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July culminated months of work in preparation for the medical team from Stones Crossing. What a joy to see all my brothers and sisters again. They have such a heart to serve our God in everything. They always surprise me when I see them with such a desire and humility to serve their neighbor in everything. This year I looked for new communities in which to serve. The Lord allowed me to contact many pastors

in areas of much need in the western part of the country. We were able to work together and to organize a space where we could see as many people as possible. This was a central, accessible location, where many who are from inaccessible villages could come. I believe this was one of the busiest weeks to date. Each person was able to see multiple nurses, and the doctors took ample time with each patient. I was very nervous the first day as I saw the waiting line even while the sun was setting. Someone who was so excited as we finished our day said, "We did it!". The exhaustion was palpable. As we traveled home in the bus there was total silence! The Lord blessed us with the opportunity of being able to see more than 1,000 patients during the week. There is much to tell; from the preaching of the Gospel, the children paying close attention to the lessons, the help of the people from Family of Faith, to those who took vacation time to help out. I am choosing instead to tell the story via pictures, videos and testimonials so you can see it more clearly.

Thank you for joining us in prayer during this time. Glory to God for the preaching of the Word of God in the most needed communities in western El Salvador.

Pastor Julio, Matalpa Community:

Well... Blessings... With all my heart, as Pastor of the place where the medical visits took place!

I thank you for your support that you brought to this community. It really was a huge blessing for each person that was a part of this activity...

And not only for the community where the event took place, but also because we were able to reach out to 5 other communities... people came from many different places... And people not only benefited from the medicine, but even more so by the Word of God that was preached. We saw how people received the message! God worked and we will see the fruit in His time...

Many people expressed their gratefulness, shared their experiences, and received the message. The message was presented in such an effective way.

I have no doubt that it was a great victory and we know that our work was not in vain. So to the organizers, missionaries and church, I give many thanks.



Jaycee Green, Testimony



> This year I had the wonderful opportunity to join the Stones Crossing team in El Salvador. It was a true blessing to build relationships with the team of two churches coming together as one to show God's love to the people. My husband, Pastor Mitch, has had many opportunities to serve on mission trips. I am very thankful that we were able to serve and experience this mission together this summer. While I was a bit hesitant at first, because I didn't know how God would use me since I wasn't a physician, I quickly learned that God had a plan and purpose to use each of us specifically to accomplish His work. Working together as the body of Christ, we were able to offer medical help for today, and an eternal hope for tomorrow. This team motto has truly stuck with me since our trip. It has served as a great reminder that

the best thing that I can do to help someone is to share the good news of salvation through Christ alone. I am so grateful for the loving Family of Faith Church, including our host family that so graciously opened their home to us. Thank you for an amazing week that has left an impact on my life and challenged me to live life daily with an eternal mindset.

Lani Jones, testimony



I had the humble privilege of traveling to El Salvador with a medical mission's team, and I served with the children's group alongside youth from the local church. We shared our testimonies and the gospel in multiple forms, and we developed relationships and loved on precious little ones through various activities, games, and of course, playing soccer. I was reminded that we often see God most powerfully through relationships. It is through relationships and community that we experience the infinite love, grace, and mercy of Christ, even if we encounter that individual for only a day. It was also a reminder that we serve a God of the nations, and our brothers and sisters in Christ

transcend any language or cultural differences. Even after leaving El Salvador, the impact of these relationships has continued to shape my heart and has enabled me to experience Him in even more profound ways in my personal walk.

Prayer Requests:

- . Pray for the people who came to the medical clinics. Pray the pastors will be able to have effective follow-up.
- . Pray for discipleship for the new members of Family of Faith
- . Pray for my health
- . Pray for an increase in financial support
- . Pray for the ministry of Family of Faith church

Thank you for always being with me, and encouraging me. Your care and love for me as I minister in this country is a blessing and may God bless you.

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