

WORLD *Mission* BAPTIST *Agency* FELLOWSHIP

October 2025

Dear Prayer Partner,

Our lives and service for Jesus was never meant to be easy. 2 Corinthians 11:24-28 the apostle Paul was beaten, shipwrecked, and imprisoned for serving the Lord. Isaiah 50:7 tells us of the obedience of Jesus and that He set His face like a flint, knowing that He would face death in Jerusalem. Our Lord was determined to go for this was the Father's will and the only way to save lost sinners.

Sad to say, but many in the church confuse kindness with softness. To many Christians believe that if we are sensitive enough the world will accept the gospel message. The Bible says that the gospel is "foolishness" to a lost world. "For the preaching of the cross is to them that perish foolishness; but unto us which are saved it is the power of God" (1 Corinthians 1:18). Those who regard the gospel as foolishness, rejecting and even ridiculing God's Word, prove that they are perishing in sin on their way to hell.

It is not our niceness that changes the heart of the unsaved, but God's power working in our witness. Many Christians in the past were humble, scarred, and steadfast. They endured hardship with steel in their backs because they trusted our Lord. That's what we need today. We are not in need of brashness or arrogance, but the need for all Christians to have the grit to suffer for the truth. Softness and indifference only brunt the outcome of the gospel. We need to be courageous, clothed in the living Christ and proclaiming the gospel.

I had the blessing of visiting via the inner net with pastors and missionaries in Brazil. Pastors Mauricio Silva Filho and Silvio Santos shared with me a recent service in which eleven teenagers and children were saved. Pastor Silvio also works in some of the local prisons in the São Paulo area. Thank God for the men and women who have the faith and willingness to teach and preach the Word of God. Don't we need more such men and women in the church today? Thank you for your prayers and support.

*Unworthily His,
Wendell Hiers*





World Harvest Baptist Missions

Dear Partners and Friends,

October 2025

The Langleys

Ben and Nan

Director of Pastoral Training

JOHN 14:1 "LET NOT YOUR HEART BE TROUBLED; YE BELIEVE IN GOD, BELIEVE ALSO IN ME." JOHN 14:6 "I AM THE WAY, THE TRUTH AND THE LIFE, NO MAN COMETH UNTO THE FATHER BUT BY ME."

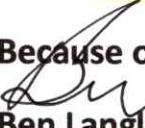
This world is in a terrible condition! Here in the United States we have seen in the last few days a voice for God and Country murdered, Charlie Kirk. We see killing of innocent people on a daily basis and we see multitudes applauding the wrong that is being done. **BUT GOD!**

We as Christians know the answer. The answer is Jesus! We have hope because of Him, we know the outcome because of Him! We have a directive from our leader; **"go ye into all the world and preach the gospel"**. That is the answer to the problems of this world.

In Myanmar where our mission work began eight years ago, there is a military junta that is murdering hundreds every week. We just received a notice from one of our staff pastors, Bro. ShaHtoo of a situation in the last few days; "military junta air strikes on the refugee camp destroyed 3 houses, killed 5 including 2 children in Kayah State." Their house and shelter was hit by bombs. He and his family were in a bunker so they survived, thank the Lord. We need \$1600.00 to help them rebuild their house and shelter, can you help?

This world needs to hear the Word of God to be saved, and we know Jesus is coming soon, the need is urgent, the cause is great.. **Your help makes our work possible, thank you!**

Because of HIM,


Ben Langley Romans 1:16

TIM LEE MINISTRIES

Patriotic Partner Newsletter

OCTOBER 2023

Greetings in the name above every name, the name of JESUS! One day every knee shall bow and every tongue shall confess that Jesus is Lord!

I, along with all of you, was horrified to watch what happened to Charlie Kirk on that campus in Utah when an assassin took his life. The world watched as we saw the terror unfold. But in the days following this brutal murder we saw something else. We saw God work in ways that many of us have never seen before. We are seeing so many teenagers and young adults returning to church and many going to church for the first time. Nationwide there has been a 15% increase in church attendance! I think we can all agree that God is doing something extraordinary! It could be that we could see another Great Awakening before Jesus comes to take us home. Whatever the Lord is up to, I want to be a part of it and I pray you do too! I don't want to be sitting on the sidelines! Let's pray and work until the Lord calls us home!

I was privileged to have dinner with Charlie several years ago. He was humble and had a desire to make a real difference in this mean and sinful world. I doubt Charlie ever imagined his life or even his death would make the profound impact that it has. That is how humble he was. There is no doubt in my mind that he and Jesus have been smiling a lot from Heaven as they watch this spirit of revival sweeping across America and even around the world. Christians, let us be mindful to continue to pray for Charlie's family — his wife Erika, their two little children, his parents, his sister and the rest of the family.

I want to express my gratitude. I shared in a previous newsletter about needing some help with travel expenses. We have the best supporters and you have come through for this ministry once again. Thank you from the bottom of my heart!

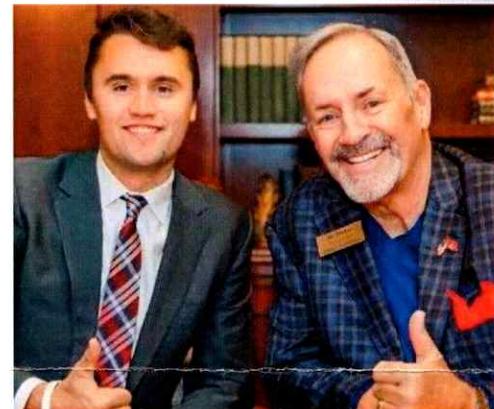
On September 7th, Connie and I were in Simpsonville, South Carolina with Pastor Stephen Cox and the folks of Bible Baptist Church. This is a growing and exciting church. The building was full in both services. ***Eleven came for salvation***, and scores more came for other decisions! To God be the glory!

The next Sunday, we were in North Carolina with Pastor Daniel Hawtree at Kerwin Baptist Church in Kernersville. I've been preaching at this church since 1980! We have some great friends in this church. This was the Sunday after Charlie Kirk was murdered and I preached about another young martyr, a follower of Jesus Christ, Stephen. We had an amazing service with folks coming from all over the vast auditorium during the invitation! Many decisions were made including several for salvation! It was great to see and visit with Tim Lee Ministries board members and dear friends, Tony and Chris Alford.

September 27th, we were back in North Carolina for the Faith and Freedom event in Marion. When we pulled into the parking lot there were people everywhere! After Charlie was murdered, people have decided they can no longer be quiet. People are deciding to stand up for what's right and for Jesus! There were over twenty great speakers at this important event including Dr. Ben Carson, Homeland Security Secretary Kristi Noem, Fox and Friends host Rachel Campos Duffy, Ambassador Mark Walker, Radio host Todd Starnes, Fox News contributor Joe Concha and so many more. I helped to close the event on Saturday evening. It was a great day as we gathered with so many other patriots.

When we left Marion, North Carolina we headed on to Asheboro. When we finally arrived to our hotel Saturday evening we were exhausted! It had been a great day but a busy one. Sunday morning I preached at Beulah Baptist Church in Bennett, North Carolina for Pastor Neal Jackson. Neal is also a State Representative in North Carolina. I thank God for these pastors courage to get into the political arena. We need more just like him! The Lord blessed with a sweet service. Again the altars were full and there were many, many decisions made including ***three for salvation!*** To God be the glory. It was an honor to have TLM board member Gaylord Rush and his precious wife Brenda in the service as well. They are great friends.

