

THE BERRIOS



SUMMER CAMP BLESSINGS

During this summer, by the grace of God, we have been blessed to hold several camps at our church's camp facilities. Pastor Apolo, who leads this ministry with a heart devoted to the Lord, has coordinated nearly 12 different camps for youth, adults, and children at the Rasnov camp facilities, located about 25 km from our church. It has been a true blessing for me to visit one of these camps, specifically the one for our children, where nearly one hundred young ones, along with their counselors, enjoyed an extraordinary time during the last week of August, growing in faith and fellowship.



Daría and Fabi Wedding

With great joy in the Lord, we celebrated a special wedding this summer. I had the privilege of officiating the marriage of Daría and Fabi, two exemplary young people who, before God and the church, committed their lives to one another in August. I'm sharing a photo of that special moment here. Please pray for them, that the Lord will abundantly bless them in this new stage of their married life, guiding them in His truth and love.



By God's providence, we have also made progress on significant projects for our church this summer. We finally installed solar panels on the roof of our sanctuary, a decision guided by our desire to be good stewards of the resources the Lord has entrusted to us. As we all know, electricity costs are rising, and with this project, we are not only caring for the environment but also seeking to save on our electric bill. This initiative, along with paving the courtyard for the school operating within our church and installing a heat pump to improve comfort during the winter, has required a significant investment of the congregation's savings. We trust that God will continue to provide for His work.





Together with Pastor Otto Kiss, from the Hungarian community in Braşov, I had the honor of participating as a speaker and counselor at a camp for people with disabilities. The camp was organized by the Braşov protocol in collaboration with Johnny and Friends Association from the United States. What a great blessing it was to serve those who dedicate 365 days a year to caring for their loved ones with disabilities. This camp, designed to provide respite for these individuals, and allowed counselors and volunteers to spend an entire week caring for, encouraging, and sharing Christ's love with them. Glory to God for this opportunity to serve!



With grateful hearts, we announce that we will be visiting our sending church in El Salvador at the end of September. It will be a joy to reconnect with our brothers and sisters at Miramonte Baptist Church, to share in fellowship, and to testify to what God is doing in our congregation.

PRAY

The ministry continues to move forward by the grace of God. Biblical therapeutic counseling and all the ministries of Esperanza Baptist Church in Braşov are being blessed. We ask you to pray for Pastor Claudio Preda and the other five pastors serving in this church. The task is great, but our God is greater. The church is growing for the glory of God, and in September, we will resume two morning services to accommodate the many people who have joined our family of faith in recent months. We deeply appreciate your prayers and support; they are a blessing to us. May the Lord continue to guide and bless you!

Would you partner to provide the support we must raise for the mission of World Reach to serve in Romania?

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