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*“Brothers and sisters, I do not regard myself as having taken hold of it yet; but one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and reaching forward to what lies ahead, **I press on** toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.” Phillipians 3:13,14*

*“Therefore, since we also have such a great cloud of witnesses surrounding us, let’s rid ourselves of every obstacle and the sin which so easily entangles us, and **let’s run with endurance** the race that is set before us, looking only at Jesus, the originator and perfecter of the faith, who for the joy set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.” Hebrews 12:1,2*

Dearly beloved Friends and Brethren,

We have learned from the Scriptures that there is a race to be run, and a goal to achieve in the in the Christian life. We are to be believers who are obedient and serving our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ all of our days and to the end of our earthly lives. As long as we have breath, we have an opportunity to serve the Lord, in good works, in good words, and through prayers that seek God’s blessing upon those that God puts in our lives wherever we may be. As the apostle Paul shows us, no matter where we are or how far we have come in our Christian lives, we should **still press on!** May God give us daily grace to continue living for His glory. Of course all of this is only because of Jesus our Lord, and all that He has given by His grace and Saving work on Calvary.

We celebrated the *45 years* of service to the Lord, to Mexico, and to us here at MITC, of our beloved ophthalmologist, **Dr. Tom Robinson** and his wife **Daphne**. We had our first eye surgery campaign since the Covid-19 outbreak and shutdown 2 years ago. It was an intense week of work in preparation and then performing many cataract operations once again here at mission in Cordoba. Dr. Robinson was joined by doctors from the US and our national eye **surgeons Drs. Elesban and Shalom Santos**. These surgeries are of course free of monetary charge (as are all of the MITC ministries), and were a great opportunity to share God’s grace and the Gospel of Jesus with many patients and their families who came for this much needed help. Tom and Daphne are a great testimony of the love of God, and how we should give our lives and strength to serve the Lord. In spite of their age, and also some health issues, they made the trip down with all the necessary equipment and supplies to help many people recover their sight through these surgeries.





Dr. Elesban in Consult



Students helping



Tom and Daphne working hard



During the campaign all our ministry students participate as helpers, guiding the patients through the process of surgery and recovery. During this time these young people give encouragement and support, and pray with all of those who have come, and share the Gospel. We are thankful for the good results of all the surgeries, and for the hearts that were blessed during this time to receive the Word of Christ. We praise the Lord for His work through the Robinson's during these 45 years and for the thousands of people who have been touched by this unique ministry and that have received not only physical healing in their eyes, but also a clear view of the love of God. We are greatly challenged by these dear brethren Tom and Daphne to continue serving the Lord with love and zeal. To God be the glory.

We had our Women's Conference, which is organized by Chuy and ladies from Woodcreek Church. This year our conference theme was "A Home under His Grace" It was a "hybrid" event with our mission family ladies and some from the local churches, here on campus, and many online participants for the 2 days of the conference. It was a great blessing for all those attending both physically and online. As always, the goal of the conferences is to provide Biblical teaching by ladies, for ladies, that will help them in their relationship with the Lord, to grow in their faith, and to help them develop spiritually stronger marriages and families. Of course the fellowship and worship together is encouraging and gives



Drs. Santos and Robinson



Women's Conference team

opportunities to share the Hope and Joy we have in Jesus Christ. We are thankful for our speakers from Woodcreek: Sarah Davison, and Carol Brewer, also for our national speaker this year, Karla de Fernandez who is the author of the book "Hogar bajo Su Gracia". Chuy leading the staff wives and our girl students did a wonderful job, once again, putting together all the things necessary for this special time of ministry. Belen Torres, was our star translator for this event, using her English-Spanish skills, and with her joyful spirit of service helped get everything understandable for everyone. We are thankful for God's blessing on this year's Women's Conference.

Ambassadors for Christ of Texas was back! This group was the last work group we were able to receive before the restrictions due to the pandemic, so it had been a couple of years since we had seen our “**pew building**” team. This group led by Pastor **Adam Jaquez**, and brethren Terry Boening and Red Miller, came and worked hard to make a “set” of 12 pews for the church at Monte Blanco during their stay. Brother Red brought this particular design down several years ago to make some very sturdy and comfortable pews, that are also easy to transport and assemble on-site if necessary. Through the years we have made many of these pews with this team from the Victoria, Texas area, and have distributed them throughout the mountain missions helping many brethren and their places of worship. One of the highlights for the students during the stay of these brethren was “hamburger day” when our brethren fixed and served an authentic US meal to all the mission family.

God is good, we thank Him and praise Him for His love and grace upon us, we are thankful that the doors for ministry are now reopening across southern Mexico, and the different outreach opportunities with our visiting brethren from the US are going once again. Please keep us in your prayers, that we would keep “pressing on” in His Ministry, and that the Name of Christ will continue to be made known through us. Thank you for your faithful and prayerful support. God bless us as we serve together for His glory.



Sarah



Carol



Karla



Ambassadors For Christ



Pastor Adam



Belen Torres

By His grace,

Dan and Chuy Hall



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Memorials and Honorariums • March

In Memory of:

From: In Honor of:

From:

Linda Pearson.....Robert Pearson

R.L. McCary, Happy Birthday!.....Lynn Thomas
Mark Webb.....William Keesler



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