Thank you for your prayers, your encouragement and your financial support. I've said it before and I'll say it again and again, we could not do this work that God has called us to without your help.



That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Philippians 2:10-11

TIM'S SCHEDULE

October 5

Worth Baptist Church
Fort Worth, TX
Pastor Tyler Gilbert

October 26

Canyon Ridge Baptist Church
San Diego, CA
Pastor Chris Chadwick

October 12

First Baptist Church
New Castle, OK
Pastor Jeremy Freeman

October 19

West Jacksonville Baptist Church
Jacksonville, FL
Pastor Rodney Kelley



Dr. Ben Carson
Salt & Light Conference



With Fox News contributor Joe Concha
Salt & Light Conference



Fox & Friends Host Rachel Campos Duffy
Salt & Light Conference

PRAYER REQUESTS & PRAISES

Michael Barros asks that we pray for his mom as she moves to Tennessee.

Neil Tenney asks that we pray for Christian who was in a bad car accident.

A Partner asks that we pray for their son, Dax with many health issues.

James Pruitt reminds us to pray for our country.

Norma Carmichael asks pray for two family members who need to stop drinking.

Lori Cox is asking that we pray for her dad who needs salvation. He is 98 years old.

Norma Carmichael asks that we pray for her and her family. They lost 3 family members last week (aunt, great aunt and cousin) all due to health issues.

Karen Disher asks that we pray for her family.

John Snyder reminds us to pray fervently for President Trump!

Travis Burgess has a PRAISE! We've been praying and his sister and brother in law are now coming to church!

REMEMBER...

Please remember to pray for

Tim Lee Ministries

- Pray for Tim and his wife Connie as they travel.
- Pray for souls to be saved.
- Pray for the financial needs of Tim Lee Ministries to be met.

PRAYER REQUESTS

- If you have prayer requests to submit, please fill out the enclosed card (include your name on the card).
- We take your requests very seriously and will pray over them.

WE NEED YOU!

Please pray and consider helping TLM by supporting the ministry on a monthly basis.



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Identifying with Jesus

When you turn on the news these days you find so many people in desperate situations all over the world. And though it is true that there is a lot of hurt to go around there is also a lot of joy. Just look in the faces of these new believers in Jesus and the joy they have to express their faith in Christ.

Before I baptized these new believers, I reminded each one of them that because Jesus died and rose again and when they put their trust in Him, He gave them total forgiveness of their sin, and a new life with God that will never end. What joy!

We are so thankful that the Lord has raised up strong leaders within our church who have served Jesus so effectively. They have had a direct impact on these new believers through evangelistic efforts and follow up.

Thank you for your prayers and financial support that help Beth and me share this joy about our Lord Jesus here in Thailand. You have made a huge difference in the lives of these new believers. Your partnership in the ministry here has advanced the building of the Kingdom of our Lord in this Buddhist country. We thank the Lord for you!

Raymond & Beth



Dr. Wiwut from a Thai Buddhist family, an elderly gentleman working at a local university. He trusts in Jesus!



Josh is from the Philippines living in Thailand. This young man just got engaged and now also has a Savior, Jesus!



Please pray for the 4 people who were baptized, new believers in Jesus!
Dr. Wiwut, Josh, Mallie (Thai single mom of two teenage girls), and Christine (tutor from the Philippines)



A caring community passionate about connecting people to Jesus Christ.



The Mexico Mission

Prayer Warriors,

First, we would like to thank each and every individual, church, and ministry who have prayed for us over the past 2 years. The Lord has answered our prayers through safety, and support. Since July of 2023 we had a 2 week survey trip to Mexico, one year of deputation, 6 months of language school in Costa Rica, and now a smooth move to Ramos Arizpe, Coahuila, Mexico. He has surely provided all of our needs, and listened to your prayers to encourage us, and keep us going. Thank you!

We were not able to obtain an appointment to discuss temporary residency, or did we receive temporary residency. That did not stop us, we decided to still come, and we received 180 visas that will need to be renewed in February. God is still good, and he made a way for us to move anyways.

In July we were able to spend a couple days at camp Minnetonka during Aurora's kids camp week, visit with a lot of family, and took a short trip to look for a house in Mexico. We were able to stay in Mexico from July 28-31, and during that time we looked at 8 potential houses. Mariana and Heriberto (the national pastor and his wife we are currently working with) set up all of the appointments for us, drove us around to look at the houses, and handled all of the communication. They have been a huge blessing through this entire process. We had also made connections with a couple who run an orphanage called "Big Heart Orphanage" in Ramos, and they allowed us to stay on their property for the few nights we were in Mexico. **WE FOUND A HOUSE!** On July 30th we signed the contract for a house we decided to rent, and then headed back to Texas on the 31st.

August was full of "see you laters", and visiting with our friends and families. August 25th at 4 a.m, we drove our car out of Aurora, with Judith's dad (Andrew Vandergriff), and one of our board members (Donnie Foster) in a church van with our remaining belongings. We pulled into our house around 4:30 p.m. (Mexico time) the same day. *Praise the Lord for his provision!* Mariana and Heriberto welcomed us with some decorations, and goodies in our kitchen. Andrew and Donnie stayed from the 25th-28th, to help us unload our belongings, and build furniture (we built 22 pieces of furniture).

Our time here has been full of ministry opportunities, fellowshipping, and talking about the future. We hit the ground running between a pastor and pastor's wives dinner, church services, celebrating independence day, becoming members of the church, Cade preaching, and organizing/directing an event at the orphanage.

Here is what we have been up to:

July 9-11: Visited the kids at Minnetonka
July 28-31: Looked at 8 potential houses, and signed on the 30th
Aug. 10: Going away celebration at Aurora
Aug. 24: Cade preached, and we both led worship at Keystone Bible Church FW
Aug. 25: Moved to Ramos Arizpe, Mexico
Aug. 30: Pastor and pastor's wives dinner from surrounding cities and states
Aug. 31: First Sunday service while living in Mexico
Sept. 4: Ladies conference in Monterrey for Judith
Sept. 6: Ladies Bible study with the women from El Vástago
Sept 7: We became members of El Vástago
Sept 14: Fiesta after church to celebrate Mexico's independence (on the 16th)
Sept. 20: We hosted an event at Big Heart Orphanage with 11 others from church
Sept. 21: Cade preached at church
Sept. 27: Judith had a meeting where she joined the kid's ministry team

Sept. 14: Fiesta to celebrate the independence of Mexico (on the 16th)

We were able to attend service, and then afterward participate in the festivities. Cade was a judge for the salsa contest, and he participated in the "Mexican yell" contest; he won. Judith made refried beans for the



lunch. Here is a picture of the 3
pastors, and their families.



September 20: Event at Big Heart Orphanage

We had the privilege of helping organize, and direct an event at big heart orphanage in the mountains. They have 7 kids at the moment that they serve. Every 15 days, they have a new church/group come and put on an event from 9:00-12:00 for their kids, and the children from the surrounding neighborhood. This is something near to Judith's heart, and the orphanage asked for El Vástago to put together this event since they attend El Vástago. We were both involved in the planning, and organizing of this event. Judith was in charge of all communication to the church members who were helping, along with purchasing and putting together the materials for the craft time, and materials for all of the games. Judith directed, said the opening welcome and prayer, and did the craft time. Cade was in charge of media/sound, and a couple

of the games. There were 13 of us from the church helping, and it was a great turn out. In total, there were around 17 children that we served through breakfast, craft time, Bible lesson, games, worship, and prayer time.





