

This Month We'll Tell You About: Claudio Preaching, Time with Claudia's Parents, The Website In Progress, One of God's Many Cares



Claudio Preaching at Local Church

We're excited to share that I (Claudio) had the opportunity once again to preach at Giacomo's church. This growing relationship is a meaningful step toward building greater unity between Giacomo and the believers there—an area that has been a challenge in the past, partly due to Giacomo's personality and partly due to other dynamics within the church. We're also prayerfully exploring opportunities for future collaboration—especially in Bible study and discipleship—through our upcoming media ministry, and we're encouraged by the potential involvement of some of these believers.

Time with Claudia's Parents

While my parents were visiting from Chile, we were incredibly blessed to take five full days of vacation—all generously provided by them. It felt so good to be cared for like that, even as adults. Their presence was such a gift—not only to us, but especially to me (Claudia). Getting to show them the ministry the Lord has given us here in Italy meant more to my heart than I expected.

They've now returned to Chile, and we're back in full swing here.

Something we're praying about—how to raise more awareness among believers around the world so that Italy might be on their hearts in prayer just as much as other countries in need.

“ PREACH THE WORD; BE READY IN SEASON AND OUT OF SEASON; CORRECT, REBUKE, AND EXHORT, WITH GREAT PATIENCE AND INSTRUCTION. FOR THE TIME WILL COME WHEN THEY WILL NOT TOLERATE SOUND DOCTRINE; BUT WANTING TO HAVE THEIR EARS TICKLED, THEY WILL ACCUMULATE FOR THEMSELVES TEACHERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THEIR OWN DESIRES, AND THEY WILL TURN THEIR EARS AWAY FROM THE TRUTH AND WILL TURN ASIDE TO MYTHS.”

2 TIMOTHY 4: 2-4



The Website in Progress

Over the first half of this year, we've seen the Lord bless our efforts in ways that have deeply encouraged us. One of the strongest areas has been our relational ministry—spending time with people, walking alongside them, listening to their stories, loving them in Jesus' name, and sharing the hope of the gospel. These relationships haven't just opened doors for witness—they've also helped us gather the kind of insight we needed to shape our next steps with greater purpose and clarity.

It is important to us to share with you the heart behind our foundational work in Italy. We want to give you a clear picture of the prayerful, professional, and long-term strategy we are implementing. This is far more than just creating a website; it is about building a dedicated and effective ministry tool, designed to gently guide the Italian people to the truth of the Gospel.

To help you understand the serious and professional manner with which we are approaching this work, here are the five key phases of the project:

🕒 Phase 1: Planning – Laying a Prayerful Foundation

✍️ Phase 2: Writing – Crafting a Message for the Heart

⚙️ Phase 3: Building – Creating a Welcoming Digital Spa

🚧 Phase 4: Launching – Making the Lighthouse Visible

🕒 Phase 5: Stewarding – Our Ongoing Commitment & Future Vision

Crafting the Italian Message -Phase 2

Cultural Nuance

Addressing Italian cultural sensitivities



Language Simplicity

Using clear, jargon-free communication



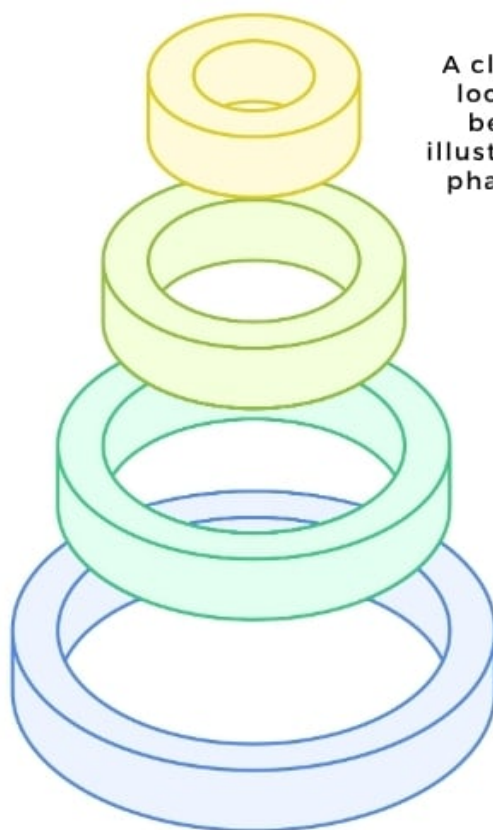
Audience Understanding

Tailoring message to Italian culture



Scriptural Fidelity

Ensuring message aligns with Scriptures



A closer look to better illustrate phase 2

Thank you—for your support, your prayers, and your faithful partnership. We're here because you send us. Your encouragement makes a real difference in our ability to keep going, keep loving, and keep lifting up Jesus in this beautiful, yet gospel-needy, nation!

May Financial Report

Total income: **\$3,051**

Total expense: **\$5,030**

Prayer and Praises

1. Continue to pray for the people we are openly talking to about the Bible.
2. Pray for those contacts that are more reluctant to know more but that still listen.
3. Sometimes we must choose which battles to fight and which to leave in God's hands. Please pray for discernment to recognize the ones God is truly calling us to engage in.
4. We're thankful for the joy of serving the Lord together in both marriage and ministry. Please pray that we continue to grow in Him and honor Him in all we do—together.
5. We praise the Lord for the sweet time we shared with Claudia's parents—and for the meaningful impact it had on us.
6. Praise the Lord for the moral stability we still experience in our community, and for the freedom to openly share His Word and talk about our faith in Jesus Christ.

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*Eternity Matters Most.
Claudia and Claudia Bourrelly*