



# WAR CORRESPONDENCE



## REACHING THE U.S. MILITARY FOR CHRIST

### JUDE 22 AND OF SOME HAVE COMPASSION, MAKING A DIFFERENCE



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Matthew 19:14 But Jesus said, Suffer little children, and forbid them not, to come unto me: for of such is the kingdom of heaven.

Last week we held VBS at Calvary Baptist Church. We had a wonderful time ministering to the children. The last night we had 37 children attend. We have quite a small church, therefore, it is necessary that we have maximum participation from our church families. It was great to see the folks in our church excited about helping with VBS. It is also exciting that we have a new family attending our church as a result of VBS. But the most exciting thing about VBS is that 5 children trusted Jesus Christ as their Saviour. There is a lady, Patty, that has been coming to church for about a month now. Her husband is in the Air Force and he is currently deployed. She also brings four of her five children to church with her. Two of the children that trusted Christ during VBS were her children. Patty was very happy when she heard that two of her children trusted Christ as their Saviour.

The day after VBS ended was the 4th of July. To celebrate the 4th of July we had a church picnic. We had a good attendance. We had hamburgers and hotdogs and all sorts of sides. We also had several activities for those who attended to participate in. Patty brought all of her children to the picnic. Her daughter Breanna is 16 years old and therefore she was not at VBS. I asked Patty if she thought her daughter had trusted Christ in the past. She said she didn't think so. Then I asked her if it was ok for someone to talk to her daughter about salvation. She said yes please do. I sent my wife, Lou Anne and Rachel one of the faithful ladies to talk with Breanna about Jesus and His salvation. They were gone for quite awhile. When they came back outside Bre said that she trusted Jesus Christ as her Saviour. Needless to say Patty was extremely happy because in the past five days 3 of her children and a neighbour they brought had trusted Jesus as their Saviour.

Lou Anne and I have been meeting our Italian neighbours. One lady Elise lives across the street from us. She is 84 years old and very nice. I asked her in Italian if she likes zucchini. She said she loves zucchini. I have a little garden and have a few zucchini and we brought her over one. It was just one little zucchini but she went on and on thanking me for it. Then she invited Lou Anne and me in for a cup of coffee. You may not understand how important that is. Here in the north of Italy it is hard for outsiders to become friends with the Italians or to get invited in to their home. Of course it was on a VBS day so we could not have coffee at that time but, we are planning to get together this week at her house for coffee. Then the next day we met several more Italians who were very nice and talked with us for quite awhile. They are also neighbours and we plan on cultivating a friendship with them also.

- Please pray for:
- \*the Salvation of the Italians we have been meeting
  - \*that we continue to learn the Italian language quickly
  - \*our children and grandson in the states
  - \*Calvary Baptist Church here in Marsure, Italy
  - \*our troops and their families here in Aviano, Italy and around the world.

In Christ,

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