



Monthly News & Updates

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December Prayer

Creator,
We come before you with thanks during this Holiday Season. As we celebrate the birth of our Savior, we ask that you help us to keep You at the forefront of our minds. We thank you for everything you have done for us this year. We ask that You bless us mightily in the New Year and that each person reading this is blessed. In Your Holy Name,
Amen

President's Desk

Dear Friends and Relatives,
As the year draws to a close, we pause to give thanks to Creator for you and for the ways you have chosen to walk alongside our Native youth and families. Because of your generosity, this year has been one of growth, resilience, and renewed hope.
Because of your support, Native youth and families experienced spaces of belonging, healing and hope this year. This year, Native youth gathered to learn ancestral arts, languages, and leadership skills. Elders were honored as teachers and wisdom-keepers. Young people deepened their connection to culture and faith – discovering that faith does not require the erasure of identity. This reflects Yeshua's call to love our neighbors and to see the image of Creator in every person.

Upcoming Events

- Dec 17th- 4-1 Youth Christmas party
 - Dec 19th- Staff Christmas Party
 - Dec 28-Jan 2- DOP at Urbana Conference in Phoenix
 - Jan 6-9- Dewy and Corey to Indigenous leaders Gathering
 - Jan 31-Feb 2- DOP at Lake Oswego
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Dancing Our Prayers

Hello MW Family!
We are excited to take 7 students and some leaders to perform at the Urbana Conference in Phoenix. We will get to perform on the Main Stage on the 30th of December. We will have the opportunity to meet with local tribal elders from the Phoenix area.
We are currently scheduling for Spring and Fall of 2026. We have openings in March and April of 2026!
If your church is interested in hosting *Dancing Our Prayers*, visit our website to learn more!

Please contact Dewy Bill at 509-949-0506 or dewymendingwings@gmail.com

Your generosity has allowed our organization to serve our Native youth and families, not from a place of control, but from humility and relationship. Rather than repeating the harms of the past, we are committed to a model rooted in listening, mutual respect and conciliation. This approach not only sustains programs—it restores dignity and connection.

As we look toward the coming year, we remain hopeful, prayerful and committed to nurturing Native futures rooted in culture, creativity, and community well-being all in the spirit of Yeshua. There is still much work ahead, and your continued partnership makes that work possible.

From all of us—staff, elders, youth, and families—thank you for walking this path with us. Your belief in our mission is a powerful act of solidarity.

May Creator bless you in the coming year. Tamánwiła, nuknuwit chī mami wakish'wit – Creator, bless these lives.

And...MALI KLISMAS KU KW'AŁANI
CHIMTI ANWÍKT – MERRY CHRISTMAS
AND HAPPY NEW YEAR!

With gratitude and hope,
Corey Greaves

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SLAM

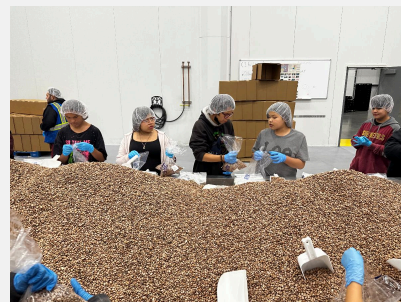
We have hired a new SLAM director and she will be starting in January! We look forward to introducing you all to her. We are currently scheduling for the Spring break trips and Summer trips for 2026. If you are interested in bringing a group for a week that will change lives, please Contact Corey at 509-949-1923 or email at coreymendingwings@gmail.com.



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4-1 Youth

Our 4-1 Youth Group got to go to Northwest Harvest in Yakima and help pack food for the needy. This is always a fun community outreach/service activity for our youth. The youth were able to pack enough bags to feed 3000 families!!



Thank You Donors

Thank you to all of our donors! We have sent out Christmas cards to all our donors. I have received several back with incorrect addresses. We would really appreciate it if you could take a minute and send us an updated address, particularly if you are a donor and have not received a Christmas card yet. Please contact us as well if you have a new

church home! We would love to make sure all our records are up to date. If you aren't currently a donor and you would like to be, Contact Delaney at (509)930-2996 or Delaneymendingwings@gmail.com

We appreciate your support!!!

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