

HORNOR FAMILY



January - April 2022

JANUARY-FEBRUARY

Our theme verse for this year is Psalm 105:4-5, "Seek the Lord and His strength: seek his face evermore. Remember his marvellous works that he hath done; His wonders, and the judgments of his mouth;"

I was able to attend postgrad classes at IPES. It was a great blessing to be able to study God's Word alongside other pastors and friends.

This month a church from FL provided money to buy four new tires for the church van. We praise the Lord for that and for the opportunity we have to bring people to church from *Guamúchil*.

In February in spite of the pandemic we had a good number of brethren and some visitors at our couple's dinner at church.



Also, the youth group from my father's church from *Navolato* came up to our church's friendship dinner we had with our youth group.



Towards the end of February, my wife and I were invited to minister at a good church in *Mazatlán*. We were there from a Friday to Monday encouraging the youth, women, and men from God's Word.



MARCH-APRIL

We had the opportunity to visit and participate in a supporting church's missions conference in Parker, CO. We had a great three days with them helping by speaking with Hispanics at the food bank and also, we went to visit some contacts made through the food bank ministry.



(Diana sharing her testimony)

Following the missions conference in Parker, CO, we returned to Phoenix, AZ for the annual MGMI staff meetings. They were a great blessing and it was encouraging to see everyone once again.

Also, we were able to bring back a new sound system and microphone for the church. It has really improved the quality of sound during our church services. We praise the Lord for His provision for that need.

Upon arriving back home from the States, I had the privilege of dedicating to the Lord a young couple's baby boy. We continue to pray that the Lord will raise up leaders from our church. Please pray for the little boy and his parents. His father is unsaved, but attends faithfully with his wife.



Also, upon arriving the church family began to prepare the church building for our 25th anniversary conference. Everyone pitched in and a lot was accomplished. We were able to paint the exterior walls of the church, paint and tidy up the apartment, hang two fence doors on church property, and many other smaller details.



For the 25th anniversary we invited the men that God used to begin the church. They are Brother *Joel Sotomayor* and *Tappan Hornor*, my father. It was such a blessing and encouragement to be reminded of God's goodness and faithfulness as He continues to build His church here in *Alhuey*.



Sunrise service

The second week of Spring Break my father's church in *Navolato* holds a three-night, four-day youth rally. Diana and I took our youth down and everyone had a great time hearing God's Word, playing games, and enjoying each other's fellowship. Diana helped in the kitchen and I helped with games and helping the kids be where they needed to be. Some of our young people made decisions so please be in prayer for them. Overall, there were about eighty young people of which 10-15 made decisions.



The following week the church family went to a nearby *rancho* where we spent the day commemorating Christ's vicarious sacrifice on the cross. That Sunday we had our sunrise service at 6:30 am and just about everyone came, even our brethren from *Guamúchil*. After the morning service, we all enjoyed a delicious breakfast, then we had Sunday school, and that was it for the day.



Good Friday at the *rancho*

Praises/Prayer Requests

- Praise the Lord for Faith Baptist of Pensacola, FL for the money for the tires.
- Pray for the married couples in our church. We continue to meet the last Sunday of each month.
- Pray for the spiritual lives of our young people, especially for those who made decisions this past week at camp.
- Pray for a gentleman in our church that professes to be a believer but has not been in church for a long time. Pray also for wisdom as the leaders and I encourage him to do right.
- Pray for us as a church as we seek the Lord's direction regarding the work in *Guamúchil*.
- Pray for the continued outreach efforts in *Angostura* that the Lord's Word would not return void.
- Pray for this Sunday, May 1st, as we will be having a full day. We will meet with the couples after the morning service. Then at 6:00 pm we will be celebrating "Kid's Day" and will have parents visiting and an evangelistic service.
- Pray for spiritual encouragement of the elderly in our church who, due to health reasons, have not been able to attend church.
- Pray for my wife's new Sunday school class. She has all the girls from the ages 12-21 and I have all the young men.

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