



## The Fosters

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A Cru Ministry



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## Kids on a Mission

Allison, our son Gabe, and I recently returned from Austin, Texas. Jesus Film hosted a large donor briefing that I attended, where I shared a brief update on the Animated Story of Jesus project. The three hundred attendees brought approximately 150 kids, all of whom needed to be taken care of while their parents attended the sessions! Allison and Gabe worked in the “Kids on a Mission” program, designed to help kids from 1-18 learn more about the bible, missions, and have a lot of fun while they do it!



Allison led the team that took care of sixteen 6-7-year-olds, which consisted of two other ladies and Gabe. Allison planned lessons and coordinated the day's events, and Gabe was a teacher and student leader for the group. He did an amazing job connecting with and teaching the kids. They loved his sense of humor and would hug and high-five him in the hallways on the way to and from the room. I think he would make a great youth pastor someday!

## Back to Cape Town

I am traveling back to South Africa from May 8th to 16th for the next quarterly production checkpoint and evaluation. During this trip, the studio will show us updated artwork, a rough draft of a test scene from the movie, a 3D test of the Jesus character, an updated animatic (the film in moving sketches), and several new characters. I will also evaluate some of the “less artistic” project details, such as timeline, budget, etc.

Three members of Jesus Film's language dubbing department will travel with me to work with the production team to ensure that the timing of the characters' mouths will enable us to easily “drop in” the 2,300 languages from the JESUS film. This is a critical part of the process, as using these recordings in the animated film is a major goal of the project. Please pray for wisdom for our team and the producers and technicians from Sunrise Studios as they set up the groundwork for this dubbing process.

Please also pray for this trip as several important deliverables need to be reviewed, assessed, and, prayerfully, approved to move forward. Please pray for safe travel for the four of us traveling from Orlando and for continued good working relationships between the Sunrise Animation Studios team and Jesus film. Thank you for your continued support and prayers. We appreciate you so much!

Blessings,  
Eric, for the Fosters