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# RUSSELL family

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Your missionaries to ¡México!



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

As for everyone, this spring/summer has been super busy for us. In May, we visited our home church in Washington State to be part of their missions conference. I was hesitant to bring Sarah, but after much prayer, the Lord gave me the license to do so. It was a good test to see how she was doing with her health and praise the Lord, we saw that He has brought her a long way! Sarah made it to almost the whole thing and even spoke at the ladies' luncheon, but she was struggling a bit by the time we returned to North Carolina. It was a slight challenge for her to recover, but after a week of rest and restarting her treatments, she was ok. It is very encouraging to see how well she is doing overall. Thank you for praying for her! She still needs more treatments, but it shows us the light at the end of the tunnel.

After asking for prayer about the water situation on the property, the Lord provided enough money for a well! So in June, I took a last-minute trip to get the ball rolling on that. It was great to see the state of the church, and Angel and his family. I arrived without notice to the church on a Wednesday night, and 90 percent of the church was there for service; no drop-off of people between Sunday and mid-week service! There was even a new family in both services. Despite our absence, the church is faithful in the work and growing in the Lord! Praise GOD!!!!

While there, I prepared and set up everything for digging the well. It is now completely finished with lots of water available for the future vision the Lord has given us. Thank you to all who prayed and gave towards that project!

Once I got back from Mexico, we went to the annual conference for our missions board, Word for the World Baptist Ministries, in Georgia. I brought the whole family, and once again Sarah was able to attend most of it, along with edifying the ladies during their sessions. I also did some preaching and teaching, and it's a BLESSING to be able to serve in how God desires us to serve, however small or big it may be.

I am going to preach at a teen camp next week, but other than that we are back in the swing of treatments for Sarah, and serving here in North Carolina as we can. The new treatments for Sarah are some big ones; they have been rough, but very needed and beneficial in the end. Our primary goal is longevity on the field, and we are already seeing that she has greatly improved in overall strength and health. We are excited to see how the Lord will use all this, and us, in Mexico when he gives us the green light to go back.

As always, all your love, prayers, and financial support are very, very, very appreciated during this time; and it is not in vain!

Brothers and Sisters, keep up the good fight!

The Russell Family- Adam, Sarah, Kendra, & Braden

## Prayer Requests:

Souls in Mexico, Sarah's health & recovery,  
Angel and the work in Mexico, Praise for the well project

Join Us!



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