If you would like to see pictures, and videos each week, you can follow our Facebook page **“The Mexico Mission”**. There is a Facebook button at the top of the page, press it and the link to the Facebook page is attached.

If you would like to financially support us, the link to do so is located under the prayer requests below, attached to the round white button that says “The Mexico Mission”.

If you have any questions, comments, or encouragement, please feel free to email us at **Cappsmexicomissions@gmail.com**.

For detailed information about our testimonies, our calling, and our future ministry plans, please go to our website at **www.thecappsmexicomissions.com**



October 2025

Fishing In Restricted Waters

Dear Friend,

The last three months I have been writing about tears because they are some of the most precious indicators of how our father is using you to have a profound impact on the lives of people here in China. Not all of these people are Chinese, by the way.

I mentioned to you a while back about an American couple who may be ready for the good news. M and A have two precious little boys ages 4 and 1. They have been joining us on Sundays regularly for several months now. During this time, they have heard the good news several times, but it did not quite seem to be clicking. One Thursday this month, we invited them over for a more thorough and personal good news conversation. During this conversation, we discovered that M had indeed made a past profession and had been dunked while serving in the Navy. His wife, A, however, had not. She had been dunked into the Morm-n group as a child. As we continued to ask probing good news questions and explain it, A was clearly emotional. As we approached the end, I asked her, "Have you ever done this before?" She simply replied, "No." Yet I could see on her face that she wanted to so I prompted her, "Would you like to?" It was like she was just waiting for that invitation, and emphatically said, "Yes!" She proceeded to talk to our father through priceless tears of repentance. She asked for forgiveness and to be filled with his spirit. That same day, we proceeded to teach what the book says about dunking. She wanted to do it that very next Sunday! That same day after being dunked, we were already planning to remember what the son did for us by receiving the elements. So, this was A's first time to participate in this as well. What an amazing week!

On a different note, we have several families that attend Hope Academy that struggle to meet their financial obligations. One of these families has two boys in the school, the mother is one of our teachers, and the father is a full-time worker for our father (but with very low pay). We had a meeting with the parents of this family to discuss their situation. As they poured out their hearts, I could see that they were truly overwhelmed with this challenge.

I wanted them to see how our father provides so I asked them, "Do you think he answers our requests?" They said, "Yes." So, I talked to our father about their situation asking for both wisdom and provision. Then I asked them, "Do you think our father can answer your requests before you even ask it?" Again, maybe a bit confused by the question, they said, "Yes." So, I proceeded to tell them how I was asking our father for wisdom and provision in their situation over the last few weeks. I told them how after talking to our father about this, I received an unexpected text from a leader in the US specifically asking about R, the oldest son in this family. I shared with him their situation so he could also be lifting them up. A few days later, he replied with an extremely generous offer to help in such a way that nearly completely met what was lacking. As I shared this story, the mother's eyes overflowed with tears as she realized our father was already providing for them in an extraordinary way.

We regularly thank our father for all of you who help make this all possible, and we ask our father to bless you as well.

Grace and Peace,
The Torres Family

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Isaac dunking our newest sister, A.
What a joy to see our eternal family growing!!



The Byrd's

in the Dominican Republic

October 2025

Hello Friends,

Today we are writing to you from Mountain Home, Arkansas. Our daughter Darby gave birth to our 10th grandchild (all boys) 2 weeks ago, Beckham Wayne Kelley. So we have spent time visiting with them and our other children and their families, along with visiting our parents. With 7 kids it's not easy to see them all. Gary has been traveling back to the DR each month for a couple of weeks while Tami has helped Darby through her first child birth experience. Our youngest daughter Haley, just celebrated her 19th birthday as she starts her sophomore year of college. And our daughter Heidi's wedding is Oct. 3rd, so we will be heading to New Jersey next week to welcome Ethan, her husband to be, to our family.

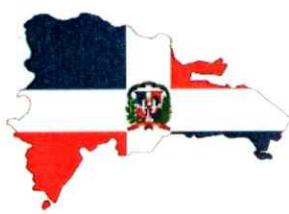
We have been writing to you all recently about sustainability and leadership transition for our church. Sunday, will mark Gary's 10 year anniversary as the pastor of Abundant Life Baptist Church in La Vega. But Gary's calling was never to be the permanent pastor of the church, but rather to train up a team of leaders who would follow Christ, and allow the church to have godly Dominican leadership. It has been thrilling to see the church grow both spiritually and numerically this year. Our Pastoral interns (Luis, Walter, and Benel) have done an outstanding job! More and more of our church are serving in some area of the ministry. Our children and family ministries have never been stronger. God is doing what only He can do, build a church that glorifies Him. Please continue to pray for unity and faithfulness to God's Will in the coming months.



We have more exciting news. Remember we are trying to raise \$8000 to purchase solar panels for the church which would eliminate any electric bills for the future of the church. We have received \$3500!! Praise the Lord! God is on the move!! What a ride it is!! Thank you for your faithful prayers and sacrifices for God's work in the hearts of the Dominican and Haitian people in La Vega. We feel honored to partner with you all, and we hope you feel the same!

Living the Dream,

Gary, Tami, & Haley

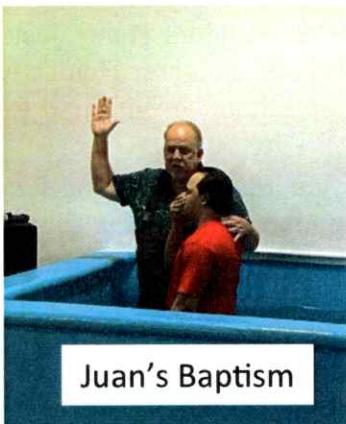


The Byrd's

in the Dominican Republic

February 2025

with Juan about Christ's love for him, and God's desire to save to Him, he beamed with joy and delight. All glory be to Jesus, He saved Juan's soul Sunday afternoon. He and Maria were baptized Wednesday night at our midweek family growth night. He returns to New York on Friday, so we are looking for a good church in his area. Your prayers for Juan and Angel would be greatly appreciated.



Living the Dream,

Gary, Tami, Heidi, Darby & Haley



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Woodfin Prayer Update (Oct 2025)

Monthly Prayer Update

Check out the report and the video below to hear more.

Also, You can scroll down to see an update about our Family, and a short thought on
one thing I have learned.

Thank you for everything!!

4 Years

Our church plant just celebrated 4 years!! That is an awesome accomplishment as most churches close in San Francisco within the first 3 years. Its understandable because it is SO hard to gain traction here in the City. As I have stated in the past much of what we do is simply tilling hard ground, with the goal of seeing future fruit. We face many challenges but God is good.

If you remember, Year 3 of our plant was definitely the most difficult...with heavy spiritual attacks...and over half our church members moving to other places around the U.S. But God sustained us...and with YOUR HELP...we have been able to continue to see souls saved, disciples made, and new outreaches started. Year four was our best year yet and we cannot wait to see what God does next!

Check out the video below to see everything that happened in our church over the past year.



PRAY FOR OUR FALL FEST OUTREACH



Part of what God has done is opened up doors for a possible new church plant!! Daly City is just south of San Francisco and a city of over 100,000 people. We have started a brand new outreach based Bible study there with the hopes of reaching new people with the Gospel and possibly being the seeds of a new church. Currently we refer to this new Bible Study as "Project Gateway" as Daly City is known as the "Gateway to the Peninsula."

