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Dear Praying Friends,

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Greetings from Nagua! It is our hope that this letter finds you well and enjoying the abundant blessings of the Lord. It is with joy in our hearts that we write this letter to share with you what God has done in Nagua in the month of July.



Vacation Bible School

The first week of July, we received a group from Cornerstone Baptist Church in Missouri City, Texas. They helped us have our first Vacation Bible School and there is no way we could have done what we did without them. We are more than grateful for all their support with visitation, the games, crafts and testimonies that week. We received more than 105 children on our third and last day of VBS; and after being bombarded with the gospel message the previous two days, the vast majority of children (It is difficult to know exactly how many) went to different leaders after the last message and prayed to be saved. What a glorious moment!



Special Activities

The third week of July, a group from a Baptist church from the capital that has established for many years came to Nagua to perform special services dedicated to adults, teens and children. For the adult activity, they preached and performed a drama called 'Black Light Theater' where with illuminating cards, they shared a clear message of the gospel in the dark. We had many show up that we had invited to the church for months and what a joy it was to see them. One of them was the landlord of the building where our church meets, her name Lita. She visited us for the first time and was saved that night! Also, the mother of one of the girls who attends our church on Sundays visited us and told us that her daughter constantly talks about how much she enjoys being in church and how she has learned many good things. If you would please pray that these adults would come back and grow in their faith.



Father's Day

In the Dominican Republic, Father's Day is celebrated on the last Sunday of July. As a church, we prepared a special service to recognize the importance and necessary role of fathers. In a world that screams that fathers are no longer important, we exhorted our visitors (6 fathers, 3 of them for the first time with us) to follow the Biblical principles for the correct functioning of the family, starting with the importance of the father being the spiritual guide of his family. My dear brethren, if I could make a special request, I would ask you to pray for those families in our community, many broken families who urgently need to turn their walk to Christ. Thanks in advance for your faithful prayers and support,

Prayer Requests:

- The discipleship of many new converts.
- Souls saved as we evangelize and preach the gospel.
- That the Lord would provide a van for the Church.
- That we can have a baptismal service soon.
- Teen girl's activity, Princess day, "Stay in the Castle" on August 17



In the love of Christ,

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