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A Ministry Update from the Brakes

serving with **CRU**



Imagine you're in a foreign country. This country largely uses cash and you've just discovered your ATM card, your only way to obtain cash, isn't working. Now imagine that it's not just your cash you're unable to obtain, but the money for the entire summer mission (SM) team you're in charge of.

Did you feel a bit stressed imagining that scenario? This actually happened the other week and this is why Edward and the mission trip operations team exists! When the team leader contacted Edward, Edward directed him to the right people to fix the problem, so that this SM team had the money they need to continue to eat and take transit while doing ministry overseas.

Please keep praying for this SM team and the 109 other teams this summer, that they would make the love of Jesus known through their words and actions throughout the 45 countries worldwide in which they're serving. And pray for Edward and his team as they provide any needed support!

We're so thankful for you,
Edward & Emily

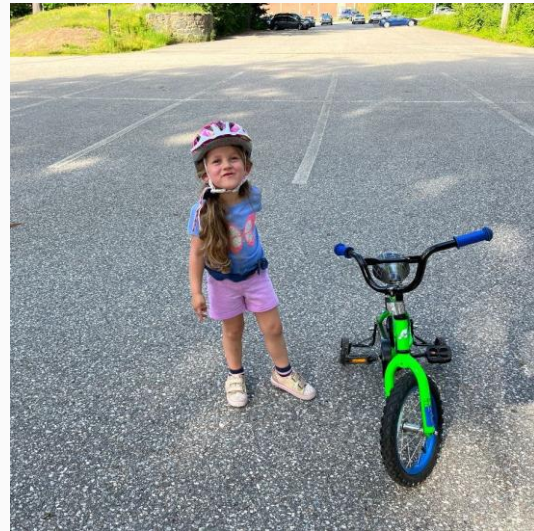


End of Year International Student Celebration at Our House

Ways to Celebrate and Pray

- Hosting an end of the year BBQ for international students (*see photo*) was such a beautiful reminder of the nations God brings here, to UNH. From Bangladesh to Mexico, China to Iran, so many countries and cultures were brought together. Pray for the hope of Jesus to be made known to each of these students.
 - Please keep praying for the 3 interns Emily is coaching this summer (Eve, Jessie and Joi) to raise their support by Aug 1st! This is the 4th summer Emily has coached and it's one of her favorite summer roles, watching God provide through the support of others and watching interns' faith grow as a result.
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- Pray for incoming students at UNH and Keene! Orientations are happening at UNH this month and we've watched the traffic jams in front of our house as hundreds of new students drive away from campus. And hopefully notice the sign about Cru in our yard as they sit in traffic :)



S&S Scoop

Samuel turned 6 and finished kindergarten this month! He absolutely loved school and we're excited about all that he's learned and the new friends he's made. Sophia is having fun with her new "big" bike with training wheels. Both kids currently love dinosaurs and pretending. Current favorite things to pretend are riding the trolley (pushing our portable coat rack up and down the hall) and "church", complete with worship songs and a sermon.





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