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Dear Prayer Partners,

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Greetings from Nagua! Today is Independence Day in the Dominican Republic. It's flag's emblem quotes John 8:32: "And ye shall know the truth..." Our desire is that the Dominican people we reach know the truth and be made free by it.

On February 3rd, by the grace of God, we had the opportunity to start a children's Bible Club in the Pape's driveway. I will tell you that as the days approached for us to start, we felt great pressure in different areas (ministerial and personal). Pastor Pape frequently reminded us that the enemy does not have the desire to see us do something for God. So, for days we felt the devil's constant attacks in different areas, adding to that our human nature, which by itself has no desire to do right. We share this, my dear brothers, to be of encouragement to you. Even in our difficult days, we knew that God was in control, that he had not forgotten about us, and that it was our duty to remain faithful in doing what we had committed ourselves to. When things did not seem to improve, the Lord showed us His hand, flashing a display of (undeserved) blessings on our behalf. Our first day of having the Bible club was perfect (I do not think there is a better word to describe it) and not that we did anything to make it so, but that we knew that the Lord was orchestrating every detail and that we only were the smallest detail in this plan. We were heartbroken to hear many children say that they had NEVER been in a church and yet are excited that we get to reach them with the truth. We have been averaging approximately 17 children in each service. (some days more, other days less) we have heard so far of 9 children who have asked Christ to save them.



Iglesia Bautista Costa del Norte

In our last prayer letter, we had asked you to pray so we could find a place to start having services. We want to share that we found a building! With the help of many people, we were able to make our 6-month deposit that was required and bought 45 chairs for the church. Also, we have been able to clean it, paint it, and begin to set some things in place. There is still a lot of work to be done but we ask you to please pray for us so that we can have our first service in the upcoming weeks. And we will be more than happy to share with you what the Lord does throughout the process. We do not want to say goodbye without telling you that: We certainly serve a wonderful God.

May the peace of God be with you,

Jeffri & Pam Polanco

Answered

Prayers



- ☞ We began our Bible Club.
- ☞ We found a building for the church.
- ☞ The children that got saved.

Prayer

Requests

- ☞ That God would continue to work on the hearts of the people of Nagua.
- ☞ Follow-up on salvation decisions.
- ☞ For us to finish working on getting the church building ready.
- ☞ For favor as we continue to make contacts



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