by the office. The curb appeal continues to improve thanks to this dedicated team. Without their hard work and faithfulness, we could not have left for a ten-week ministry trip. We are so thankful for them!

Work is nearly complete on the parsonage for Evangel Baptist Church, the on-site church here at the Acres. Please pray that the Lord would soon provide the right pastor for this little congregation.

Progress also continues at Lot 35, where the roof has been replaced and a large chimney in the living room has been

Praises

- Safe travels and God's protection on our long deputation trip through varying weather conditions.
- Wonderful time reconnecting with family, friends, and supporting churches in the Pacific Northwest.
- The dedicated team kept Missionary Acres looking beautiful while we were away.
- Timely return for the Independence Day picnic and 250th anniversary celebrations.
- Progress on key projects at the parsonage and Lot 35.
- Owen's health remained stable throughout the trip.
- God's continued faithfulness and provision for our family and ministry.

Prayer Requests

- Wisdom and clear diagnosis for the van's intermittent noise.
- The Evangel Baptist Church (on-site at Missionary Acres) would soon find the right pastor.
- God would send the right residents to fill our two ready homes, in His perfect timing.
- Owen's upcoming GI checkup in St. Louis and neurology appointment in September.
- Wisdom as we begin researching doctors for Owen's transition to adult care next year.
- Smooth preparation for the new homeschool year starting in August.
- Continued safety, health, and encouragement for residents and staff at Missionary Acres.

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removed. That required some drywall work and floor leveling and it's now in the painting stage.

We also have two houses completely ready for residents—please pray that God would send the right people in His perfect timing. If you know anyone eligible to retire at Missionary Acres (see qualifications at <https://missionaryacres.com/who-qualifies/>), please have them contact Ron Hemsworth at ronh@missionaryacres.com. We are looking forward to filling both houses soon!

Tanner Family Update

The kids had so much fun during our travels, making great memories and catching up with family and friends back in the Pacific Northwest. However, despite the fun, it's wonderful to be sleeping in our own beds again!

Here's what some of the kids enjoyed about the trip:

- Sally: Seeing grandparents
- Ezra: Playing at the parks in different states
- Tyler: Playing with cousins
- Bryson: Touching a sea anemone at the Pacific Ocean
- Brynna: Going fishing
- Simon: Visiting with pastors and people at churches
- Sydney: Going to Glacier National Park
- Ellie: Going to four new states (Wisconsin, Minnesota, North Dakota, and Nevada)
- Jeffrey: Building a little snowman in Minnesota and throwing snowballs at Glacier National Park

We're now enjoying a bit of summer break before diving into the next homeschool year in August. This time of year, we prep by redoing our annual meal plan and chore charts so everyone has the new systems in place before adding schoolwork back into the mix.

We're thankful that Owen did well on the trip and his health stayed steady. He has a GI checkup next week in St. Louis and a neurology appointment in September. Once he turns 21 next year, we'll need to start transitioning away from the Children's Hospital and pediatric providers. Please pray for wisdom as we research doctors for that major change.

Thank you for standing with us in prayer and partnership. We are grateful for you and regularly lift you before the Lord.

~With Love, Bryan, Lisa, and the Tanner Family