



# The GRINSTEAD Family

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**ARGENTINA**

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## Triumphs And Tragedies

Dear Prayer Partners,

There is much to report in this prayer letter, both triumphs and Tragedies. First I need to clarify a mistake in our last prayer letter that has caused some confusion. Our last prayer letter was sent in December, but I made a mistake and left the date of September at the top. This led many to believe that our last prayer letter was sent in September. This was a simple mistake on my part.

Triumphs; in our last prayer letter we shared photos of a prospective location just two block from our house, where we would like to rent and start holding new church services. We praise the Lord that we were able to rent the location. We got right to work and spent the rest of January working hard to paint, make repairs, purchase needed equipment, and start inviting people. Sunday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>, we opened with our first church service. Since then we rejoice with a total of 21 visitors, most of whom have returned for more services. We also praise the Lord for the salvation of a young man named Tomás. I have included a picture of Tomás having lunch with us.

Tragedies; around 4 AM on Friday, March 7<sup>th</sup> we were awakened with torrential rains. The rain continued until early afternoon. We are told that a year's worth of rain fell in less that twelve hours. Around mid morning the flash flooding began and then a large canal four blocks from our house overflowed its banks destroying seven different bridges. For hours the waters flowed covering the whole city. We are thankful that miraculously the waters did not come into our home. Many people were not so fortunate, and many have died. We have spent the rest of the month doing all we can to help. We have opened our home to an elderly couple from the church named Eduardo and Victoria. You have probably seen their pictures many times in previous letters. Rather than trying to describe these events in further detail, I have made a short video to share. If you receive this prayer letter by email you can simply click the link. If you receive it by mail, you can type the following web address into a browser to see the video.

<https://youtu.be/2sLB3V22LCc>

Continue to pray for the new church work and for more souls to be saved. Also please pray for the flood victims in the city of Bahia Blanca, Argentina

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