

August 2017

AIM GUAM

MICRONESIAN GENERAL CONFERENCE

August proved to be an incredible month that included our annual Micronesian General Conference. Three days of some awesome teaching as well as three nights of outstanding preaching. We were very blessed to have some great speakers this year including Bishop Doughty and The Popes from Mattoon, Illinois and The Parkers from Oklahoma. Pastor Mark Parker taught a lesson on Acts 2:38 that was phenomenal, I don't think I will ever look at that portion of scripture the same way again!

Bishop Doughty preached three messages that encouraged, inspired and challenged me. I was honored to be able to spend time with these great people of God, hear their stories and be able to just soak in a little of their knowledge.





ONE CHURCH GUAM - FIRST SERVICE!

August also saw the very first service of One Church Guam! What an exciting time to be here and what an extraordinary thing to be a part of!

I counted at least 80 total in attendance. We had 18 first time guests! And we were able to take up a \$1,000 offering to send to the Kennedy's in New Caledonia to help with the building of a Bible School there!

Praise The Lord!

Much work and preparation went into the first service and I believe it was evident. Everyone had a job to do and each was done with excellence!

I was more than happy to step in and make sure the media was setup and running as smoothly as possible. Our setup might have looked like something out of a warning manual, but it did the job, nothing fell over, overheated, or in any way blew up, so I think that was a plus! HA! The Lord was most definitely on our side!

I am also happy to say that my home church in the states, New Life Fellowship in Terre Haute, Indiana, was able to be a part of One Church's first service even from the other side of the globe! Many of the prayer team stayed awake on Saturday night to cover our first service in prayer. It's so awesome when God's people come together, even when they are an ocean apart! Huge thanks to the NLF Prayer Team & the prayer leaders (Mike & Debbie Rightsell) for the many prayers that have covered One Church, the island of Guam and the Pacific Region.



ONE CHURCH IN PICTURES



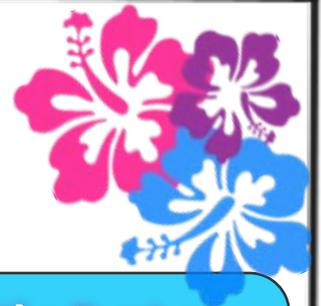
Question:

What do you do when you want to get baptized, but the church has no baptistry and it's dark outside?



Answer:

You get baptized... You just do it with lots of flashlights and parked cars with their headlights pointed toward the ocean.



By The Numbers

105

Days On Guam

8

Number Baptized
In August

2

Number Who
Received The
Holy Ghost
In August



One of the things that I have been enjoying tremendously while here on Guam is spending time with the youth. Whenever possible I join them for their Monday night prayer meetings and this month I started what I hope will become a monthly fellowship meeting for the girls. We spent the afternoon and much of the evening at one of the parks. We enjoyed some good food, games and fellowship with one another. While it's been some time since I was a youth, I can still to some extent remember what it's like, and how having an adult take an interest in you can make all the difference. In Titus 2:3-5 it directs that the "aged women" teach the "young women"... and while I haven't been able to find an actual age for what makes an "aged woman" I am assuming that since I am old enough to be the mother of most of these girls, I fit the criteria. There is so much potential locked inside of each of them and I think it's important that they have someone in their life to encourage them, speak faith to them, be a sounding board when needed and just be a general cheerleader... And if taking them to the park once a month helps them see me that way, well then, I'll continue to take them as long as I can!

