

the Showers

FAMILY

TO PARAGUAY



December 2025 Prayer Letter

Praises:

- God's care for the ministry while we were gone.
- Ability to visit 6 churches in the US.
- Wonderful visit with our family, and getting to meet Lauren and Elora.

Prayer Requests:

- Juan's spiritual growth in spite of hardships.
- Fruit from our upcoming kid's event.
- A national pastor to be raised up for Iglesia Bautista La Victoria.

Dear Friends and Family,

As 2025 quickly comes to a close, we want to wish each of you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. They say that time moves faster as one gets older. It sure seems that way, and it is hard to believe another year is at an end. We are thankful for each of you and to the Lord for the work accomplished in Paraguay this past year.

This coming Saturday we will be holding an evangelistic kids' program for Christmas. Our prayer is that neighborhood kids will come (maybe even some parents, too), and that we will have the opportunity to share Jesus with them. One of the ladies in our church has had a burden to work with children, and it is exciting to see her head up this outreach.

In one of our recent letters, we mentioned Juan, a young man who had been attending church and was saved. Please pray for him. He has an incredibly difficult home life and has been forbidden from returning to church. He will be an adult in another year. Our prayer is that his faith will remain strong until he can make the decision for himself to return.

Our four-week trip to the US was very profitable. We were able to visit a supporting church we had not been to in almost ten years. We also presented our ministry in five new churches. And the men who helped care for the work here while we were gone did a great job.

It was a sweet time with family, also. What a joy to meet our daughter-in-law, Lauren. We are thankful for the wife God has given to Matthew. And words cannot describe the love that grew in our hearts as we met our precious granddaughter, Elora. The Lord was in every detail as she was born two days after we arrived. Amelia is loving her job and has made many new friends as well. Sophia just successfully finished her first year in the Paraguayan school system and is excited for her summer break (seasons are reversed here).

Again, we say thank you for your faithful prayers and support for our family and ministry. May it be fruit to your account (Philippians 4:17).

Your Missionaries,

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