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Dear prayer partners,

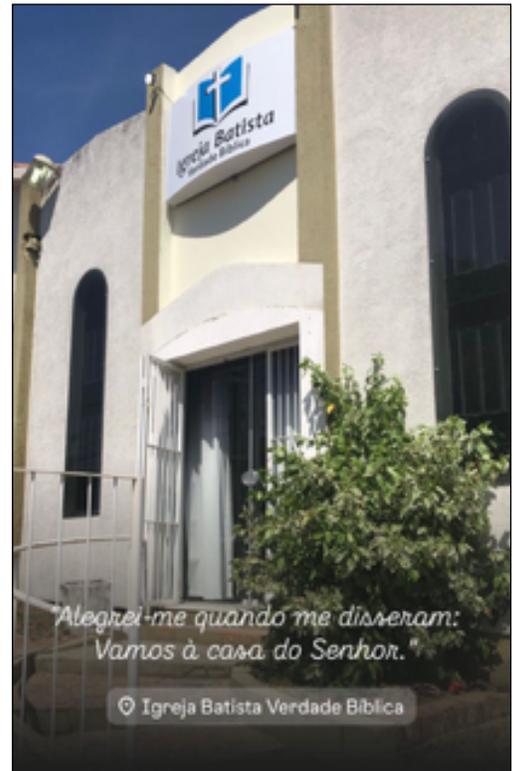
Praise the Lord for a tremendous summer camp. It was wonderful to have an atmosphere separated from the distractions of the world and a place for good friendships to develop and hear challenging preaching. It was a blessing to be challenged to be “rooted in Christ.” We were so glad to see two girls from our church participate! During the week, we saw a girl at camp receive assurance of her salvation, and two young men make professions of faith. We continue to pray for the growth of our teen girls, **Emylly and Thayana**.



This past weekend, we had another Cojubinha—an exciting youth night for our teens and neighboring churches. We had a great group come out, and our prayer is for their spiritual growth and faithfulness to the Lord!



We received a specific gift toward the purchase of our church building; thank you Triumph Baptist Church. We praise the Lord that the funds are all in place to purchase the church. The church has been working through learning about membership and doctrinal agreement as we move towards formalizing the congregation into an autonomous church. By the end of April, we should have a list of those who have read and signed the doctrinal statement of faith for our church. Please pray as we work through his exciting process.



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Last month I began giving English lessons to a friend from the gym. I have been praying for opportunity and boldness in witnessing and went to our first lesson with English books and an Evagecube. After our lesson, I asked about her spiritual background, and soon after, I had the opportunity to share the gospel with her using the Evagecube. She listened carefully and was open to receiving material (Bible studies) from me. After our second lesson the following week, she mentioned that over the weekend, she went to visit her aunt and that this aunt had converted from Spiritism to Christianity. She was struck by her aunt's peace and the reflection that Spiritism focuses a lot on death. Please pray for my continued interactions with her. We meet on Tuesdays.



The Lord has given me many more opportunities to share the gospel—one man at a store where I needed to purchase a water heater and cousins **Marco Antonio, Jonas, Guilherme**, and others on a trip I took with my parents to see our relatives. Please pray for boldness and faithfulness in sharing the gospel.

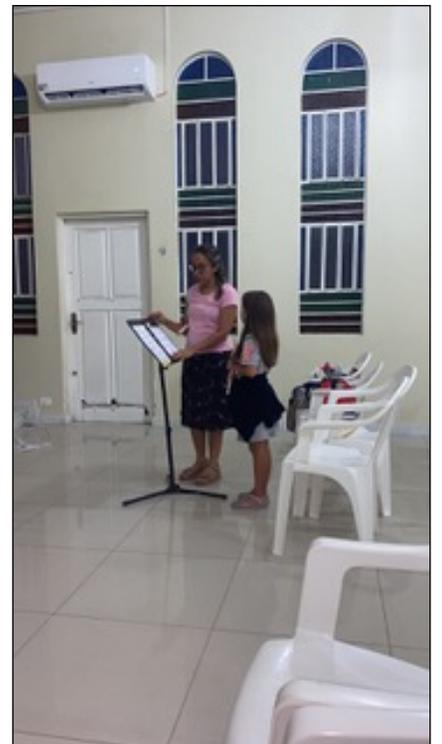
Recently, **João Pedro**, a young man who is visiting our church, met with Br. Mike regarding different questions he had about Christianity. It was such a blessing to hear he placed his faith in Christ! He and Br. Mike will be meeting on Saturdays to begin studying the Bible together.

We have had several visitors come out to the church. **Simone** lives a couple of streets from the church and seems to have an evangelical background. Sunday, we had a couple from another evangelical church who were open to coming back to services and receiving a visit to their home. Please pray that we can hear their testimony of salvation or help lead them to Christ.

Starting this month, I will initiate an individualized music program for those interested in learning to read music to develop our church music program. I appreciate your prayers for this project!

Thank you for praying for us, for the ministries here, and for our church growth.

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