

The Roehl Report

January 2003 Ministry and Prayer Updates

Our new year of ministry began with lots of travel and variety!

“Jesus scored a hat trick!”

That’s what Dean told me...and we “high-fived” each other over the phone! Tim’s coaching ministry continues with leaders across the country. One leader he’s been coaching is Pastor Dean Lambdin in Milwaukee, WI. Dean pastors Grace Chapel, which Tim and Shirley pastored from 1980-1990. Tim is working with Dean in a “turnaround” ministry there. Recently Dean called Tim three times in one week to celebrate...each time he had just led someone to Christ! Seeing the Lord work through leaders like Dean is one of the greatest joys of coaching!

Aubrey ministers in Brazil...again!

For the second time in less than a year, Aubrey traveled to Brazil with a ministry team. This time she was with six other students and Dr. Bruce and Ruth Moyer (Bruce is VC’s president) from Vennard College. The two week trip was full of many opportunities to serve and grow! Aubrey is now praying about doing a six month internship in a year or two. We had the joy of picking up Aubrey and her team as they returned...to a 120 degree different in temp (105 above when they left Sao Paulo, -15 wind chill when they got home).

Team Training for WGM American Indian Field Staff

Tim began the new year spending four days training over 40 leaders from World Gospel Mission’s American Indian Field staff in Phoenix. The leaders serve in several areas of Arizona and New Mexico. The training focused on helping them understand their spiritual gifts, leadership style and how they work as a team. A special pleasure was working with LeRoy and Sandy Anderson, who are Field Directors. LeRoy was Tim’s roommate at college.

National Church Multiplication Forum

Tim represented The Evangelical Church and CRM’s Multiplication Team at the National Church Multiplication Forum in Colorado Springs. The three-day event brought leaders from all over our nation from many denomination. It’s exciting to see what God is doing in so many places and organizations!

Bridgewood Church

Tim spent a morning with the staff of Bridgewood Church, pastored by his good friend Tom Stuart. Tim led the leaders through a better understanding of how to personalize their vision, values and missions as leaders and as a church. Bridgewood supports our ministry...and we appreciate it!

Vennard Board meetings

Shirley took part in two days of meetings for Vennard’s Alumni Board. She enjoys serving! We all enjoyed welcoming Aubrey home from her Brazil trip and spending time with friends there in Oskaloosa.

Coaching Clinic in Dallas

Tim and his friend Rodger Peck led a two day clinic on “Keys to Great Coaching” in Dallas, TX. Leaders from several denominations took part in the event. We continue to pray for God to raise up a movement of coaches!

CRM Team meeting

Tim joined over 40 leaders from across CRM for three days of meetings and training in Colorado Springs. It is a joy to serve with such sharp, godly leaders!

ChristLife Ministry

Tim is leading our home church through a “NCD survey” (Natural Church Development). NCD surveys are a helpful tool to assist churches assess their health in eight key areas. We’re excited about serving our church in this way! Also, Elise continues to teach a Sunday School class for kids 3-5 years old.

Family News

Shirley’s Dad—Happy Birthday! After the Vennard meetings, we drove over to Clarinda, Iowa to help Shirley’s dad celebrate his 78th birthday

Arizona with Tim’s folks Tim’s folks accompanied him to Arizona. After Tim finished his teaching time, he and his folks spend two days seeing some awesome sights...including Indian ruins, the Grand Canyon and the Painted Desert. We also got to worship in a Navajo church...a wonderful experience!

Shirley sees lots of family in Dallas Shirley went with Tim on his Dallas trip...and we got to see several uncles, aunts, cousins and their families. We enjoyed staying with Billy and Wendy Stephen’s family, Shirley’s cousins.

Upcoming Ministry

February

4 th -6 th	Training NCEA leaders in Portland
7 th -8 th	Assessment training at Hosanna!
10 th -12 th	Pastors/Wives Retreat in Iowa
18 th	Ministry with Bridgewood Church leaders
23 rd -28 th	CRM Super Week training in Los Angeles
**	Continued work on doctoral studies

March

1 st -2 nd	CRM Super Week in Los Angeles
4 th -6 th	Western Conference Board Meetings--Billings, MT
9 th	Preach at ChristLife
21 st -24 th	Ministry in Independence, IA

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we can serve wherever God sends us! Thank you!