

# The Dundons

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## A Busy Summer

As spring was coming to a close, things start winding down but our workload continues. After our first anniversary, we started to see more people coming and opportunities to minister.

### *A new wonderful lady*

One older lady in particular has started coming every week. Her name is Alyssa, she came to our grand opening last year and again during our mini ladies retreat in March. When she found out that we have Sunday school, she decided to start attending regularly. She lives about forty five minutes away, outside the city. When she first started coming, she was talking about how she loved the level of depth and open discussion. She asked me if she could catch up from my Sunday school lessons she missed since January. I began to start teaching her personally almost every week after church was done. Alyssa is a very intelligent woman, she used to teach sign language at Princeton University. It's amazing watching her absorb everything and asking great questions. Every time I teach her, her eyes light up like a child receiving candy. Truly nothing is more sweet in this world than The Word.

### *PSD's alumni day*

As part of our evangelistic outreach, we reserved a booth for Pennsylvania School of the Deaf's alumni day. We met many people from the area, both inside and outside Philly. They were surprised that there was a new deaf church in the



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area. We had an opportunity to talk about the gospel with some folks and many took our tracts. One saved family started attending our church as a result.



*High school graduation*

One of our deaf teenagers, Arnando, graduated this year from PSD. He started coming to our church last January and has really loved attending since. He had already gotten saved when he was young. I was invited to his graduation. It was a honor to be part of his special day. It was also a good opportunity to meet others from the deaf community.

*Deaf Revival*

Solid Rock Baptist Church in southern New Jersey hosted a deaf revival, we had about 20 people from our church attend. Liberty Baptist Church in Philly graciously allowed us to borrow their 15 passenger van for two days so we could go there twice. We had a full van!



*Deaf Camp*

During one week in June, our family were able to go to a deaf Christian camp at Odosagih Bible Camp in Machias, New York, hosted by Silent Word Ministries. Someone else paid for most of the cost our family to come, so we were grateful to go. It was a relaxing break from ministry and we were certainly blessed by all of the preaching.

*Teaching about the life of Christ*

Many of our people are biblically illiterate, including the life of Christ, so I have been preaching week after week about Christ, his words, parables, travels, actions, miracles, and etc. It has been wonderful watching them learning little by little about their Savior.

*(Memorial day fellowship at my home after church)*

## *Sunday School*

For those two whole months, I have been teaching about Noah's flood. The church has been enjoying the lessons about the scientific evidence for a global flood. There were some Sundays where we finished church late from all of the questions and discussion.



*(June's ladies fellowship)*