This is where we need your prayers. At the building where this new Bible study takes place in Daly City we are doing one of our biggest outreaches ever!! We are doing a Fall Fest for the families of Daly City.

We are going all out and our people are getting on board to reach new people in a brand new area!

We are hoping that through this outreach God will open up doors for us to meet new people and introduce the gospel to them!

Specifically pray for our prayer tent. We are going to have a tent up that is dedicated to getting people information, Bibles, and praying over people!

Please pray for this event and that God would allow us to reach more people with the Good News!

project gateway

PLANTING THE PENINSULA

PRAYER

- Pray for the Fall Fest Event
- Pray for our Alpha outreach guests...specifically pray for
Omar, Roxana, Camila.
- Pray for Zions Health.
- Pray for more laborers in San Francisco!! This area is begging for more gospel outreach and more churches. We need all the help we can get to see more souls saved!

FAMILY



We had a recent medical scare over the past few days.

Zion has always been a healthy kid...in fact he has not visited a dr. or a hospital since his birth!! But on Tuesday he was having trouble breathing. Hali took him to the E.R.

and he ended up having to spend 3 days in the hospital. His oxygen levels had dropped to dangerous levels and he was having to do constant breathing treatments.

The Doctors were able to stabilize him finally and he was able to come home on Thursday night. It turns out he had a severe asthma attack but they are not sure why, or if this will happen again or not.

But we now have a plan of action so that is good.

Please continue to pray for his health.

Our Friends Sam & Madie Dagg and their kids



Jake's One Thing

Here's One Thing I Have Learned....

Zion's health scare was just that...scary. When your child cannot walk because he is not getting enough oxygen to his body that is a frightful thing for any parent. However, Hali and I both walked away with this one thing in our hearts...gratitude.

How? Why?

It seems like a weird position to take, to be grateful after such a horrible circumstance. And yet we are because we are seeing a whole picture. I have a friend named Sam whose son one day couldn't walk because of a surprise neurological condition...they spent weeks in the hospital working it out, and although he is good now, the facts are that his condition could get worse. We have a woman in our church whose son has extreme allergic reactions. He has had to be rushed to the E.R. on multiple occasions during life threatening conditions. This was Zion's very first time to the hospital since he has been born! And although, he went big with his first time back, we are still so incredibly grateful for how God has protected him and given him good health these last 6 years. It is easy for anyone to feel the weight of their situations and circumstances and loose heart. However, if we step back, even in the hardest of situations we can find something in which to be thankful.

This is the meaning of **1 Thessalonians 5:18**

**"In every thing give thanks:
for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you."**

We do not have to be thankful for everything we go through, but in everything we go through we can be thankful.

And in doing so, we find a new strength, a new peace, that God gives us to be able to endure any trouble that may come.

-Jake Woodfin



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FORGOTTEN CALL

BAPTIST MISSIONS TO FORGOTTEN PEOPLES

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Jonathan & Rachelle Lyons
President

types of friends who work together to help BMFP reach its highest potential.

Thriving Together as Friends

Baptist Missions to Forgotten Peoples is a joint effort. I have said for years that everyone in ministry needs friends. The sooner we realize that we are not competitors, but co-laborers, the sooner we will be more effective in our labor together for the Lord. We thank the Lord for the many



Eli & Katie Guiltner
BMFP Missionaries in Japan

One of our duties as Christians and missionaries is to help people understand that their dependence should be on God rather than man. Our godly vision, under the Great Commission, should lead us to put a plan in place as to how to live this out. Oftentimes, we think we are doing the right thing to help others, when in practice, we are causing long-term hurt.

It has been said that in order to be a leader, you must be a reader! As those in ministry, we are called not only to trust God, but also to grow in wisdom, and one way to do that is by being lifelong readers. I believe it is of utmost importance that those in ministry continue reading and learning at every opportunity. One book that influenced my understanding of modern missions was an unusual book called "Toxic Charity" by Bob Lupton. He was a veteran urban ministry leader with over forty years of experience. In his book, he offered some profound insight as to how churches and missionaries can actually harm those whom they desire to help. I (and I suspect many others) had no prior knowledge of this important subject matter before reading this book. Here, I will share five important observations that he made concerning how harm is inflicted unintentionally by churches:

1. They do for nationals what God intended and expects them to do themselves.
2. They resolve crises for nationals by superseding cultural norms.
3. They employ and/or overcompensate nationals against culturally acceptable financial norms.
4. They hire nationals to do the work of the ministry meant to be a voluntary giving of themselves.
5. Instead of growing the church through faith and obedience to develop a ministry of mercy to their own, they grow a church to be dependent on them, never developing faith, obedience, or mercy of their own.

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Laboring Friends: The Lord has provided BMFP with wonderful board members and administrators who work on behalf of our missionaries. Over the years, the Lord has grown our friendships, and we are always excited to be able to get together to plan, encourage, and fellowship. Our labor becomes joy as we get to serve together!

Loving Friends: We often say that BMFP is a family! The Lord has blessed us with some of the best, loving missionaries that anyone could imagine. We are not perfect, and yes, we have our issues at times, but it is a joy to be able to love on and encourage our over 120 missionary families around the world! When the BMFP family gets together, lasting memories are made!

Linking Friends: Finally, there are the pastors that support BMFP and our missionaries. What a joy to work alongside those who have entrusted us with the watch care of their missionaries. The common cause of getting the gospel to a lost and dying world links us together. Only eternity will tell the impact all these friendships will have on souls around the world! Thank you for being a friend of BMFP!

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by Eli Guiltner

Unfortunately, as a missionary, I have personally witnessed these actions performed and have resolved to prayerfully use caution and seek wisdom in these areas. Unintentional harm is inflicted, especially in the area of finances, given that as Americans, we are some of the richest people on earth. Is that next multiple-thousand-dollar project potentially creating unnecessary dependence upon us rather than God? I believe it is vital to carefully consider these points and to consider how our own ministries may be hurting those whom we intend to help. If we can learn from our mistakes, we can further the cause of Christ for world missions!

Third Culture Kids (TCKs)

These kids want to belong and to feel normal. However, when they are constantly being prodded and questioned about their "weird" life, they are reminded how normal they aren't. Instead of quizzing the differences, it is better to form friendships around common interests and experiences.

God Keeps His Promises
by Rachelle Lyons

About 8 years ago, I believe I was going into depression. I didn't realize it at that time. My mom was diagnosed with cancer, and they gave her 18 months to live. I was traveling every weekend to help take care of her and also caring for my aging father. It was very difficult to see my mom, who was our spiritual rock, in constant pain. Especially knowing that this terrible disease would eventually take her life. Along with that, there were other family and work issues that we were trying to navigate.

One day, I found a missionary blog that talked about depression. As I listened to it, I realized that the points made were all promises that are found in the Word of God. I also realized that they were the same verses and counseling that I had given to the ladies in our church. It was not that I didn't know them. It was that I was so concerned and so focused on my feelings that I was not focusing on the Word. I decided then that I needed to take my own counsel and put into action the promises that God has for me.

The word promise, as a noun, is a declaration assuring that one will or will not do. As a verb, promise is to give an assurance of; undertake in the future.

The Bible is full of promises that we can claim. In Hebrews 13:5, He promised He "will never leave us nor forsake us." Romans 8:28 gives us a promise that

"all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose." Mark 10:27 tells us, "with God, all things are possible." When we are faced with exceedingly difficult situations, claiming His promises will encourage us to keep going on and not quit.

