

The Saints

SHARING THE LOVE OF GOD IN

CHILE

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Dear Prayer Partners,

Thank you for your continued prayers for our family and our ministry. We have enjoyed the privilege of travelling and thanking churches for being part of what God is doing in Chile, as well as encouraging each child of God to be faithful to what God sets before us. Since I last wrote, we have visited churches in Canada, Maine, Vermont, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Tennessee, Georgia, Ohio, Michigan, Kentucky, and Alabama. Yes, it has been busy, but the remainder of our schedule shouldn't be quite so crazy. In fact, for the next month, we shouldn't have to spend one night in the camper, as we split our time between both grandparents and visit churches in Alabama. I (Nathan) will take a quick trip to Chile in August, before visiting Columbia for a Bible conference. I'm looking forward to encouraging the brethren briefly, counseling a few families, and then getting back to the work that awaits us in the States. Christine and the kids will have almost two weeks of no meetings, which means the kids will hopefully be able to get more schoolwork done with the help of the grandparents.

I am encouraged almost every time I take a peek at the security cameras of our church in San Pedro during service times. Often, I notice people I've never met! And this past Sunday, I saw **Sebastian**, Miguel's teenage son whom I've been praying for. He's lost, which is a burden for Miguel, but Miguel is limited in what he can do, as Sebastian lives with his mother (Miguel fathered Sebastian with another lady before marrying Evelyn). I've been burdened to do more to help our men be all that God wants them to be, and to reach our young men before the world does. Next year, we hope to have our first men's retreat, and I'm really praying that God might use opportunities like that one to reach people like Sebastian.

A big tool to help us have the men's retreat (among other special events) is going to be the multi-purpose facility we hope to build for our camp ministry. When I go to Chile, I hope to stake out exactly where the building will go so that ground work can be done before we get back to Chile in November. This building will be a small gymnasium type facility with a kitchen, several bathrooms, storage closets, and a separate classroom area. It will likely be over 5,000 square feet total, and should cost something like \$50,000 to build. God has already provided close to \$20,000 of those funds, and we are trusting He'll provide the rest in His timing. This facility should allow us to host our first family camp in February, and eventually host several weeks of teen camp over the summers as well as special conferences and activities throughout the rest of the year.

We have also been blessed to receive a shipping container full of literature (John and Romans, gospel tracts and Bible studies) and are about to receive a shipping container full of whole Bibles. This is a tremendous blessing, and the planned facility should hopefully be able to serve as a storage and distribution facility for these resources as well.

Celso and Karla are refurbishing the original church building (built on their property in the countryside) into a small house so our family can have a place to stay when we visit them together. This small investment should allow us to be able to invest more time in Cañete as we look forward to seeing that ministry grow.

Thank you, as always, for your continued prayers and support.

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Ministry Goals:

- Evangelize the lost
- Equip the believers
- Establish NT churches

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