

Rejoicing Spirits at Calvary

– June 20th 2010

The theme was “Faith of our Fathers”

For Father’s Day , we honored our fathers and our Heavenly Father. Pastor Krewson led us as we explored different traits of our earthly fathers and our Heavenly father by looking at beach towels and their designs and imprints. It was a special celebration as the chapel was full and extra chairs were brought in. We welcomed visitors from just across the Delaware River in New Jersey who are interested in starting a RS service in October. As usual, the Holy Spirit visited our service – ever present. We gave glory to God in a way that surely made God smile. We shared Christ’s love, sang about it, heard about it, and prayed. Following are a few things we heard and experienced in our service this month:

As we **sang** -

Our band played so beautifully, our singers sang so joyously. Kevin and Jim and Mariann made beautiful music along with Ms. Joan; and Melvin conducted the band.

- Josh made a joyful noise unto the Lord with his voice and his drum, and Sophie made a joyful noise just with her voice!
- Thank you Samantha for the special piano solo!
- Father, I adore You, lay my life before You. How I love You.
- When I feel afraid and think I’ve lost my way, still, you’re right there beside me.
- Father Abraham has many sons; many sons has Father Abraham, and I am one of them and so are you.
- To you, oh Lord, I lift up my soul. In you, I trust O Lord.

As we **read** –

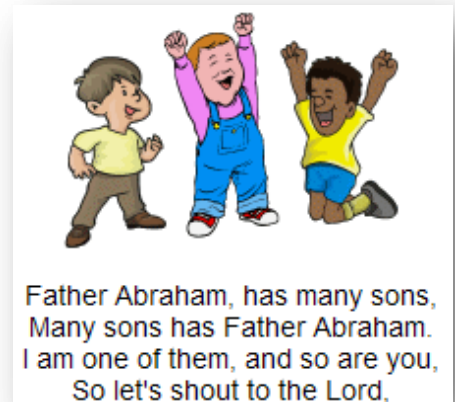
- Laurie and Samantha helped read the scripture.
- In [Genesis 26:23-25a](#), it says “Isaac went on to where the Lord appeared to him that night and told him, ‘Don’t be afraid! I am the God who was worshiped by your father Abraham, my servant. I will be with you and bless you, and because of Abraham I will give you many descendants.’ Isaac built an altar there and worshiped the Lord.”
- The Gospel message was from [Mathew 1:20-21, 24-25](#); The angel said, "Joseph, the baby that Mary will have is from the Holy Spirit. Go ahead and marry her. Then after her baby is born, name him Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins."
- from [1 John 3:1-2](#) “Think how much the Father loves us...”

As we **prayed** –

- Special prayers were offered by many worshippers including Daniel, TJ, and Linda. We said the Lord’s Prayer as Jesus taught us.

As we **shared** –

- Mrs. Krewson, Kevin and Samantha's mom celebrated birthdays.
- Old and new friendships were made and we welcomed many visitors and first time guests.
- We enjoyed cookies and punch from our loyal volunteers.
- We shared about Rejoicing Spirits with our friends from New Jersey.



We look forward to worshipping together next month on July 18th in God’s presence as a part of this Rejoicing Spirits community. May the peace of the Lord be with you.