

# NCEM Minute-Man *call*

Supplying Timely Ministry Needs

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Thank you for giving so generously to Call #179. Your gifts totaled \$65,099.02. The Outreach & Church Ministry Fund (OCMF) helps missionaries do outreach beyond their regular day-to-day ministries. It allows our missionaries to have ministry in communities where they previously served, and expand to places where we have no missionaries.


We are also grateful for your gifts to "conferences." It is a huge blessing for missionaries to gather together annually for mutual fellowship, good Bible teaching and helpful seminars. We just attended the Central Region conference last week, held at Nipawin Bible College, where our missionaries were blessed and encouraged.

This Minute-Man Call (#180) will go towards **Recruitment, Training & Internship Assistance**. I am so thankful that these funds will enable our Director of Public Relations, Walter Selke and his wife Cindy, to visit Bible schools and churches, looking for new recruits to join us in bringing the Gospel to First Nations People. Your gifts will help cover their travel costs, as well as needed accommodations and meals. Please pray the Lord of the harvest to bless their efforts and send forth labourers into His harvest!

The Selkes also provide leadership to our Candidate Training & Orientation Program. We desire that our interns and new candidates are well equipped for the situations and cultures they will enter. Some of the topics covered are: the history of NCEM, finding supporters, fatherlessness, spiritual warfare, cultural awareness and more. Training funds also help full-time staff to improve their ministry and grow through further training. I, for one, have appreciated this!

We are also thankful for the interns that God is sending to us, and we want to provide some assistance to them financially. We are grateful that you are playing a key role in helping these interns to participate in First Nations ministry. Depending on their desires and our need, they minister in various places like Bible camps, Main Office, or Field ministry.

Thank you for being a Minute-Man with us!



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*The oldest cabin at PRBC in need of replacement*

## A NEED TO DRINK, CLEAN AND SLEEP

**Three camps with three different needs – the need to drink, a place to sleep, and help to clean.**

*from Pine Ridge Bible Camp ...*

We are so thankful for funds that have come in through the latest Minute-Man appeal. These funds will allow us to start construction this fall on foundation work for a new cabin.

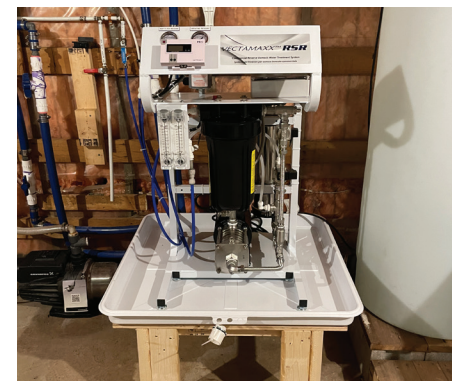
This cabin will replace our oldest cabin on the "boys side." There have been many good memories made in this old cabin over the years, and it is always hard to see a part of the history of the Camp being replaced. However, this cabin is in desperate need of replacement as it is a constant struggle to keep mice and squirrels out. The floor is starting to separate from the walls, and every time the cabin shifts, it opens up another gap for unwanted critters to come in.

These funds will allow us to start construction and get the foundation completed so that the remaining construction can take place over the winter, as the Lord provides further funding.

*from Big River Bible Camp ...*

We are so happy to be able to purchase a brand new dishwasher! For the past nine years all the dish washing had to be done by hand in three deep sinks. It was a very slow process, and often led to camp schedule delays as we waited for the dishes to be finished. This new machine will allow the process to go quicker and with an assurance that all dishes are being sanitized properly.

We have already tested the dishwasher with a visiting group, and have noticed a big difference! The rest of the pieces for the new sink and counters will be in shortly. We can honestly say that we can't wait to do dishes this summer!



*Above: The new reverse osmosis water system for ANBC*

*Below: The new dishwasher for BRBC  
 Each camp works to reach children and youth with the Gospel of Jesus Christ*



*from Arrowhead Native Bible Center ...*

At ANBC we have the challenge of salty water coming from our well. This has been managed with a reverse osmosis water system for the past 15 years. The unit we purchased at the time was sufficient for the demands, but as our programs have grown, and demand for potable water has increased, it became clear we would need a larger unit.

This past spring our "RO" machine quit working and needed to be replaced. The Minute-Man project allowed us to replace it with a larger unit to keep up with demand. The potable water feeds our kitchen and a water bottle fill station, our two housekeeping units, as well as the pastoral care cabin and our intern quarters.

We are extremely grateful for the funds provided through Minute-Man to enable us to move ahead with good clean drinking water without any interruptions.