

Dysert Ministry Update

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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- Souls!
- Sunday Bible studies on Baptist Distinctives and Galatians 6
- Praying in homes on Thursdays

Special requests:

- Parental Needs
- Car Replacement Fund
- Jose's recovery
- Nic's college choice and finding tickets to fly him there in August

PRAISES:

- Jose Reimundo's life!
- Visiting parents!
- Faithful car!
- Nic's music is improving, and he was accepted to Wheaton's conservatory. Still awaiting word from Cedarville.
- Lydia now 16 and inducted into NHS!
- Special visitors!
- Maria and Marwan engaged and awaiting paperwork to wed.

Heart Matters...

It's Pi(e) Day! So Lydia, our now 16-year-old daughter who was recently inducted into the National Honor Society, gets to take her Dad's famous cheese pie. This quarterly update is one of PRAISE to God for His care of us in areas that matters to us: personal health, family matters, safety on the job, and his providential care. Many of you regularly pray for Alice's folks, Hazen and Marcie Boyd, and for Tim's folks, Ray and Toni Dysert. What a wonderful surprise in January for a friend to fly Tim home

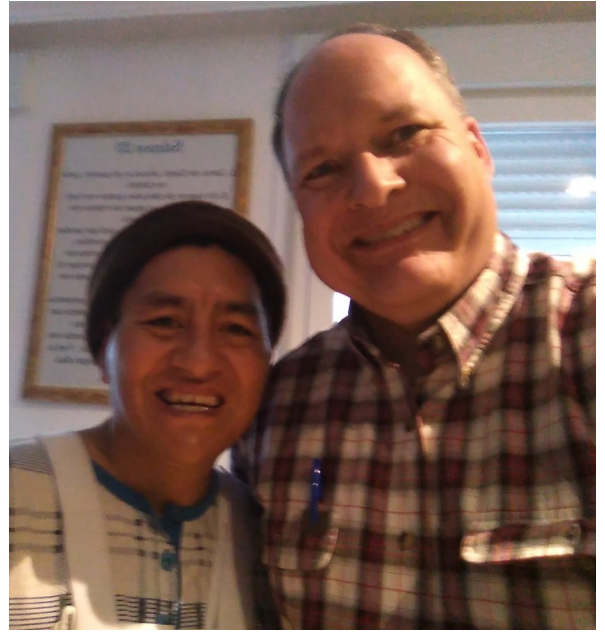
to be with his dad for his 80th birthday! Tim got to spend a week at home with three of his sisters, which Ray said was the best birthday present of his entire life. Alice is currently in MA with her mom and dad, helping with meals and driving them wherever they need to go, making it possible for her sister, Amy, to get away for a week or so. We thank God for His wonderful care of our parents and those that do the caring every day. Please pray that God would keep caring for them, as some important decisions need to be made now.

We took a picture of Lydia by our car, because our mechanic has told us that it is time to replace it. We have had it since Lydia was 4 years old! It has served us well for over 12 years and 368,000 kms, but now it is consuming oil at a fast pace and just not able to meet the needs of our family and ministry. Would you consider helping us with the cost of replacing it, please? We have set aside \$4500 for this, but need quite a bit more to replace it with a reliable car. Additionally, the government has put regulations into place that restrict driving in and around the center of Madrid and, beginning tomorrow, they are going to begin fining people who are not conforming to the new norms. The global warming crowd have convinced the powers that be that it is time to act, moving to get older cars and diesel motors off the road. If you want to read more about this, follow the link at the end of this letter. But for now, we urgently need to replace our old, diesel car and are asking the Lord to provide. A car fund has been set up at BWM, so if you can help us please specify that you are wanting to assist with the Dysert Car Replacement Fund. We hope to buy a 2017 Toyota Auris Hybrid Sporting Wagon, a vehicle that has another year of manufacturer's warranty, 68,000 kms, and comes with an ECO sticker, which means Alice can continue to use the same chiropractor and park right outside the office. Starting tomorrow, drivers of non-electric or non-hybrid cars must use public parking garages and walk or use public transportation to get to their destination. Thank you in advance!!



Continue in prayer, and watch in the same with thanksgiving... (Col. 4:2)

We thank God for his providential care! In January one of our key men, Jose, went in for a stress test and the doctors discovered that he had three nearly completely blocked arteries. We were all shocked as Jose is young! They immediately hospitalized him and put him under special care. About 10 days later they performed the surgery and God used these skilled doctors to meet Jose's need. How we thank God! His wife, Blanca, and daughter, Maria, are caring for him, helping him wash and walk. He just had 120 staples removed from his chest and leg and is now slowly recovering. Pray for Jose and Blanca! We are expecting some difficult days ahead, but are thanking God for his care for his own. Another one of our other men, Efrain, works for Cabify and just went through a difficult time as all the taxi drivers in Madrid went on strike to complain about the presence of other services like theirs here. There were several instances of violence towards other drivers, but the Lord kept Efrain safe. We praise God!



Very close to our hearts are our children. Stephen continues looking for a job. His senior film was accepted into this year's Christian Film Festival in Nashville, where he is right now, looking for contacts and job opportunities. Philip is working hard at BJU and is in his Junior year. His girlfriend, Kate Peterson, was in a bad car accident this week in which her car was totaled, but she is okay. Nicolas has been practicing every day for at least 3 hours and has submitted all of his required music pieces to both Cedarville and Wheaton. He has been accepted into the Wheaton music conservatory and as a student at Cedarville, but we are waiting for word concerning his acceptance into Cedarville's music program and are waiting to compare the financial packages. What a big decision! We have watched God care and provide for us and our children and are doing our best to teach them to not doubt the Lord and his special care for his own. Lydia turned 16 on Valentine's Day and continues to share her love and energy with whomever the Lord brings across her path. Thank you for praying for our kids and for us during these years of separation with some and change with others.

During the first three months of this year God brought wonderful ministry partners and friends our way to come see the church plant and to spend time with and encourage us. How wonderful to see Torrey and Jalene Jaspers, Cindy Bunker, Mike and Stacey Allen, and David and Jennifer Willis and their kids. We got to share the work in Soto del Henares with all of them and show them how Torrejon is booming right now with industrial and economic growth, which is drawing more people to come live in the area. Please pray for us as we reach out into the community and seek to share Christ with more people. Please also pray for those God has given us to work with already: Efrain and Martha and their kids Benjamin and Belen, Jose and Blanca and their daughter, Maria, who is engaged to a Moroccan pastor named Marwan (together they are waiting for the paperwork giving them permission to wed), and Rosa and her daughters, Luz and Paula. Of course, pray for the Dyserts remaining, including Nic and Lydia as they help with music and teaching every week. We praise God for how he is working and thank God for YOU. May the Lord find us faithful in the work he has called us to.

For hearts in the heart of Spain,

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