

# CASA DE GLORIA MINISTRIES

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Special points of interest:

### FEBRUARY:

7th ~ Bazaar

10th-13th~ San Luis Potosi Leadership Conference

14th ~ Pat takes Waterfall Youth to conference in Cardenas, Veracruz.

21st~ Street Ministry

### MARCH:

6th-8th Leaders' Conference in Acayucan

7th ~ Pat officiates Nataly's 15th B-day celebration

15th ~ Baptism in La Barra

16th ~ Depart for Louisiana

24th ~ Ashley's 23rd B-day

### APRIL

15th ~ Beaux's 20th Birthday!

16th ~ Return to Mexico

20- 28th ~ Jeff Fredericks & Family join us for a week of activities

25th ~ Children's Festival in Morelos

### Our weekly activities

**The Tribes** meet every Mon. in member's homes & Sat. 6PM  
Youth meet in C de G.

**Video Bible School** At students convenience

**Mid-week services** every Thurs. 6PM

**New Beginnings Classes** every Friday 5 PM

**Hour of Power** Fridays Prayer 7 PM

**Hospital Visits** Last Friday of every month 4-6 PM

**Samaritan Alcoholic Outreach** taking it to the streets Bi-monthly at 7 AM on Sat. mornings.

**Sunday's Celebration Service** 9 AM C de G

## FLOODGATES OF HEAVEN OPEN

We went out into the streets as we have done since 1999 to share the gospel with the alcoholics but this time something marvelous happened. God prepared their hearts to receive the Word and the seed sown over the past 10 years produced visible fruit because the next day in walked 11 alcoholics into an already overcrowded church service. They came on their own accord and at different intervals showing they came as individuals and not as a group. They sat amongst us with a different countenance about them. They listened to the Word preached from the pulpit and 10 responded to the altar call for salvation. After church they were given a blanket and a long sleeve shirt and were bought lunch. We had considered to cut out this outreach because of the lack of fruit seen but yesterday changed all that. Had we done so these men would still be on the street dying in their self pity and sin. Now the Spirit of the Lord is upon them and they have an added hope for a new life.

Casa de Gloria has been taking the gospel to the streets & to everyone they know. We counted almost 100 in attendance for Sunday morning service in our tiny cramped quarters. Some were outside veering in from the sidewalk window but no one was de-

terred by the over crowded

room. We seek a new place for worship soon or we will stagnate our growth.

**Donating hospital gowns to a representative of the hospital.**



**Many in Casa de Gloria model the gowns & uniforms donated.**



**Pat, Jorge, & Raul lend a helping hand to some of the patients.**

On another note,

this month we went to the local hospital and donated a small box of hospital gowns and nurses uniforms while we visited the patients and their families. One young new mother of a premature baby

recently reported that when we prayed for her she felt God's presence and knew her baby was healed. Within 2 days of our visit her baby's lungs



**Hilario shares the gospel with a patient before she is discharged.**



**10 Alcoholics dedicate their lives to Jesus and 2 young newcomers**

were healed and she was able to come home! To God be the glory!

## HUGE CLOTHES GIVE AWAY

In December Casa de Gloria knocked on doors in the new community called Morelos in which sits the Happier Bus' Humanitarian Center. They invited the neighborhood to come and receive clothing. The church was trained and prepared to receive them and to help them to find clothes to fit everyone in the family as well as pray for any of their needs. It was a time of one on one evangelizing which is something that has often been taught but very few in general ever put into practice. It was an opportunity for those in this community to better get to know and befriend the members of Casa de Gloria who will soon be their new



neighbors. Appointments were made until the end of

January. Over 120 tickets were handed out and over to date many families received jackets, sweaters, shoes, pants, skirts, and the like. We have counted more than 100 people on the registered who received clothes in this short 6 week period with the majority accepting Jesus as Lord and Savior! It's exciting to see that a handful are beginning to come to church too!



## SUNNY BAZAAR DAYS

Another great turn out for the bazaar. The sun shown and the people crowded around from various communities to see what this bazaar brings. Many of our new



friends we have made from Morelos, arrived excited to find linens and household items for sale at cheap affordable prices. We had a steady flux of people from 8 am until 1 pm. We had such a wonderful array of new items, like the pile of stuffed animals shown at the right, for sale thanks to all who contributed!

All proceeds go towards our new facility!



## HAND OF PROTECCION

On Valentine's Day Pat took a group of 30+ teenagers to an event approximately 4 hours north of SAT. He was driving on their equivalent of our interstate highway around 7 am at the bus' top speed of 59 mph when he hit some thick fog. The dips in the road and pot holes swash you around in the bus like ping-pong balls but now he had the added challenge to find them in the fog. Driving with extra caution now that visibility was shortened, a Curve sign ap-

peared from behind this low lying cloud and he hit his brakes. The bus reacted by sliding sideways.



He let up on the brakes and veered a hard right hitting a pot hole which somehow brought the bus under control around the curve. Teens were screaming "Cristo Salvame" [Christ Save Me] who obviously heard their plea. We arrived safely and he was given the honor to give the message to the youth before heading home. They came across a wreck on the return trip home that caused everyone to get out and walk across the bridge as they coaxed Pat in the bus to squeeze between the wrecked truck and a deep ravine where the dirt was loose. God protected them and we thank the Lord everyone made it home safe and sound! Jesus Christ Saved us!



