

# Backyard

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"Each day we focused on a character trait of Jesus, such as love, compassion, etc."



Each day. The children ranged in age from 5-13.

glass window of Jesus with the Lamb, one child asked "Is that God?" Another child was fascinated with the hymnbook. Hopefully these children learned that church is a place of welcome. For some, they began their journey of knowing God, while others grew in their relationship with God.

Thank you to everyone who helped make this week possible. Those who prayed. Those who hosted Tagu and Athens. Those who gave of their time to help with the children.

"Let the little children come to me" – Jesus

**CYOB Opening**  
- each morning began with devotions  
- singing O Canada, reading a book, and saying a prayer



**CYOB Devotions** - each day included Talking & Learning in Christ (TLC). Songs, a Bible story around the theme What Would Jesus Do and an interactive activity.

**Drew Johnston** -  
"It was **AWESOME**. The people were awesome. The games were awesome. The leaders were awesome. The TLC (Talking & Learning in Christ) was awesome. (I say awesome far too much!)"

**CYOB Indoor Games and CYOB Outdoor Games** - part of camp is all the fun games. Athens and Tagu, the camp leaders, knew lots of camp games.



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