



# **Whirlwind Missions**

## Outreach Update

### June 2018



Hello, my friends!

Summer is here! It's always great to have our teams in town. Prep work before they get here is a challenge and exciting! We have some large teams coming into town which means we need to find a lot of places for them to work.

I pulled into Carmel apartments with expectation in my heart. I had seen this location many times. This year, I planned on having teams work there. I got out of my car and walked to the door of the leasing office.

"Hola! Mi nombre es Tim! Como esta? Yo trabajo con los ninos en los apartamentos cerca de aqui." Which means, "Hi! My name is Tim. How are you? I work with the children in the apartments near here." I usually start out in Spanish whenever the manager looks Latino. He greeted me pleasantly in Spanish.

"Hola, Senor! Mi nombre es Mario. Como esta?" (Hello, my name is Mario. How are you?") He replied.

"GREAT! Thank you! I have some good news!" At this point I put down our prayer card which has the picture of our family on it, as well as a small flyer that Ashley made which says, "Free Summer Camp" along with the details of the when the team will be in town. "We have a team from Florida which will be here the first week of June. We will have a free camp for them here at your complex. The team will have recreation, a craft, a snack and will tell a Bible story. Sound good?"

"Yes. That sounds very good. We have a LOT of children in our complex here," he said.

"I know, my friend. I have had work across the street at Highland Knoll for many years. I have seen the bus let off almost the whole bus at just this stop!"

"Yes, that's true."

"The teams that come into town are very excited to come and work with your children. It will be a wonderful time for them."

"Thank you very much! The children have nothing to do when they are out of school. I think this is a very good idea. Is there anything we need to do to help?" Mario asked.

"No. The team will get here and knock on the doors to let the kids know that we are here.

Where do you think they should meet the children?" I asked.

"There is a small playground in the back that should work."

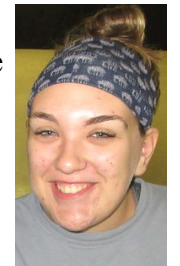
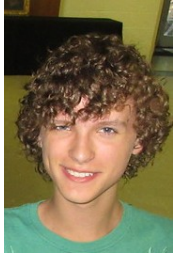
"Wonderful!" I exclaimed. "Thank you so much for your great attitude, Mario. I was just next door at Buford Townhomes. That lady was quite rude to me."

"Yes. That lady is mean to everyone. WE are very glad that you are here! Thank you for bringing the team."

"You are so welcome. I look forward to seeing you soon!" I shook hands with Mario as well as the two other men in the office. "Hasta luego!" (Until then!)"

We will be working at four new locations this Summer. Sadly, we had several of our locations close their complexes to us. That happens when new management takes over. They always state the same reason: Liability. Pray for open hearts as we share the Gospel to hundreds of children! We live our motto, "Take the church, to the PEOPLE!" Amen! THANKS for your support!

**LOVE, TIM AND KATHY**



# Take the Church, To the People!



My mom, Peggy Cummins, came to work with us in May. She helped us a lot with the children and finding the locations for our new work. FOUR generations of missionaries are in this picture! Missions is for EVERYONE of all ages!



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