

Psalm 150:6

“Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.”

It has been a few months since we have written to give you all a ministry update. These past few months have been busy, and it has been wonderful to see God work and move. We have held a few large events in the neighborhood where we are planting the church, and from these events God has brought a faithful group of kids, youth, and adults who have begun attending the church events regularly.

We currently have a core group of 5-6 parents, 20 or so youth, and 5 to 10 kids. These are the ones who come to our weekly prayer time and to the Saturday kids and youth clubs. When we have large events (like the Samaritan's Purse events or a soccer tournament) we tend to get 80-100 people who come and hear the gospel. From those large events God has raised up this smaller group of kids, youth, and adults who have a true desire to learn about the Lord. What a blessing to be able to teach them every week.

My husband and I have a saying, “If all we do is for ONE heart to be changed and come to know the Lord... then it is worth it.” We know God is at work and we are so thankful for this opportunity to serve. So, let's praise the Lord!

We Praise God for:

- The moms who have been helping us serve snack and lead the kids club on Saturdays.
- God's protection during youth group events.
- The new soccer team (youth) who signed up for the tournament and stuck around for the Bible story (they normally only come to play and have no interest in God's Word).
- God's provision for church rent. God has provided offerings from volunteers and people here in Colombia to cover the church rent every month since February.
- The families that are being impacted as the kids, youth, and parents hear God's Word every week.
- That God is changing hearts. We have seen so many changes in the youth since we started, and it can only be attributed to God working in them.



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Youth Group, April 16



SCRIPTURE GAMES Kids Club, April 30



Samaritan's Purse, Operation Christmas Child



During April, May, and June we hosted 3 large OCC events and various small events to hand out shoeboxes and share the Gospel. Through these events over 230 kids and teens heard the gospel. 200 shoeboxes were given (and 30+ extra gifts for the teens).

Although the events were "for the kids," we also had numerous parents attend and many of them have visited our Thursday prayer/Bible study. God used these shoeboxes to impact many families and we are excited to see how he continues to work as we continue the 12 weeks of discipleship curriculum that comes with the shoeboxes.



If you are interested in supporting our ongoing ministry financially with either monthly or one-time giving you can do so in a few different ways.

1) By going online to <https://world-reach.org/> and clicking on "Donate Now" then select "Andrés and Kayla Barreto."

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