



GLORIFYING GOD BY MENTORING, ENCOURAGING AND EQUIPPING HIS PEOPLE

GIVING THANKS

When one of the campers asked to be baptized, I was a little confused. We hadn't been talking about that in chapel. I found out it was through conversations with her counselors and fellow campers that led her to ask. We spoke with her father and with her, and we discovered she accepted Jesus after learning how to pray at camp. So, one afternoon in August our dear one confessed her faith to her family and friends. This is why we do what we do!

--Liz, Day Camp Director



One of our day campers being baptized by our staff member, Andy



Thanksgiving Newsletter
2018

BLESSINGS IN 2018

God surely has blessed us this year! We are so thankful for the people that God sent to serve as staff and volunteers. With their help, we were able to host 62 groups, prepare the Lodge for 2121 guests, and provide over 10,000 meals. Day campers continued to be registered until the last week of camp, and donations fueled the upgrades to the Dining Hall kitchen, new Day Camp pavilion and a lawn mower. Our year-round staff has expanded to focus on specialized areas while gelling as a team. More local churches are recognizing Summit Grove as a place to hold events, and our community is noticing us through events like Cowboy Weekend, a partnership with Steam into History. We are looking forward to weekend groups every weekend in November and the first weekend December (except Thanksgiving weekend). We are surely grateful for all God has done!

Dining Hall Roof Update

After receiving \$4,575, two donors helped us to reach our final goal of \$30,000! Work will begin in November!

#GIVINGTUESDAY – NOVEMBER 27

You've probably heard of Black Friday, but have you heard of Giving Tuesday? It kicks off the charitable season, when many focus on their holiday and end of year giving. We are participating this year by focusing donations towards Finishing the Apartments. Please visit our Facebook page (follow us, while you're there) or our website to find out more.

AmazonSmile



Do you use Amazon for purchases? Did you know that if you used AmazonSmile and chose Summit Grove, a donation will be sent to us? Do some Christmas shopping and help camp at the same time! Use the link below

<http://smile.amazon.com/ch/23-2991007>

Give Thanks to the Lord. Psalm 107:1

I just can't fit it all in! God is good!!

--Jerry