



RICH HEART BAPTIST BIBLE INSTITUTE CHOIR

SPRING IN MONGOLIA

Spring in Mongolia is when the snow will fall, and the temperatures will get much more reasonable. When the temperatures reach close to 0c (32F) the youth want to be outside. After our Men's Fellowship meeting the young men took to the parking lot to clear away the snow so they could get in an early game of basketball. We had 28 attend the fellowship with 12 of them being teenagers. It is so great to see the young men wanting to be involved. With the warmer weather our basketball court will be in constant use until the subzero temperatures of winter will drive them inside once again.



FAMILY ADDED TO CHURCH

Last month we reported on Gantulga and his wife Undrah joining the church by baptism. The following Sunday their two daughters, Oyun-Erdene and Aminaa were baptized and added to the church. They have already become involved with our youth in the activities of our church. Pray for this family as they begin their service to God in His Church.



NO MOTHERS DAY HERE

Mongolia does not have Mother's Day like the USA but they do celebrate International Women's Day. The men of our churches did not let that day go by unnoticed. This year the men of Rich Heart grilled baloney sandwiches and each women got 1/2 baloney sandwich and a small piece of cake after services. They also presented every women with a single rose. The men then serenaded them with the song "It is Well With My Soul". Mongolia also



does not have a Father's Day but do celebrate Army Day. This falls two weeks after Women's Day. The ladies, not to be out done, fixed the men a feast of Buuzs (steamed meat dumplings) chicken stuffed bread, and large pieces of cake, and gave each man a nice gift. They also sang "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus" for the men. It's so nice being a man.

THE QUIT DRINKING CHURCH OF CHOIR

The Rich Heart Altai Baptist Church of Choir has proven over and over again that they have a true love for God and have what it takes to be one of His Churches. When the Church organized in 2009 it had 13 members. They were mostly women and the majority of the members were struggling just to survive day by day. A church building was built and has survived having their radiators frozen and ruined. They survived two fires and rebuilt. Today they are a nearly 50 member strong church that needs very little help from the other churches in Mongolia. In March they held the graduation program for those who had



completed their alcohol abuse program. They have had good success with in leading men, and women to the Jesus Christ and away from the destructive road of alcohol. So much success that the city has given them the nickname the "The Quit Drinking Church". What a blessing it is to see the spiritual and physical growth of this church.



Note: Plans are being drawn up now for the new church building in Uginoor. Also continue to pray about the location for the next new church to be established in Mongolia.