News from the Field

Jim & Ruth Bianchi
Canada
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Last month I had a most unusual phone call from a lady that knew my name but couldn't speak English. I simply replied that, "I am Pastor Bianchi" and ask her, "how can I help you?" At that moment she gave the phone to her daughter who knew English. She told me that their family was from Iran and they spoke Farsi.

She said they wanted to change their religion from Islam to Christianity. I asked how she got my number? She said from the immigration official. This had to be from the Lord, because I don't know anyone in immigration! So, I met the family at a Tim Horton's and talked about Islam and the difference in Christianity, with the 20 years old daughter being my interpreter. They were all ears, yet I realized that the mom was the one truly interested. I knew they were not ready for a formal invitation to accept Christ. So, I simply invited them to church to experience a Christian service. They came and stayed for the fellowship too. I told them that I didn't know of a good Farsi speaking church. But if they would like, I would be willing to meet with them and help with learning English and the Bible. They thought that was a wonderful idea. Long story short, the mom and daughter came to our home on Thursday afternoon and I led the mother to Christ. She was in tears!

Ruthie and her hugged and shared tears. The next Sunday, I baptized her in the chilling "polar bear cold" waters of Lake Ontario along with two other ladies at our church BBQ picnic. It was truly a special day (and a hot one at 90 degrees). Pastor Jack Young (Lighthouse Bible Baptist Church, Webster, NY) was our guest speaker that day. His morning and afternoon messages were deeply inspirational. The Lord is doing marvelous things in Toronto!

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Glorify Christ

Simmons Family

October 2025

We have labeled it many different ways but our ultimate goal should be to glorify Christ in all they we say and do. It has been suggested that we do so by winning people to Christ or being faithful to your church. While those things are part of glorifying Him, it is far simpler if we make it a goal to fulfill God's will in our daily lives. The Bible says in Matthew 5:16- "Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your father which is in heaven."

The month of October gave us many open doors and provided a great increase towards our initial cost. At one point we were able to be apart of three consecutive missions conferences. We began the month presenting at Grace Baptist in Huntsville, TX where we met two other church planting missionaries. While still in the area we visited the First Texas Indian Baptist where they invited us to their missions conference the following week. I was given the opportunity to present and preach as we enjoyed fellowshipping with them. We then went to Bay City Baptist where we blessed with a great response to the burden for the ministry. The Lord than gave us the opportunity to return to the Houston area where we took part in the missions conference at Shady Acres Baptist. We finished the month returning to NC for doctors appointment, much needed rest, and was able to schedule more meetings.

ATTENTION: if you currently support us, we are grateful, please note that the clearinghouse will close-out December 15th and will not open again until after the 1st of the year so please make sure that you send early if necessary to make sure we receive it on time. Thanks in advance!

Prayer Requests:

1. Support to continue to rise (many churches will be voting soon)
2. Initial cost to continue to grow
3. Housing in Senegal

The Stevens Family

September - October 2025

Prayer Letter



Greetings from the inner city of Philadelphia. Since our last letter a few months ago we have seen the Lord work in the hearts of many people in the church in various ways that I would now like to share:

**Jeydi, who is the daughter of one of our most faithful members (Sister Rosa), trusted Christ as her Lord and Savior in the month of September. Later in the month she followed the Lord in Believer's baptism, and on the day of her baptism her daughter Jaylani trusted Christ for salvation and wanted to be baptized the same day as her mother so they could begin their new life in following Christ together. That was a blessing for our church to witness. Please keep them both in continual prayer. Jeydi went through a period in October where there was some tension in her relationship with her mother, and she didn't come to services for a few weeks. But the Lord has been working on her heart, and she is getting that unforgiveness right with the Lord, and after visiting with her she wants to be back in church. Her daughter Jaylani is in the public school system, so we would appreciate your prayers for God's protection upon her to not be influenced by the wrong people.*

**Sister Rosa had to recently endure the very difficult experience of having her car stolen from a Walmart parking lot. Fortunately, our church was able to help her toward the down payment of another car through the offerings that have been given by the people of the church. That was such a blessing to Sister Rosa, and it brought great joy to us as a church to be able to help our dear sister in Christ in her time of need. The Bible says in (Galatians 6:10) - "As we have therefore opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them who are of the household of faith."*

**In the last letter I mentioned a Honduran man named Jose, a woman named Zendi, and their four children named Valeria, Dominic, Mateo, and Camela. I asked for prayer for Jose specifically regarding salvation, and we praise the Lord that I was able to lead him to the Lord after a service at the end of the month of August.*



**Iglesia Bautista Independiente
Columna y Apoyo de la Verdad**

My wife also led Zendi to the Lord shortly after that, as she was not sure about her profession of faith. Jose and Zendi are not legally married, and they have been living together for years with their four children, which is not uncommon in Latin culture. After getting saved they now understand that the Bible refers to them living together outside of marriage as "fornication," and they want to make things right by getting married, and then getting baptized to become members of the church. We are praying about making plans for that, so we would appreciate your prayers for their family.

**I also had the blessing of being able to lead a man named Joshua to the Lord after a service in September, and then a couple of weeks later my wife was able to lead his girlfriend Crystela to the Lord. He is the son of Brother Ceneydo who I mentioned in our last letter. Please keep Joshua and Crystela in prayer as we have been speaking to them about following the Lord in Believer's baptism, and there are some others in the church, such as Sister Flor, and Sister Julieta who would like to be baptized as well. We would also ask for prayer for Erinson. He attended our services for a few Sundays and was wanting to rededicate his life to The Lord, but because of his work schedule we have not seen him in church lately. Esmeralda and her daughter Rosa have been attending our services lately; please pray that God will work in their hearts and that they will see their need of the Lord in salvation. There are two older ladies named Sara and Ada who we have been in contact with for some time. I led Sara's husband Nelson to the Lord about six months ago, and he went home to be with the Lord a few months ago after a long battle with cancer. Sara has recently started to come to the church services. Pray for her salvation. As for Ada, we were able to pray for her outside of her house this past Sunday evening. It is difficult for her to come to the services because of her health, so please pray that the Spirit of God will lead her to see her need of Jesus Christ in salvation. Lastly, we ask everyone to please pray for Elvin. He was one of the first people in our church who made a profession of faith and was baptized not long after, however, he has been dealing with a lot of depression lately that has resulted in him missing a good number of services.*

My wife and I were able to visit with him recently though, and we encouraged him that the best place for him to be when passing through times of depression and discouragement, is with his brothers and sisters in Christ in the house of God.

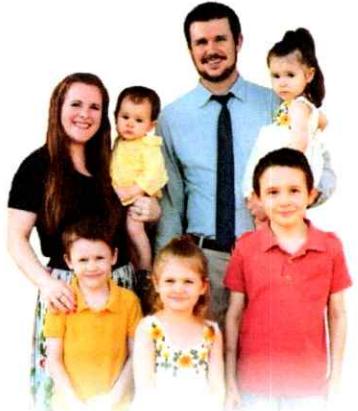
**So all in all, we have been encouraged by what the Lord has been doing here thus far since we had our first official service on March 30th of this year, and we are excited about what we believe He will continue to do through His people here the remainder of this year, and Lord willing, if He tarries, into 2026 as well.*

**Thank you all for faithfully holding the ropes in prayer for us from afar, and for sharing our vision here in Philadelphia and contributing through your financial support. We pray that you all have a blessed Thanksgiving in your churches, and with your families and friends.*



JOSHUA & AMANDA ALLRED

MÉRIDA, MEXICO



September/October 2025:

Dear church and friends,

The construction of the new church building is moving along! The footers have been poured for the steel structure and the foundation for the concrete has been laid. We now have over $\frac{1}{3}$ of the money needed to finish the project, but we are a long way from the finish line. Anything you can do to help us finish funding this project would be greatly appreciated! My parents, Larry and Tammy Allred, are still traveling in the U.S. Their calendar is filling up. If you would like to have them present this project to your church in person, please let us know. Please continue to pray for the completion of this building and for the ministries it will house for many years to come.

