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## MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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Behold, how good and how pleasant it is For brothers to live together in unity! For the LORD commanded the blessing there—life forever. Psalm 133:1,3b For where two or three have gathered together in My name, I am there in their midst." Mat 16:20

Dear friends and brethren,

We had our first visiting group! After over a year of not having groups from the US due to pandemic restrictions, our friends from FBC Haughton, were the first to make the trip from Louisiana to Cordoba, to spend a week serving the Lord among us. Even though we still have some of the restrictions in effect, this did not prevent a blessed week of fellowship and service together. This team was led by Mark Hagerihelm, and was mixed team of adults and children



at the mission in Cordoba. They helped with painting, and also with construction/maintenance projects, they also prepared props and decorations for our VBS Workshop set. On Sunday were able to go to one of our local churches, La Cumbre, and although everyone had to follow the present health authority guidelines for indoor gatherings, the time of worship together was sweet, and Brother Mark H. brought an inspiring message from the Word of God preaching for the church. The daily devotionals, here at the mission, at the

breakfast table with the students were a special

who were eger to serve here

blessing, as well as the fellowship during clean-up and dishwashing. Many of the "every day" activities became times of blessing when our visiting brethren joined in helping with the responsibilities of students and staff. As we have shared in previous letters, we have just been able to bring back many of our students as the Covid-19 situation in their







towns, and families, and also here in our area have permitted it. So the presence of this group was encouraging for the whole MITC mission family. We thank the Lord for His mercies upon the group from Haughton, and their safety in travel and stay during the time with us. We look forward to seeing more of our friends and visiting teams from the US in the fall.

We have been working with our students here on campus finishing courses, applying exams, and also teaching remedial classes and assigning Final Projects, to help them recover from the time away from campus and classrooms, several having very limited or null internet connection. These classes and activities are for our 2nd through 4th year students. In August, the 4th year students of this past year, will leave for a modified "year in practice" (which will actually be only one semester) and then will graduate in December We have many request for our 4th year students from churches and missions in the southern states of Mexico. They will serve as interim Pastors, Missionaries, Bible Teachers, Children Workers, and Youth Pastors according to the need at the places where they are assigned.

Summer here at MITC, is always a time of special outreach to the children of Mexico, and in particular to the children in the mountain village areas. We were blessed to have our yearly VBS Workshop, which we shared about in our MITC May 2021 Newsletter. This year even though the Workshop was transmitted online for many churches and alumni throughout Mexico, it was also a great blessing for our students who prepared the materials, and were the program presenters, actors, and the teachers for this year's VBS production. We had extra help in recording the VBS audios by Keila, who has worked with her dad (Brother Arce) with VBS programs most of her life here at MITC. Also helping us create the artistic designs for the VBS













stage and its props, our alumni/Pastor **Juan Romero** was also a huge blessing. The "Here Come The Judges" VBS Workshop turned out great, and we pray that the Lord will use this program based on the Scriptures, to establish God's truth in the lives of many children and their parents throughout Mexico. Please pray with us for regarding this.

We have seen the Word of God working in the lives of many children through the years, and we have a wonderful living example of God using His Word in our Vacation Bible School. Several years ago the Lord brought a young girl named **Jared** to her first VBS here at MITC. She loved the Bible stories illustrating God's love and salvation in Jesus Christ. As she grew up she always remembered where the Lord had spoken to her heart as a child during her years at VBS, and she felt that God wanted her to come back and study more of God's Word, now as a young lady. Jared is finishing her 3rd year of studies in the Full Time Bible School here at MITC, and she has a wonderful heart for serving the Lord Jesus, and God is equipping her in a mighty to serve and share His Gospel.

We are sending out **7 teams** of our 2nd and 3rd year students to the mountains of Oaxaca and Veracruz, to lead and provide VBS for 21 villages. They will be serving



among the Chinanteco, Nahualt, and Mixe people for 3 weeks. They will use the VBS program "Here Come The Judges", that we taught and presented in our VBS Workshop this year. The students are excited to be able to go out to the remote area missions, to serve the Lord and teach the children. We are also thankful that the COVID related restrictions in the village areas have been lifted, allowing them to arrive and stay at each location.

We ask your special prayers at this time for our 2nd year student, **Dorely**, and her family, she was notified this week that her family was in a car wreck. This resulted in her mom's death, and her father and sister, both requiring surgery but are doing well. Dorely has a heart for serving the Lord, as does her family. They have been helping to start a new mission in the area of Cintalapa, Chiapas, Dorely is training to help with this ministry.

We are thankful to you and to God, for your unity with us in ministry through your loving prayers and support. May the Lord continue to use us together for His glory, and as the verse above says, may He command blessing and Life *among* us for evermore.

Yours by His grace,

Dan and Chry Hall





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