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Left: Almost a full house at UNCP for the Maze!!

Top: The girls finding out we are having a little boy!!

Right: Jim freaking students out on campus at FSU

Are you in the Maze?

How would you respond to waves being made in the ocean of our widely accepted, rarely challenged, cultural definition of truth?

The MAZE is a show that blends illusion, mystery, humor, psychology, and intuition into a powerful outreach that leaves students pondering the question "How can I know what is really true?" We had the MAZE at UNC Pembroke on August 26 and at Fayetteville State on August 27. At UNCP, almost 1300 students came and at FSU, over 900 students attended!

At UNCP, we saw 155 decisions for Christ and at FSU, we saw 280 decisions for Christ - a total of 435 students! We have been busy training students and volunteers from our ministries and the community how to follow up with the people who indicated that they received Christ to find out where they are spiritually and answer any questions they may have. They will also do their best to help these potential new believers get plugged into a church and a group on campus where they can grow and find fellowship.

At UNCP, one of the college pastors at a

local church whom we partner with in ministry made this comment:

"Congrats to UNCP Cru for bringing The Maze! This was the most attended and well responded to campus ministry event I've seen in over 9 years of campus ministry. This isn't about what any one organization or group is doing at UNCP - it's about what God is doing."

Here were some of the other comments we got from students:

"You made me want to live instead of die."

"It was great because I needed to hear what God had been trying to tell me."

"This was absolutely amazing. It touched my spirit and woke me up to realize that I needed God."

"His life story made me rethink my life choice. I needed something to bring me to it because I was too into myself."

"I have been to church but this show and listening to his story really changed me."

Thank you for being a part of seeing students go from death to life! We couldn't do any of this without your partnership!

Prayer Requests:

- We had a record number of surveys fill out surveys at our schools - 1803 surveys! We have already seen two students trust Christ through following up with these!
- Praise the Lord for volunteers from our church and the community to help us followup with these surveys!
- Pray for a faculty advisor at Wake Tech North - this is vital to us moving forward there. Pray for our Fall Retreat coming up Sept. 26-28. Last year, we had 62 students. This year, we are praying for 90 from Eastern NC!
- Some things came up in April's last ultrasound. Pray for wisdom for the doctors and peace for us.

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