The work at South Mérida Baptist Church has been moving along as well. A few new families began attending in September and October and have started taking discipleship classes. In September, we finished canvassing the neighborhood of "San José." We went street by street, knocking on every door, inviting people to church, and sharing the Gospel with every person who would listen. According to government census statistics, there are 3,706 households in that neighborhood and 10,686 total residents. We knocked on every door and were able to share the Gospel directly with 286 people. 59 of those people made a profession of faith and prayed to receive Christ as Savior. We hope that each one of these prayers was sincere. Please pray with us for those who got saved to take the next step and start coming to church faithfully. Please pray for those who did not get saved, but who did receive a Gospel tract and an invitation to church, that the seeds we planted would bear future fruit. We have started evangelizing the next neighborhood, called "Canto." Please pray for many to get saved as we share the Gospel there.

Last weekend, I had the opportunity to officiate a wedding for two young members of the North Mérida Baptist Church. They both got saved and started attending church recently. Their lives have changed dramatically and they wanted to use their wedding as an opportunity for their unsaved friends and family to hear the Gospel. Before the ceremony started, the groom's father told me he had never been to a Christian wedding before and was excited to see what it was all about. Praise the Lord, he and approximately eighty unsaved friends and relatives got to hear a clear presentation of the Gospel that night. Please pray for each person who was there, that the Gospel message they heard and the testimony of this young Christian couple would draw them to Christ.

This week, nine members of the North Mérida Baptist Church are visiting a missionary we support in Uruguay. Please pray that they would be a blessing to our missionary family this week and that the Lord would use this trip to give each of them a deeper love and broader vision for world missions.

This weekend, men from all four of our churches will be gathering for our annual men's retreat. We will spend three days together studying God's Word, singing, praying, playing games, eating, sleeping, and enjoying fellowship with one another. Pray that it would be a time of growth, edification, and bonding and that all of our churches would be strengthened by it.

Thank you for your constant prayers, support, and encouragement! We are blessed to have ministry partners like you!

Yours in Christ,
Joshua, Amanda, & the kids



JERRY & ATALIAS

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Bill Riffe - Pastor

Dear Prayer Partners,

October 31, 2025

Greetings from Brazil. September started out with us having our annual picnic in celebration of Brazilian Independence Day. Our nephew is a History teacher and once again gave a lesson on Brazilian history along with questions to jog our members memory. He taught about the changes that took place once Brazil was finally liberated from the control of Portugal. But most importantly we placed emphasis on the liberty we gained by Salvation in Jesus Christ and the changed life it brings. Many gave testimonies of the changes in their lives and the difference that Jesus Christ has made.

On the first Sunday of the month we came together to celebrate the Lord's Supper. It was a joyful time of remembering the death, burial and resurrection of our Lord and all it entails.

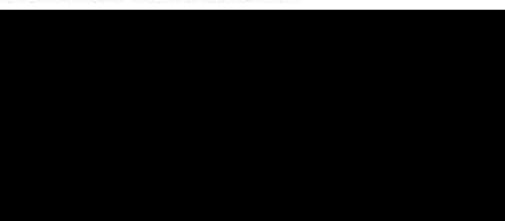
On the 20th, we attended the 31st Anniversary service at the church in Jd. Varginha. It was a tremendous blessing as there was a PowerPoint presentation of what all God has done there over the years.

October began with a Couples Encounter. We had four couples participating and it was a blessing for everyone present. One of the Brazilian missionaries that we support, Pr. Tomé Lopes, was our guest speaker for the event. He covered many topics but also taught on the importance of communication within the marriage. So many marital problems could be avoided if couples just learned to maintain communication in the relationship. Not just with each other but more importantly with GOD.

Finally, and just recently, Atalias has begun a ministry for our young ladies who are engaged to be married. She has started a class for these ladies teaching them what GOD expects of the wife in marriage. What the Bible teaches concerning her responsibilities in the home, towards her husband and also children when they are born. Also what it means to be one flesh as the Lord stated that she and her husband would become. Her desire is for these young ladies to enter marriage better prepared and knowing what GOD expects of them.

Lastly we would ask that you pray for God to send more laborers into His field. There are many Brazilian churches currently in need of a pastor and have been without a pastor for over a year. We are also asking GOD in particular for a Brazilian couple with a calling to the ministry to not only help us in the work in Vargem Grande but also with the hope of one day becoming its new pastor.

Once again, as always, thank you for your faithfulness in supporting us financially and/or prayerfully through the years. The churches in Jardim Varginha and Vargem Grande are here today because you prayed and invested in God's work. Please continue to pray with us that we will see an even greater Harvest of souls for the honor and glory of our Lord Jesus Christ in 2025.



All Because of JESUS.

Jerry & Atalias Lantz

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Samuel & Ruth Thomas

Missionaries to Egypt

September & October

Greetings

When I sat down to write this prayer letter, I remembered the goodness of God in my life over these past two months. I can say with king David, "Bless the Lord, o my soul, and forget not all his benefits," Psalm 103:2.

I thank God for the blessing that so many of you have been to our ministry and our family, as well. We are so very grateful for your faithfulness in supporting us financially and prayerfully. You have made such a difference in our ministry, and you have a special place in our hearts. We want to wish you all a Happy Thanksgiving!

Ruth's ministry



Ruth is working hard with the children. There are two pictures here. The first one is of Al-Moneeb's children and the other one is of Bader City's children. Ruth is teaching them the Word of God. But the question is what about Dar Al-Salaam's children? Ruth trained Merna Magdy and Hanan Fawzy to take care of Dar Al-Salaam's children and they are doing a very good job.

Nabil & Azbet Al-Nakle

During these past two months, Nabil and his wife, Bella, made 25 visits to the families living there. They invited them to attend their meetings. Nabil preached the gospel eight times and how to be saved. Nabil and Bella are working hard to see some people saved. Please pray for them.

Al-Moneeb's building

We have completed some finishing work in the Al-Moneeb Church's building. The plumbing and the electrical installation are nearly finished. We finished the plaster, gypsum cornices, and painting. We are now working on the ceramic installation. We still need more funds to be able to finish the building project. If God has put it on your heart to help, please send your donation to:

Biblical Ministries Worldwide
1595 Herrington Rd.
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Bader city's land

We applied for land from Bader City office. They asked for some papers in order to give us 735 square meters of land. They will sell it to us at the price 735,000 Egyptian pounds = \$22,602 U.S dollars, because we are a Society. The real price of the land is 4 million Egyptian Pounds = \$130,000 U.S dollars!

We still are waiting for the land that we could buy from the city authorities. We still have the hope to build a main building for the Eternal Life Charity Association.

