

THE MARQUEZ FAMILY

REACHING MEXICO CITY
WITH THE GOSPEL

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“Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us,” -Ephesians 3:20

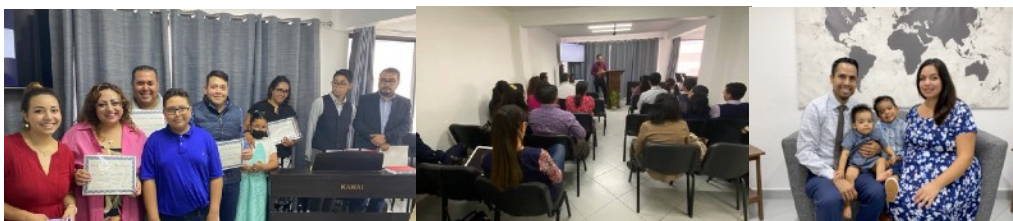
Dear praying friends,

It is a privilege to be servants of God and to enjoy front row seats of all that God is doing through IBNE (Iglesia Bautista Nueva Esperanza). We want to thank you all for keeping us in your prayers and for sacrificially giving every month so that we can dedicate our full attention to the mission field.

Last prayer letter, we asked if you could pray about new families joining our church. Praise the Lord, they did join the church and it was a smooth transition. God has provided a strong core of believers in our church that are willing to serve Him unconditionally. Many are participating in soul-winning, teaching, cleaning, and music ministries! We have had several new visitors over the past few months including some who have returned. We have also had 2 more baptisms.

We have quickly outgrown the offices we were renting now and have already found another place about 10 minutes away from where we are now. It is in a great location in a corner on a busy street with plenty of street parking. In order to prepare this location for our church to meet, it will have to undergo a building project. The location is an open space so we need to build rooms with drywall to meet our needs for a nursery, kids class, teen class, kitchen, etc. If you would like to be a part of this building project, please let us know. We need to raise \$9,000 USD, which includes all the materials, 40 extra chairs, a mini kitchen, and the moving costs. Our first service will be on October 2, 2022 so we are hoping to raise enough funds this month to be able to finish the project in time for October. If you would like to give toward this project you can give through <http://www.bimi.org/giving/home.php> (Missionary #1583), or the quickest way to receive funds would be through Venmo (@Esteban-Marquez-3). We are so thrilled of all God is doing and can't wait to share with all about our new location as a church.

We are doing well as a family enjoying every minute of our ministry here in Mexico City. Please pray for our kids as they got sick recently with what we believe is hand, foot, and mouth disease. Sebastian is starting pre-school at home and Andres will be walking and talking any time now. Thank you for your faithfulness to the Lord and for your constant encouragement to us.



Fun Fact

Mexico City is divided into 16 sections, each with their own laws and standard of living.

Prayer Requests

- Spiritual and numerical growth as we begin new ministries.
- A smooth transition into our new church location
- That God provides the finances for the move

Announcements

- Our church is moving locations!

Blessings

- We have included families to our church membership
- We have grown and are transitioning to a new location
- We signed a contract to rent a bigger location for the church
- I got to baptize two young people from our church

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