# LOTS OF GIVEAWAYS

\*We were blessed with lots of hospital gowns, men's PJs, a couple of disposable surgeon's pants, and a few white nurses uniforms. So while we visited the sick we also made a considerable donation to the Civil Hospital.

\*Another small box of English books were donated to the San Andres Public Library.

\*Eye glasses were do-



*Two pastors each received a replica of Old Spanish Bible & folks receiving clothing from the ministry.*

nated to the local ophthalmologist who can offer the



frames to patients who can't afford them.

\*For Christmas, many Pastors received a newly reprinted version of the Old Spanish Manuscript Oso Bible.

\*With the gift boxes we have been collecting since November, we hope to have a day of fun in the sun for the children in Morelos on April 25th. If you are interested in putting together some shoe box gifts, there is still time. We will accept your shoeboxes gifts as late as April 14th.

## CROSSROAD MINISTRIES DONATES VAN

In December, Gary and Leslie Martinez from Crossroads Ministry in Roseland, LA. donated a 1999 Dodge 15 passenger van to us. It became our transportation home since we hitched a ride up to the states from fellow missionaries Phil & Marianne Chain. We loaded the van with bazaar items and lots of clothes for the clothing ministry and headed back to the border when we heard a loud clunking noise while stopping for gas. Pat discovered it was the clutch fan. Since it was late, we decided to stay where we were and get a mechanic in the morning before the fan jumps off and damages the radiator. As God provides, there was a hotel less

than 1/4 mile up the road & a mechanic another 1/4 mile from the hotel. 1st thing in the morning, Pat

headed to the mechanic and waited over an hour for him to get to work before Pat decided to look for another mechanic a little further up the road. After going less than 100 feet to the other mechanic, the fan jumped off and went through the radiator! Pat



called the 1st mechanic whom he had initially gone to and realized it was his day to go to the border to

look for car parts. But to the goodness of his heart, he came running over to work on our van. He took off the damaged parts, proceeded to the border to continue his business rounds and got the parts we needed fixed. Isn't God's mercy and provision wonderful?

After he replaced the clutch and fixed the radiator, we were back on the road again within 48 hours. We arrived safe and sound in San Andres Tuxtla 2 days later.

## CHEERFUL GIVERS

After our Hour of Power prayer meeting, several got together and made sandwiches and coffee for the night shift workers; to show their appreciation to those who work the 24 hour shifts burying electricity cables underground throughout the city. They

even made us



a little ramp to help make C de G wheelchair accessible. The youth enjoyed serving the workers who swept the city clean by load-



ing up the blocks of concrete before they poured the new sidewalks. The workers commented that they like to work to the music played in Casa de Gloria.

We are on the web!

## 2009 PRAYER NEEDS OF

## THE MINISTRY OUTREACH OF THE WARREN WARRIORS:



1. School supplies & book sacks for the fall  
**Back to School Give Away** by April 14th.

2. **GREAT CHURCH OR SUNDAY SCHOOL PROJECT!** - Desire an assortment of **GIFT SHOE BOXES** for **BOYS & GIRLS AGES INFANT TO YOUNG ADULT** by **April 14th, 2009**.

3 Four large 18-wheeler size inner tubes to play Sumo wrestling at organized youth events.

4. Looking for a small, good on gas, used 1999 light truck, mini van or small station wagon to deliver purified water jugs to homes in the surrounding area..

5. Wanted: new and/or nearly new Name Brand Bass guitar with amp.

6. Sheets of Plexiglas 14 3/4" X 6" to repair side panels on the Popcorn machines.

8. Ask God about "sowing seed" into our building fund this year. We are believing to purchase a bigger facility which we can call our own. **Pray and believe with us that God will open the door soon.**

9. Clothing Ministry needs men and boys clothes and shoes of all ages & sizes & ladies skirts.

10. Please pray about donating **Spanish Study Bibles, Concordances, Christian books, DVD movies, Bible on CD, CD and/or DVD teachings** for our public lending library. Some of the DVD's found at Wal-Mart with a **Spanish language option** are: Sineater; Be Still; The Hiding Place; Entertaining Angels; When Nobody Loves You; Don Bartlette; Fireproof. [DVD's = \$10-\$24]

11. Looking for new/nearly new bikes and other garage sale items to put in our Bazaar.

12. We desperately need a hardtop for our 1996 Suzuki Sidekick. The current vinyl top's zippers are broken and falling apart making it easy for thieves, wind and water to enter car. 1992-96 Sidekick or GEO Tracker would fit; approx. Value \$800+/-

13. 2 toilets and a small urinal for the new bathrooms at the Project Humanitarian Help Center where the Happier Bus is located.

14. 15" tires for 1996 Suzuki Sidekick

15. \$900.00 + to Nationalize a 1999 Dodge 15 passenger van when given the opportunity.

16. Vitamins, Iron tablets and cans of Ensure for the many malnourished and sick we minister to.

17. Apartment size refrigerator for Humanitarian Help Center in Morelos.

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Individuals who wish to make a donation may do so by making checks payable to Pat and/or Karen Warren.

**OR**

If you need a "tax donation" status, make your checks payable to: **Grace Harbor Family Church** noting in memo section: "The Warrens" (as shown in the examples above)

**AND**

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