



Dear Friends and Family,

September 2025

Greetings from Costa Rica! August was another busy month. We continue preaching the Gospel throughout the city of San Pablo. One man named Cesar and a woman named Solaira professed faith in Christ as their Savior. In our regular services, we have continued to see good attendance. We have seen several visitors and, at times, are nearly full in the building where we meet. In the middle of the month, we had a special mother's day service with a breakfast before the service. We also had a teen meeting in our home.

Despite all of the normal evangelism and activity, we have been shifting gears and preparing for our next furlough. As we prepare the church for our absence, we have two faithful men who will help with the preaching and teaching. Michelle is preparing the Sunday school teachers as well. Jeremy has also been working hard to plan our US travel itinerary. Unfortunately, our furlough will be too short to visit all of the churches that support us. Not only that, but our supporting churches are spread out across 15 different states! Jeremy has already reached out to our supporting churches where we could not visit on our last furlough. He is now contacting the rest to see if they would like for us to come and give a ministry report. As our calendar fills up, it becomes increasingly difficult to find available dates that work for each church. We are thankful for the flexibility of those who allow us to give ministry reports when we are in the area.

As for our family, we are doing well. We all have our new residency ID cards. The kids have been inviting their school friends to church. It is good to see how they are making a difference even in their schools. Michelle and I have also been preparing the kids for our next furlough. By the time we arrive in the US, it will have been nearly seven years since our last furlough! We are looking forward to seeing family, friends, and many dear brethren from the churches. We are also preparing ourselves for some cold weather! In a very short amount of time we will go from Costa Rica to Florida and then toward the Northern states at the coldest time of the year!

Thank you for all of your prayers and support. Lastly, here are a few prayer requests. Please pray:

1. That God will open doors and provide the means for us to construct a church building.
2. That God will continue to save souls and add them unto the church.
3. That God will help us and the church to make plans for our upcoming furlough.

In Christ,

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