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PRAYER LETTER FOR AUGUST 2020

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Dear Friends,

In Psalm 85:6, David asks God: *“Wilt thou not revive us again: that thy people may rejoice in thee?”* Though not a church revival, he did ask God to send a revival in Israel. In the like manner, we asked God for a revival in our ministry this past month of August, and I do believe He answered (and is answering) us!

SOULS SAVED!

We praise the Lord that He allowed us to preach the Gospel in diverse strategic points on Guatemala City. For example, we preached downtown at the Central Park where thousands heard the message of salvation, including the President of Guatemala! We handed out over 500 Book of Romans, witnessed to many folks, and about 25 - 30 asked Christ to forgive them of their sins and save them. One person who prayed to get saved asked if he could help us distribute tracts. Another person said we were the only church that cared enough to come preach during Covid. Please continue to pray that God would save souls and use us for His glory.

MEDICAL WORK

Wow—many patients came to us for help in August. Besides Covid, there are many more health issues during this flu season here. Many of God’s people need our intervention, and we are glad to offer it to them. Please pray we can continue to do so. I have a website page in English for those who prefer a virtual consult:
www.holistichealthlink.com/rev.carlosdonate PS-I am licensed and board certified to offer naturopathic and homeopathic medical advice in all 50 states.

CHURCH ATTENDANCE GROWTH

Though unable to meet in person, our virtual church meetings continue to grow. We have Wednesday night, Sunday morning and Sunday afternoon services. This month we had several visitors watching. I always preach and give an invitation, and 2 of these visitors prayed out loud asking God to save them and forgive them of their sins! We are also seeing many folks who were former members join us. Though we wish we could have our services as before, we are doing the best we can, and God is blessing this. Another revival was to see so many of our deaf brothers and sisters attending our live ZOOM Bible study, even some that had fallen by the way side, and are now beginning to experience the love of God in their lives.

NEW CLASS

One day I noticed a bunch of kids climbing our guava tree, which is located right next to our church building. There must have been about 25 of them trying to grab fresh sweet guavas (this is the season). I came out and told them they were welcomed to do so, but with one condition—that they show up on Saturday afternoon for a Bible class. Their response was “Certainly!” So, one rainy Saturday afternoon I was able to teach them about “Christ, the good Shepherd”, John 10:11. We did so NOT inside the church building itself, but under the parking canopy, distanced, and with masks. Pray for us to continue doing what we can to sow the seed of the Gospel in these dear little ones!

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Friends, we are praying about joining a solid mission board that can provide tax receipts for your contributions and a 1099 each year. We feel this is important for several reasons: greater financial accountability to you, and proper compliance with the IRS tax code. This means we will be receiving your support through that board, and we hope to be able to let you know when this will take place.

Seeking to serve Him every day,



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Psalm 85:8