

THE LANE FAMILY

Missionaries to The Dominican Republic

Acts 4:12

September 2019

Answers to Prayer:

- Our sending church came and added ceilings to our church classrooms.

Please Prayer with us For:

- Ezra's and Marilyn's health to improve (Ezra has an amoeba infection and they both have bronchiolitis)
- For God to strengthen and enable us to accomplish his desires for our everyday, especially while Pastor Wesley and Mrs. Melina are on furlough.

Quick Trip

Dear family in Christ,

September started off wonderfully for us because we were able to introduce our baby girl to most of our immediate family. We had been on the island for 15 months and were excited for Ezra to be able to see his grandparents, aunts, uncles, and cousins again as well. We had a great 3 weeks in the states. I even got to sit on the council as well as preach the charge at my best friend/ brother in law's ordination. It was fast paced, but we soaked up and loved every minute of being with family and friends again.

Youth Group Update

God has been working among the teenagers at Iglesia Bautista Agua Viva. We were overjoyed to know that the average attendance over the last 4 weeks has been over 20 young people, even while Teah and I were not present. God has been saving souls and growing the youth group here, and God doesn't need Teah and I to do it, but we are so thankful we get to be a part of what HE is doing here. The first Saturday back I taught about how God used letters in the early church to communicate His will to His churches and then posed the question, "If God wrote our church a letter, what do you think would be in it?". There were many interesting answers from our teens, such as: no stealing, more respect for church leadership, no throwing trash in the floor. During

invitation Estarling (one of the young men who got saved last month), brought two friends who both placed their trust in Jesus as their Saviour! Amen!



Sunday Teah had the opportunity to pray with the mother of a young man who used to attend faithfully. This was the first service she's come to since we moved here, though she has been invited many times. Pastor Wesley invited her again, and during the Sunday morning service she went to the altar and told Jesus she needed Him to forgive her and save her. What a blessing to witness souls accepting the gift of redemption.

Hillside Mission Group

Our pastor and six other members of our sending church volunteered their time to join us here for the last week of September. They worked hard to put new ceilings on our classrooms and hand out tracts and church pamphlets. I tried out my translating abilities for the first time that week. We are so blessed to have the support of sending church that loves missions.

Our plan at this time is to return to the states in May of 2020 to make the transition to career missions. We are currently booking meetings for Spring of 2020 and fall of 2021 and desire to report to all of our supporting churches. I will be following up this prayer letter with a phone call in the coming weeks. Please pray with us that God would fill our schedule.

Thank you all for praying for us and supporting us!

Your fellow-servants
in the DR,

Josh and Teah

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