Prayer request

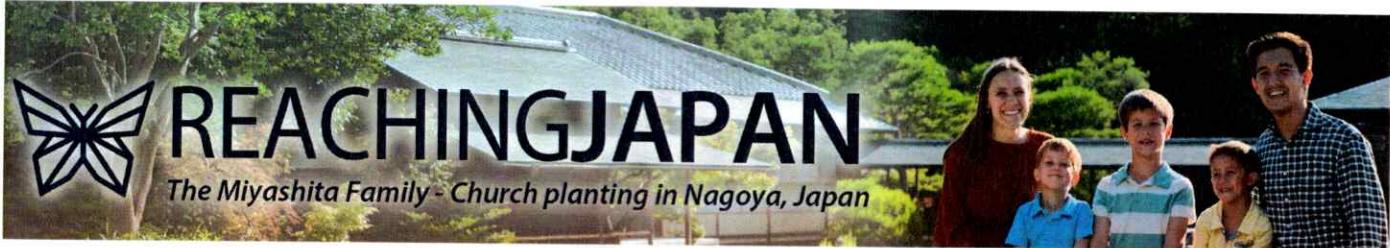
1. Please pray to find a pastor for Dar Al-Salaam church.
2. Please pray for to getting Bader city's land.
3. Please pray for Azbet Al-Nakle and Nabil
4. Please pray for what we need for Al-Moneeb church's building.
5. Please pray for Ruth and her ministry among children.

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Dear Pastors, Friends, and Prayer Partners,

October 2025

This past month has been full and encouraging as we connect with churches and friends who share a heart for Japan. In October we were in Florida together, I made a quick trip to Dallas. During these trips we not only got to **see old friends but also get connected with new churches and people interested in Japan**. Our family just returned from Chicago. While our family was in Chicago, Rosie and the boys got to reconnect with some friends from Japan who are currently living in Japan who had visited our church several times.

We have had our share of happenings as well. While we were in Chicago, we learned that **our apartment in Georgia flooded**. We are VERY grateful that we had renter's insurance and are now working to try to get things cleared up.

When we are not traveling, we are helping out at church whenever we can. When I travel alone, Rosie and the boys remain plugged in helping with children's ministry, attending services, and staying connected with family here. Rosie is "homeschooling" our oldest with his Japanese curriculum so he can smoothly transition back into school in Japan when **we fly back on January 5**.

We return to Japan in less than ten weeks! My mother will be relocating closer to us as she continues ministry in Japan following my father's passing, and we are working with several prospective two-year interns preparing to serve with us next year. We also have new participants signed up for Recon Trips next year. We are asking the Lord to continue raising laborers for the harvest in Japan.



VIDEO UPDATE (5 mins)

All of the above plus more!

As we **continue raising awareness and funds** for Japan, our support is slowly increasing. Thank you so much for your faithful partnership as we step into this next season.

Yours for Japan,
The Miyashita Family



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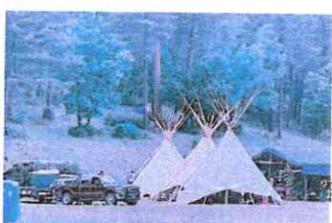
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Dear Pastor and church family

August, 2025

Thank you so much for your faithful prayers and support. Without a doubt we have had the busiest and most demanding 4 months since May. We have heard that Mexico is a country of Catholics, and yes, it is, but on the trip to Colombia, we discovered that Colombia is a very Catholic country. On this trip to Colombia, we had the opportunity to meet several local churches that have been established in various towns in southern Colombia. We were able to help and preach in three different churches and in some parks and town squares. We were also able to share our evangelization program with the church of Pasto. I love the idea of multiplication including the puppet program and visual aids for the preaching of the gospel. As a result, we were able to see 12 people receive Jesus into their hearts. Many pleasant memories were made and many more brothers and friends who will now be part of our lives. God continues to bless and to favor the activities on the Mescalero Apache reservation. Up to this point, we have counted 23 people who received Christ as their personal Savior. One of the things we have seen and experienced is that the more we focus on evangelizing in the Reservation, the more we see our Lord constantly blessing the church at Ruidoso, Ruidoso Baptist Church. A number of families and individuals have asked to become members and have already joined the church. We have added new elements to the evangelism program and we have seen an increased response from the little children on the reservation. We include a "Bouncing House", a small machine to prepare popcorn, and also a cotton candy machine. The Lord opened the door at the Mescalero Nursing home, where we can minister to the elderly people there. The young people from the groups are able to sing special songs, participate in the puppet program, and some in preaching and/or teaching at the nursing home. I encouraged the teenagers to have an active part of the mission trips. For the first time in three years, some groups that participated this summer decided to spend most of the week in Juarez, Mexico. We coordinated with "Iglesia Bautista Fundamental de San Isidro", and "Iglesia Bautista La Gracia". We attended services on Sunday evening at "Iglesia Bautista Manantial". At least 37 people made a profession of faith in Juarez, Mexico. Praise The Lord for His faithfulness and His Lovingkindness.

Prayer requests:

Please pray for wisdom and effectiveness as we continue to preach the Gospel.
Please pray for more groups attending our mission trips.
Please continue to pray for my family, for Edward, Diego, Daniel, Sarah and David.
Please continue to pray for good health and strength for Ofelia and me.
Please pray for our travels in September.

Sincerely,

Hector & Ofelia Jimenez
BPS El Paso

Dear Pastor Jimmy McNeil
Pleasantview Baptist Church.

September 2025

Thank you for your faith in action. Dear Pastor, my family and I have been serving in the ministry of Bearing Precious Seed since June of 2000. During these almost 26 years, we have witnessed the hand of God providing, protecting and fulfilling His perfect plan here at BPS El Paso. Through this little note along with our prayer letter, we want to thank you for having a part in this ministry and great vision.

Here at El Paso:

-We continue to receive groups from different Churches in Canada and the United States, to conduct mission trips in any of the three fields which are: Juarez, Mexico; El Paso, Texas and the Mescalero Apache Reservation in Ruidoso, New Mexico.

-I'm a firm believer that with every participating church, we are conducting a mission trip within a mission trip, especially when we see teenagers, youth leaders and church members getting saved; being call to the mission field or rekindle their walk with The Lord.

-We continue to assemble and distribute God's word on each of the mission trips.

-We continue to encourage young people, youth pastors, and church leaders that participate in one of our mission trips to use their talents (Musical, teaching and preaching) to get involved in reaching the lost for Christ.

Thank you so much for your prayers and for your love offerings that we faithfully receive month after month, your contributions are helping with paper for Bibles, ink, supplies and in the shipping process. Thanks to this, many of the needs have been met by your love and generosity.

-We know that there is ONLY ONE TRUE GOD and JEHOVAH is His name;

-There are two types of people in the world: Lost and Christ-less people and Missionaries;

-There are three things that are eternal:

God is eternal.

His precious word is Eternal

and the souls of men are eternal,

Pastor Jimmy McNeil and Pleasantview Baptist Church, thank you for investing on Eternity!!

