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## BONIKOWSKY

BAPTIST CHURCH PLANTING MISSIONARIES IN THE BASQUE REGION OF NORTHERN SPAIN

## Recent Highlights

- On February 25th, we had our 41st intensive institute of the Bible. Since our first one in 1998, we have offered over 200 hours of Bible study for our believers. The Lord has blessed the effort, and it is now common for Christians from other churches in Spain to come for the fellowship and teaching.
- On the 31st of March, Chuck Clute arrived with another Berean team—a very unique one! The main focus of this group was for six ladies to sew covers on the cushions that went on the benches built by an earlier Berean team. What a blessing to see the ladies sewing away for days, leaving behind another job well done, one that will be used and appreciated by many people from now on.
- In April, and for the first time ever, our church sent out a mission team. Three of our young adults went to Morocco for a week to help one of our missionary families.



## www.countingthestars.org

On the third weekend of March, we had the Moyano family in for a special missions emphasis.

Manolo and his family have been missionaries to Uruguay for many years, with a special focus on the Jews. Our Living Hope BC congregation has supported them for a dozen years or so.

They showed many pictures of the ministry and answered questions from the believers-most of whom had not met them.

I also took advantage of the opportunity to video record Manolo's salvation testimony. It turned out really well and is up on the church website. Be aware that it is in Spanish—if you have unsaved friends that could benefit from it, have them go to the following link:

www.iglesiagoierri.org

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It is wonderful to see the Gospel continue to be preached as churches reproduce churches all over the world.



DR. ROBERT BELL. It was a special privilege recently to have my favorite seminary professor here for a visit. His son and family brought him to Aierdi, and we had a celebration meal for his retirement from 50 years of teaching.

Rosi Minguez de los Reyes



Jesús dijo:

el que cree en mí, aunque esté muerto, vivirá.

ROST WITH THE LORD. We had our first funeral in 20 years! That sounds almost incredible, but for so many years, our ministry was tiny. Rosi was one of our first converts, from the mid-90s. She is now resting in Jesus.



JULIAN & DANIELA. It was a blessing to marry these two young adults in March. They have plenty of worldly baggage to process but are now saved, baptized, and growing in the Lord. Thank you for praying for them!