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IGNITING FLAMES OF HOPE

'And I myself will be a wall of fire around it,' declares the LORD, 'and I will be its glory within.'
Zechariah 2:5



The summer events are happening fast and furious for the Firewall youth. We have been bowling, horseback riding, on a wacky scavenger hunt, and much more. The weekly Firewall Olympics is a big hit and keeping the youth together and involved in positive activities helps in developing the positive peer pressure environment that is needed to encourage them to find and cultivate their relationship with God.

We have seen our numbers grow at Thursday night youth services as the teens bring their friends and they get excited about God and hanging out with others that are making wise choices.

Calvary Clean-up

We had a great deal of help this month from Calvary Chapel of Fort Lauderdale as they sent over 25 servants to help us with some projects. These projects included some maintenance and cleaning on our main building along with the painting and fix-up of our new recreation center. This was a huge blessing as they also pulled weeds and prepared the field for all our summer games. Thanks Calvary!

Food For All

Open Door Ministries is a group of dedicated individuals who love to serve and cook for the Lord. They have been coming every Thursday night before youth service and preparing a wonderful dinner for all of the students and staff. They have been a huge blessing to all of us and we are very grateful for their partnership in helping us to reach the youth of Palma Nova.



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Summer Camp

Pastor Ron and Mrs. Janeth bravely took 12 middle School students to summer camp. With only 2 boys and 10 girls, Mrs. Janeth drew the toughest job, so we asked her to share her experience with you.

Middle School Camp has been one of the best experiences of my life. The first day we arrived I was a little skeptical of whether the teens were going to enjoy this new experience of staying in a dorm and sleeping in bunks. But they got acclimated quickly to the daily routine and had great fun with all the games and activities.

What happened at camp spiritually was pretty amazing!!! The speaker was very dynamic, and he knew how to get to these teens' hearts. I was touched at the way the girls responded to the message and at the way they worshipped God. They had an awesome opportunity to get closer to God, to give it all to HIM, to make a commitment to follow Him and to make better choices. My prayer is that this experience that God allowed these teens to go through will remain in their hearts and lives. As the year passes they will remember this time and next year, more girls and guys will come and experience the power and love of God in their lives. I want to thank you for your prayers and support to help this camp be a reality.



Football Clinic

Trent Gamble the former Miami Dolphins player and current football program director for the Calvary Christian Academy came with all his coaches and volunteers to put on a tremendous football clinic for the boys of Palma Nova. Kids from 7 to 17 participated in all kinds of drills and activities in the wonderful South Florida heat but it was fun for all. Trent wrapped

up the clinic with a powerful gospel presentation that brought Jesus home into the hearts of many of these children. Thanks Trent!



Upcoming Events

Annual Fundraiser Banquet is approaching fast!!!!

The Firewall Ministries annual banquet at the Signature Grand will be on Friday, September 19th at 7:00 p.m. The Palma Nova youth will be performing and testifying of how God and Firewall Ministries has made a life-changing impact on their lives. If you would like to be a sponsor, please contact us as soon as possible. God is blessing and using this ministry in very powerful and practical ways. Come and be a part of the solution.

Thank You

We would like to thank all of you who financially support and pray for this ministry. May God bless you for all that you do for His Kingdom.



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