"Loving God, Serving the people; Serving God, Loving the people"

Hector & Ofelia Jimenez

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| SUMMER 2026 MISSIONS TRIPS SCHEDULE | | | |
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| *Dates listed below include travel days | | | |
| (Juarez Project) | WEEK 1 | APRIL 11- 17 | |
| WEEK 2 | | APRIL 18 - 24 | |
| WEEK 3 | | JUNE 06 - 12 | |
| WEEK 4 | | JUNE 13 - 19 | |
| WEEK 5 | | JUNE 20 - 26 | |
| WEEK 6 | | JULY 11 - 17 | |
| (Apache Reservation) | WEEK 7 | JULY 18- 24 | |
| WEEK 8 | | JULY 25 - 31 | |
| WEEK 9 | | AUG 08 - 14 | |
| (Apache Reservation) | WEEK 10 | AUG 15 - 21 | |
| WEEK 11 | | AUG 22 - 28 | |
| WEEK 12 | | OCT 03 - 09 | |
| (Apache Reservation) | WEEK 13 | OCT 10 - 16 | |
| WEEK 14 | | OCT 17 - 23 | |
| WEEK 15 | | NOV 07- 13 | |
| WEEK 16 | | NOV 14 - 20 | |
| WEEK 17 | | DEC 05 - 11 | |
| PRICE STRUCTURE FOR THE 2026 MISSIONS TRIPS | | | |
| The cost per person is \$400. | | | |
| Trip price includes: | | | |
| Airport pickups and returns, All food, All lodging, | | | |

DR. P.D. CHERIAN



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Dear Prayer Partners and Supporters,

We trust that you are blessed and encouraged as you hear from the Ministry of South India Baptist Bible College and Seminary. It is always a joy to share how the Lord is working in and through this ministry. Your faithful prayers and support continue to play a vital role in equipping men and women to serve the Lord and reach souls with the Gospel across India and beyond.

Many of you have written to us, and your encouragement means so much. Thank you for your unwavering prayers and financial support. Through your partnership, many lives are being reached with the Gospel, and we rejoice in all that God is doing through the SIBBC&S ministries.



We praise the Lord for the following:

1. We continue to hold chapel services Monday through Friday. In July, during one of these services, four people trusted Christ as Savior.
2. On August 10th, Campus Baptist Church baptized eleven believers. In addition, one of our associate churches baptized five more people.
3. On August 10th and again on August 15th, God gave me the opportunity to personally share the Gospel with two individuals—a man and a woman—both of whom placed their trust in Christ.
4. In July, through the ministry of Campus Baptist Church and pastors we support, 210 people trusted the Lord for salvation.

We praise God for each soul saved and for the ongoing growth of His church. The need for workers in this vast and populous country remains urgent, and SIBBC continues to train and equip faithful laborers to serve alongside us in the harvest field.



Please join us in prayer for the following needs:

1. Pray for Christians facing persecution, especially in the 12 states where anti-conversion laws are in effect.
2. Pray for Pastor Anbhu, one of our pastors, who recently suffered a stroke and is battling kidney problems. He had just begun a pioneer church-planting ministry in a village.
3. Pray for the construction of church buildings in Chhattisgarh and Odisha. Two of our graduates, Somatai and Jappa Suman, are faithfully serving in these areas. God has already provided \$15,000 for the building in Odisha; we are praying for another \$15,000 for the building in Chhattisgarh.

4. Pray for \$10,930 needed to complete two classrooms for our Christian schools.
5. Pray for \$35,000 to pave the campus road, which is used daily by over 1,500 students.
6. Pray for our youth pastor, Benedict, and his family. Around 50 young people attend youth meetings every Saturday, and many are finding them spiritually enriching and practical for their daily walk with Christ.
7. Pray for the Campus Church—for its continued spiritual growth and for the provision of funds needed for a church building.

We are deeply grateful for your partnership in the Gospel. Your prayers and support are an encouragement to us and a blessing to countless souls here in India. Together, we labor for the cause of Christ, trusting Him for the increase.

With thanks and prayers,

Dr. P. D. Cherian

Contributions for our ministry should be made payable to IPM and sent to IPM, Inc., 100 Spring Ave., Hanover, PA 17331-2717 Be sure to include a note designating "Cherian Support" or any other special designation you may have for us. Thank you.

If you have an email, please help us to help this missionary save postage by receiving his newsletter by email. Please take a moment to contact us at office@ipmworld.org with your email and home address and use "subscribe Cherian prayer letter" on the subject line.

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Dear Friends,

I trust this email finds you well and experiencing God's blessings.

I want to begin this report by thanking those of you who have let me know that you were praying for the men and women that we recently requested prayer for in India, Indonesia, Vietnam, Africa, Cambodia, Pakistan, and Bangladesh. The 7 countries have a combined population of more than 3 billion people. The vast majority of these populations have never heard a clear presentation of the gospel.

The words of Jesus spoken more than 2,000 years ago have never been more relevant, *"The harvest truly is plenteous, but the laborers are few"*.

Barnabas 1040 and Ministry Asia have the privilege of working with people not only in the 7 countries I listed, but in a total of 52 Countries in Asia. Your prayers and financial support are changing lives all across Asia and Northern Africa.

I am occasionally asked by pastors in America how many of the Asian missionaries and national pastors associated with Barnabas1040 do I personally know. Our ministry is now 10 years old and by God's grace and your help, we have gone from 3 people in Cambodia to more than 250 people in 52 countries. I am no longer able to personally connect with each of these nationals, but a partner with Barnabas1040 or Ministry Asia has vetted them and is currently working alongside them as a mentor and coworker. We do not send money overseas without knowing who is receiving it and how it is being used.

The 100 or so national pastors that I am personally working with have on-site missionaries that give me a quarterly report of the ministry. In the past 3 months they reported that the nationals were able to lead **1,405** people to Christ and baptize **268** of the new converts. That gives us a total so far this year of **3,671** professions of faith and **703** who have already been baptized and joined one of the hundreds of churches that have been started in the past few years.

Only God knows how many thousands of other people have been saved through the ministries of our partners at Ministry Asia. Your funds and prayers are reaching more people and countries than Gayle and I could possibly have imagined a decade ago!

In closing I want to say a heartfelt thank you to all of our friends who partner with us. We thank God daily for every church and individual who has joined us in the journey to help missionaries and national pastors reach the most unreached parts of the world.

We love and appreciate you,

Dwight and Gayle Tomlinson
Barnabas1040 Missions



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Dear Friends at Pleasantview Baptist Church,

God continues to use *Bearing Precious Seed* to publish His Word all around the world. By the end of October, *BPS* had printed **11,922,504** copies of Scripture in **17** languages. We praise the Lord for all that is happening at *BPS*.

Since the last update letter, containers of Scripture have been shipped to Saint Vincent and the Grenadines and to England. Additional containers are scheduled to be shipped to Brazil, Croatia, Germany, India, Papua New Guinea, and the Philippines before the end of the year. This does not include smaller shipments that will be sent via crates, pallets and the daily mail.

The Didde press' replacement is in the building! The necessary electrical work has been completed and the installation of the press began November 10th. This press should enhance the yield and boost the production of our bulk John & Romans covers significantly.

We recently had an issue with the control board on our computer-to-plate maker, but it is back up and running. Please pray that the manufacturer helps with the cost; the machine is only 18 months old and the board shouldn't have gone bad that quickly! The part costs \$11,000, but we are waiting to see what can be resolved. Pray that the final bill is a small portion of that amount.

Our workforce will soon be reduced by two. Andrew Barbosa has started deputation to go as a missionary to the Philippines, and Jeff Lerner will be moving to Colombia in the next few weeks. Pray for both of these men, and pray that God will send the needed replacements.

One need we have is to upgrade from the old 1970 model case maker that is used to produce covers for hardback Bibles. We praise the Lord that some funds designated for the purchase of a newer machine have already been given.

Please continue to pray for the safety of the workers in the shop and for the safety of those who travel representing the ministry and working with *Seedline*.

Thank you for your continued support and prayers for the *BPS* ministry.

Serving Him together,


Al Braley, Director
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He that goeth forth and weepeth, bearing precious seed, shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him. —Psalm 126:6