



Mini-Report regarding Baptist Youth Camp in Charlotte, Maine

As the the Psalmist writes in Psalm 136 "Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good. *His love endures forever.*" The author continues in this declaration with 26 verses giving praise to the Lord. We see this theme echo throughout the pages of God's Word and throughout history. This summer was no exception as we gathered together at Baptist Youth Camp to give thanks to the Lord and to lift His name on high!

The 2025 Baptist Youth Camp theme was "Worthy". God alone is worthy to be praised and worthy to be followed. Through our weeks of camp the amazing staff (who the Lord provided and gathered) sought to encourage and remind campers that the Lord is worthy of all of our worship! As we took time to study the Lord's prayer, which is found in Matthew 6:9-13, all who attended were reminded that this short prayer is rich with truth and reminds us of the ways that we can declare over and over that He is Worthy.

When camp registration opened we would have never anticipated that over 70 high school aged campers would register for Teen Camp. In order for no teen camper to be denied a spot in 2025 the Lord had to make a way as we simply did not have enough beds to host this many campers at one time. After extensive prayer, failed ideas, and dead ends, the Lord opened up doors three days before camp started for us to to have a pre-built cabin delivered and bunks added within an hour. Logistically speaking this should not have worked out, but as we know the Lord is able.

In the Lord's kindness, He has provided in amazing ways. We delight in the staff that were called to serve and the campers who attended. We rejoice in the Lord's clear direction for the ministry and His provision. There is so much we can give thanks for!

As we near 80 years of ministry we pray and trust that the Lord will continue to guide and provide.

May the Lord continue to give us opportunities to engage, encourage, and equip many to be followers of Jesus as we "Experience Christ Together" through genuine awe, intentional community and authentic worship. May God get all the glory; He is worthy!

Rejoice - The Lord is at work in mighty ways!

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Campers Highlights!

"When we talked about Jesus."

"Singing to God
and making new friends."

"Stargazing in the field
with my cabin."

"Any time in the chapel."

"Always the dancing,
as well as the sound of us all
singing around the campfire."

"People and preaching."

"Cabin Prayer time"

"Spending time with my cabin."

"Chapel and the Counselors."

"Sunset point Campfire."

"New and old friends."

"New life in Christ."

"The best week of my life."

