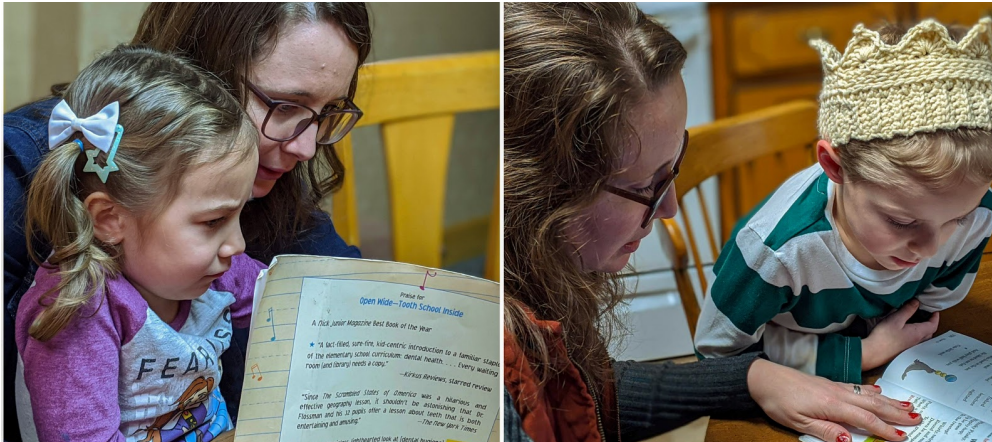


GERMANO FAMILY UPDATE

MARCH & APRIL 2020



LOOKING BACK

We were able to finish our regularly scheduled furlough meetings before churches were unable to meet in person. We spent the first Sunday at our sending church for a chance to connect with them once again and for them to “re-commission” us to return to the field. We also presented in a new church plant in Newport News, VA as well as a mission’s conference in King George, VA. We began preparations for our return to the field during March, but like most plans, the Covid-19 virus and closures altered our plans to return to the field on April 2. During the quarantine, we have been able to continue the kids’ schooling as well as minister virtually in a few churches as well as at New Life Baptist Church in the Dominican Republic where we served for our first term. We are also grateful that God’s timing is perfect as we were able to be with Stephanie’s family during the passing of her grandfather. He went home to be with the Lord just two days after we would have left for the field. We are blessed by his testimony and are thankful for God’s comfort and peace.

LOOKING FORWARD

Our return plans to the Dominican Republic are on hold until the country reopens to foreigners. We are doing our best to prepare as we wait. Please join us in prayer for the needs of the members at New Life as well as the national pastors and churches throughout the country. Many have been affected by the economic situation all around the world, and things are more difficult for those in third world nations. Also, we hope that you take time to visit our website and view a number of video updates and articles that we have published since our last prayer letter. Thank you again for your faithful support for our family during these difficult days.



PRAISES

- Safety during our furlough and during the quarantine time
- Finished our last meeting the week before Covid-19
- Opportunities to help minister online here and in the DR

PRAYER NEEDS

- Many needs in the Dominican Republic as a result of Covid-19
- Wisdom for when to return to the field

SUPPORT LEVEL

98%

VIDEO UPDATES

- Please visit our website for our recent video updates