

Dear family in Christ,

It's a joy to share with you all that the Lord is doing here in Bolivia, especially in Santa Cruz de la Sierra, where we are currently based. It has now been over half a year since we arrived, and we have fully settled into life and ministry here. We praise the Lord for the many opportunities He's given us to serve the Lord here in Bolivia.

A new trimester has begun at Centro Biblico de la Gracia (Grace Bible Center or CBG), the Grace Ministries International (GMI) affiliated Bible school in Bolivia, where Brian is teaching his second course. During the first trimester, he taught "Dispensations 1," and he's currently teaching "New Testament 1."

In addition to teaching, Brian is also preaching regularly at one of the local GMI-affiliated churches. Our family has intentionally decided to support this church to help it grow and to continue equipping its leaders. The church is called Casa de Misericordia, which translates to House of Mercy in English. It's a small congregation with a lot of young people, and we see great potential there. Many of these young people are being trained at CBG, which has encouraged us even more to come alongside them, as we see their genuine desire to know the Lord and His Word more deeply.

Brian is also helping the worship team with their organization, and he occasionally leads worship on Sundays. His goal is to guide and encourage them to worship the Lord not only through music, but through service and a heart fully devoted to God.















At the same time, both Brian and Gloria are involved in the church's soccer outreach ministry, led by Jorge, the main pastor. Pastor Jorge teaches soccer to children from the neighborhood and shares the gospel with them during each training session.

Gloria is especially happy to be meeting on Saturdays with the young women and teenage girls from the church. They gather to spend time in fellowship and to study God's Word together. We truly believe the Lord is with us in every area where we are serving, and we are deeply encouraged by the opportunities He's placed before us.

Whenever possible, we also enjoy connecting with other churches in the area. Both of us have had the opportunity to share God's Word in various churches, and Gloria has also spoken at women's gatherings when invited to bring a message from Scripture.

Please continue to pray for the GMI-affiliated churches in Santa Cruz de la Sierra, as well as those in the cities of La Paz and Cochabamba. Pray that the Lord would keep working and that the Gospel of God's Grace would continue to grow and be proclaimed throughout the country. Pray also for the future leaders who are currently being trained and equipped at CBG.

With love and gratitude,

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