

# GERMANO FAMILY

## DOMINICAN REPUBLIC



### LOOKING BEHIND

Thank you for your prayers for our busy but beneficial short furlough to begin 2025! We were able to give an update in over twenty of our supporting churches as well as present the work in one new church. It is a privilege to share about God's plan for missions as well as encourage fellow believers to do their part in seeing the Great Commission fulfilled. We want to thank the Lord for His protection during our travels as well as for His provision for our needs, and we want to praise Him for the sweet time with family and friends that He gave us throughout the trip. The work in Barahona continued going forward during our absence. The church members all joined together in continuing to serve the Lord during our furlough. We returned safely on February 27th and were able to jump back in to the work. We want to thank you all for your prayers for our visas. We turned in all of our paperwork in August 2024 for permanent residency. God opened the door for us to be able to apply for this visa even when so many things had changed after we moved to the country in 2015. Just this week, we had our final appointment, and we are now permanent residents of the DR!

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During our trip, we received final approval for the recognition of the incorporation for the church, and now that we have our visas and identification cards, we are wrapping up the last step so that we can purchase property for the church. Please pray as we finish this final process as well as for wisdom and provision for the future home for the ministry. We are excited about continuing to serve the Lord here at Iglesia Bautista Dios con Nosotros in Barahona. Please pray as we began various outreaches in the coming months in the church that we were unable to do these past few months.

In Christ,  
The Germanos



*Elena's presentation at a Christian school*



*Tim's report on the work in the DR*