

August Newsletter

Beginning our 8th year in Mexico this month.

HAPPY 20TH BIRTHDAY JACOB!

CONGRATULATIONS ASHLEY, HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE!

EXTREME PASSION YOUTH RALLY:

_Many of our youth experienced the passion of Christ and were transformed. One young lady named Paloma was one such youth. This was her first encounter with Christ. She had never been to a Christian event before and was blessed she did. She was so dramatically changed that she tried to smoke a cigarette like she always had done and could not! The Holy Spirit in her would not allow her to enjoy it, so she put it out! Her mother has commented that her daughter is changed and is excited about the difference! Amen! It's wonderful to go to youth conferences and get motivated and receive but how awesome it is to be transformed enough that others take notice!

KINGDOM CONQUEORERS EVANGELISTIC OUTREACH:

Brigidos visit and how it's God's will: Pastor Brigido from the waterfall church, had an unexpected visit early one morning. The visitor knocked on his door around 5:30 am and called him by name. He answered the door and quietly moved the conversation to the church next door as not to awake his household. His visitor came with a specific message; this event is the will of God and all the pastors who participate will be assigned angels to guide them and protect them. They talked more than half an hour when his visitor bid adieu and left. Brigido asked his name and was told to call him, John the Missionary, he asked for directions out to the highway and left. Brigido, not wanting him to get lost, decided to lead him to the road himself, but to his dismay, he was gone. He asked his neighbors which way his visitor had gone but no one saw anyone pass by their house or store. When asked to describe his early morning visitor, he said his hair glowed with a brightness and was angelic-like, nothing like he'd ever seen, he dressed differently from anyone he had ever seen almost like those in the movie Jesus, and he spoke almost like a robot...waiting to hear a response from above before he spoke or responded. This visitation encouraged all of us who labored for months to see the success of this campaign. It truly was a blessing to be apart of and see the blessings of the fruit of it all. We have felt from the beginning our main purpose in San Andres was to see the church of Christ reunited and working together in unity and harmony, **Jer.33:3**. With much opposition we trudged through and plowed and plowed the ground for revival and unity in the community. It was wonderful to see so many churches capture the vision and work together for one cause and purpose, to enlarge HIS Kingdom. Those that criticized the event missed an occasion to be blessed by God. But we believe that next year, because through the unity that is established now among several area churches, Every church will catch the vision and run with it! Jesus is coming back for ONE church and we are on our way to preparing the way for his arrival. Amen.

PAT'S SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY:

It was good to see that the church is finally beginning to become a family and work together...and want to get to know each other. We are seeing families get together after church and during the week bonding with one another. The ladies of the church planned a surprise Birthday party for Pat after service during our time of fellowship. They each divided the costs and cooked some of Pat's favorite foods. It was truly a labor of love that we all enjoyed!

PAT'S TRIP TO SAN LUIS POTOSI:

MARTIN'S FUNERAL:

Martin, whom we mentioned in earlier newsletters, told his mother that he was tired of fighting the battle that was set before him. Within hours, he quietly closed his eyes and went to be with Jesus, but not before telling his mother with an empathic smile, "Look, Jesus is coming for me". Pat was given the honor to give a departing message to Martin's family and friends who were present at his wake.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Every Wednesday night: Music practice 7:30pm

Every Wednesday morning: At 8:00am, Casa de Gloria hosts a "Kingdom Conquerors; International Convention of Ministries" meeting with area pastors and leaders.

Every Thursday night: Leaders cell group meets at 6pm

Every Friday night: Youth meetings in Casa de Gloria 6pm

Every Sunday morning: 9:00am Celebration service

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

August ~ 3 day evangelistic campaign in La Barra

August 15th ~ Special Sunday Morning service presenting Bible School graduates their diplomas, baptism certificates, and school supplies to the children who are preparing for the new school year.

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September 14th ~ Mike Even, former missionary to Mexico and India, will come do a series of teaching on authority from book of Titus and Timothy .

September 17th ~ Transport La Barra to Alvarado for a fellowship activity.