



## *Jim and Mindy Wiese Missionaries to Samoa*

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*Joel 2:1 Blow ye the trumpet in Zion, and sound an alarm in my holy mountain: let all the inhabitants of the land tremble: for the day of the Lord cometh, for it is nigh at hand*

June 30, 2022

Greetings to all,

We are having a great time visiting churches, meeting with family and friends. Definitely an adventure and we push through. We have to share some funny moments and say thank you. We cannot thank you all enough for all the prayer and support. It has been such a blessing to us.

We attended Summer Celebration Camp Meeting in Deslodge Missouri. It is really hot in Missouri and the air conditioner in the cab of the RV needed freon. After a discussion at dinner Pastor Joshua Hester offered to help us! The next day he was able to put the freon in the RV that we needed. However he said to Jim, "Did you know you have a dead cat on your engine?". Well sure enough there it was and Pastor Josh said he did not do dead cats. (Note the RV was parked 2 ½ years so it had been there awhile).

Our next stop was Lead Church in Collinsville Illinois, during the dinner conversation the word mummy was used. Jim gave Mindy that look don't! say anything as she said, "Speaking of mummies we have a dead cat we need to get off our engine". At this point Jim can't quit laughing. Pastor Bryan Harris said he had a guy at church that could fix that! Sunday afternoon a gentleman by the name of Tim came got our RV key and came back and said "Snowy is gone".

The next part of our trip the refrigerator door hinge broke and we had to replace it. Well you know that "cat".... The alternator of the RV did not like the cat so we ended up replacing the alternator.

Moving forward what a great month we have had. We miss our Samoa friends and family and keep praying for them. We have added a few pictures from back "home" our other home. Our hearts are in Samoa, and yes we are loving spending our time in the USA. We do look forward to our return to the islands.

This month our travel will be Kentucky, Georgia and then on to General Assembly in San Antonio. We are taking time to rest as we go. We had to take some time out to be isolated for 10 days, so used the time to regain some strength lost due to illness. Praise God we are both doing well!

We so enjoyed Camp Meeting in Missouri and the love shown to us and the appreciation of our calling was humbling. We have so much support from so many churches and pastors and want to say thank you!! Camp meeting day sessions were filled with in depth teaching and ministry. The evening services were powerful and brought renewal. Camp meeting for us was much like a family reunion.

Enjoy the pictures and also this is the link to an 12 min YouTube video of our presentation for the summer of 2022. Samoa Missions 2022 <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZLEKmRR63qA&t=70s> YouTube Video

We will be in San Antonio and hope to see many of you. We are living in our RV and will be at KOA campground. It is our "Fale" on wheels. Fale meaning house.



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VISITING CHURCHES  
TELLING THEM ABOUT SAMOA  
BRINGING THE WORD



Summer Celebration Camp Meeting  
Deslodge Missouri



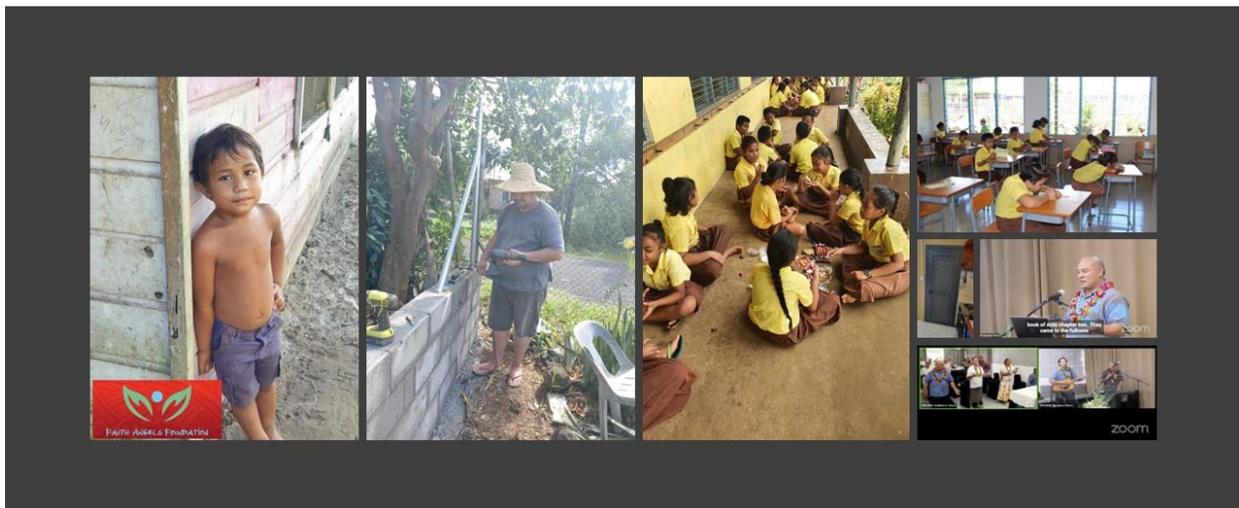
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Summer Celebration – meeting new friends  
connecting with old friends

Samoa is in our Heart we look forward to our return.





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The Blessing Barrel Project. We will be sending 6 barrels the end of September. We already have two full barrels including 40 new Action Bibles for teaching at the school. The items needed are simple things. Contact us if you would like to donate any of the following items. We have a mailing address in Springfield Missouri.

1. Teaching material for Sunday schools. Bible Studies for women.
2. Toys specifically Hot Wheels, Barbie Dolls and Beanie Babies
3. Children's clothing new if possible. If we send used we have to add fumigation as a step to sending them to Samoa
4. Christian children's books
5. Any large print bibles
6. Musical supplies drum sticks, guitar strings anything small

### **Prayer Request and Praises !**

- 1. Continued prayer for the harvest!**
- 2. Prayer as we travel to various churches in USA**
3. Praise Report we have purchased 40 Action Bibles for teaching 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders in Samoa
4. Continue to pray for the Samoa Outreach and Learning Center and future plans
5. New home for Great Harvest Church of God. We need a building!
6. Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child
7. Medical Missions outreach request from local pastors for March 2023
8. Mindy's registration as RN to volunteer for Campus of Hope Clinic (on hold)
9. Pray that the borders will open as noted in Samoa newspaper. Looking at open borders August 1<sup>st</sup>
10. Blessing Barrel Project and shipping cost for September 2022

Give online at <https://cogwm.org/projects/james-and-melinda-wiese/>  
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In Christ,

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