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THE LANTZ FAMILY

MISSIONARIES SERVING IN SÃO PAULO, BRAZIL

An Extension of the World Wide Mission Ministry of The
CROSSROADS BAPTIST CHURCH

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Dear Prayer Partners,

August 31, 2026

Isaiah 26:3; “Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee: because he trusteth in thee.”

Greetings from Brazil. In July we received a first time visitor from Rio de Janeiro on temporary assignment for business. Marcson looked like a good prospect for the church and desired to get involved. Unfortunately, he was called back quicker than expected. We also had several of our older members that got hit with unexpected health problems. Irmã Nadir managed to injure her sciatic nerve and was in an tremendous amount of pain and lost most of her mobility for several weeks but thankfully she has recovered and is able to be back in church. Atalias' mother, Irmã Odete has been having problems with blood pressure fluctuations causing her to experience fainting spells. We ask that you pray that the doctors can determine the cause so she can return to normal.

Last year, one of the ladies from Vargem Grande, Irmã Leu, needed to move to northern Brazil for health reason. Earlier this year she returned for a short visit to see family and be at the church for services. After a few weeks she returned back to northern Brazil. Then out of the blue she appeared one Sunday night in August with her son and grandson for the evening service. Upon entering the church she loudly proclaimed, “I am back for good because this is my church, THIS IS MY CHURCH”. She had realized that when you are where God wants you to be, HE will take care of any problems, including health problems, if you just trust Him and let Him do so.

Lastly, at this time we are still unsure as to when we will be able to return home on furlough. Only when we find godly men to take over these churches as their pastors or assume responsibility until we return from furlough will we be able to come home and report to our supporting churches. We know that GOD has a purpose in us delaying our furlough so in the mean time we will remain faithful to do the work to which He has called us. **Luke 10:2; “Therefore said he unto them, The harvest truly is great, but the labourers are few: pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he would send forth labourers into his harvest.”**

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 2026.

Thankfully Received

All Because of JESUS,

July - August 100.00

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