

Summer is over and the leaves outside are finally beginning to change into their Fall colors. For the London family, this means that we move from being busy with Bible Camp ministry into more of a support ministry role. Since the last camp in early August, Adam has been staying busy by doing CYAK odds and ends, like publications and doing camp paperwork. Adam also serves on the Bible Camp Board of Directors. In addition to papers, Adam has been developing a website dedicated solely to Bible Camp. We would love it if you checked it out: www.CovenantBibleCamp.com. The website is still under construction, but please check out the pictures, videos, and music. Adam edited all of the live recordings from this year's Bible Camp worship to make the newest CD. Besides CYAK work, Adam has also been staying busy as a full-time distance Seminary student. So far the work has been a bit more than Adam had expected, but he has kept up with the workload and is doing his best. Shirleen has been busy being a mother of two and helps out with CYAK as she is able. She is involved in an Alaska Christian College ladies Bible study and helps host a home group for Amundsen Educational Center students.

Moving and Changing in CYAK Ministry

Another very big change that the Fall has brought is that Adam has accepted a call to move to Unalakleet and oversee the youth ministry of the Covenant church there. While there Adam will be mentored by the pastor in areas of visitations, special services (like funerals and weddings), serving communion, and many other pastoral areas. Shirleen will focus on being a mother for the rest of the school year, but is hoping that a teaching opportunity opens up in the Elementary school in Unalakleet next Fall. After much prayer and discernment, both Adam and Shirleen are confident that this opportunity is a direct response to the calling of village ministry that God has placed on both of their hearts.

We are looking to move from Kenai to Unalakleet by early 2011. As many of our supporters know, as we have been living in Kenai we have always said that we were only here temporarily until we move out to the village. Now as we are moving to the village we really want to establish a long-term home. We plan on being in Unalakleet doing ministry for many years.

The youth ministry in Unalakleet is part of Covenant Youth of Alaska ministries, so we will continue to be part of the CYAK team. As we get ready for this exciting ministry, we would love to have your continued support. We will give more information next NewsFlash, until then, feel free to contact us and ask questions.

Prayer Requests

- Praise God for the safe arrival of beautiful baby Talia!
- Please pray for the London family as they adjust to having two little ones.
- Please pray for the upcoming High School Fall Blast retreat in the village of Elim. Please pray that hearts and minds will be receptive to God's love.
- Please continue to pray for Adam as he juggles full-time CYAK work and online classes this year (and being a father and a husband too, of course!)

Getting to Know the Londons



Welcome baby Talia!

Talia Faith Iituk Ikayuaq Li Ya London was born on September 18th at 11:36pm at the Central Peninsula Hospital. Both mom and baby are happy and healthy.

Every child is different, or so we have been told. So far Talia has very much been her own unique child. While Thomas was a long and stressful labor, Talia was incredibly quick. The entire labor was about 5 hours, and we were only in the hospital 2 hours before she was born. Talia has much darker hair than her brother and has chubby cheeks with great smile dimples. Thomas also did not like to eat and he was always wiggling around. Talia, on the other hand is very calm and loves to eat. In fact, she gained 1 oz. in her first week and grew 3/4 inch! The doctor said that kind of growth usually takes about 3 weeks. Thomas had better look out, because Talia is going to be his size in no time! Fortunately, so far Thomas loves his little sister very much.

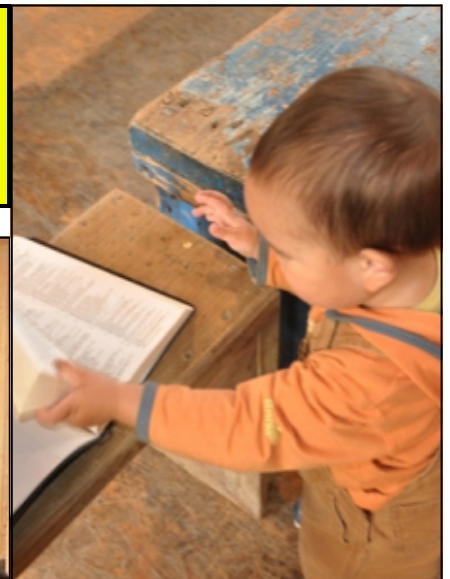


Talia in her car seat as she gets ready to leave the hospital. She is such a sweet little girl.

Snapshots



This is the group picture for Vision camp. Vision is the young adult camp that was in early August.



It is never too early to have a hunger for God's Word! Thomas thinks it is great fun to thumb through the Bible.



Adam was the program director for Vision camp this year. We had great speakers who shared their testimonies.



The first London family picture with all 4 of us! This was taken before Talia was even 1 day old.



Congratulations to Michael and Adam's sister Melissa! Thomas was the ring bearer for their wedding.



Thomas on his first ever blueberry picking trip. He loved picking, eating, squishing, and throwing those berries!

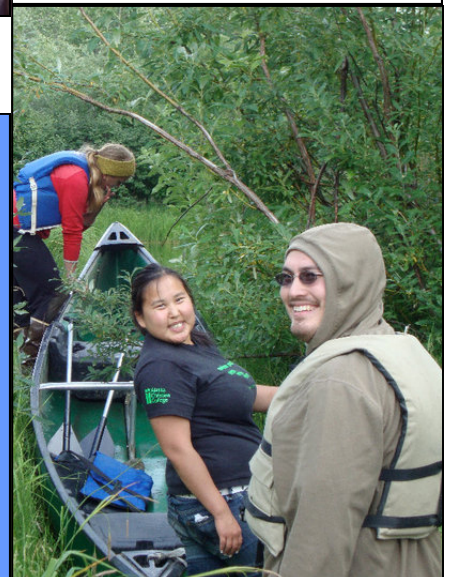
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Thanks for being on our support team!



Adam led a short canoe adventure over the beaver dam. He forgot to tell the others to wear rubber boots. Oops.