

## **Grace Ministries Around the World**

November-December 2013

- The Hunts arrived in the Nether-lands at the beginning of September. Since their arrival Clare and Nedra have served the Papiamento-speaking congregation of Grace Bible Church in Almere through their Bible teaching ministry. They are impressed by the warmth, sincerity and hunger of the people who want to both grow as individuals and as a church. Clare and Nedra are now making plans for the next phases of their ministry in Curacao and Bonaire early next year.
- Grace Ministry of Bonaire celebrated its inaugural service on September 8 with 15 people in attendance. Carlos and Denise Brunk were encouraged by the 30 people who also attended an evangelistic event the night before at which they showed the movie "Fury to Freedom" and shared the gospel.
- Campamento del Caribe welcomed two new members to the camp's board. Pastor Miguel Ortiz and Joe Palmer, who are both from Puerto Rico, traveled with Camp Director, Jerry Olson, to Michigan in October for a board meeting. This began the transition from a board based in Michigan to a Puerto Rican board.
- The Muellers spent time in Brazil from August 13 through September 19. During their trip Ken and Mary traveled 15,000 miles. They encouraged many believers they had served alongside during their residential ministry in Bra-



Ken Mueller proclaiming God's Word in Brazil

zil—many of whom they had not seen since 1982. Ken had many speaking opportunities and they both enjoyed times of fellowship and renewing relationships. They were also able to field test some of Ken's writings in order to improve the syntax, spelling and diction.

 Joel Molina visited Zambia October 2 through 17. His doctor cleared his trip which indicates a continued improvement in the health of his heart. While in Zambia Joel was able to speak at several churches. He was encouraged to see local churches that are thriving and actively ministering in their communities. Joel was also able to meet with several church leaders and pastors counseling them and encouraging them in their faith. Towards the end of his trip he was able to meet with the National Council of the Grace Church in Zambia to share his vision for ministry with them.



Several missionaries who have recently been traveling to conferences in the Pacific Northwest

- Kennedy Simtowe and his wife Sofia recently attended missions conferences in Oregon, Washington, and Idaho. Kennedy and Sofia are from Tanzania. This is Sofia's first time in the States and she has thoroughly enjoyed the fellowship at the churches she has visited and with the other missionaries with whom she is traveling.
- Emiliano and Raquel Seravalli finished their missionary training with International teams in Costa Rica on November 2. The 12-week training has been a real blessing to them which has allayed many of their fears as they prepare for their ministry in Nicaragua. They will move to Nagarote, Nicaragua, in February 2014 joining Jeff and Sally Roth who are in their last trimester of language school and will move there in January.
- Missionaries on the Move. Bill and Sue Vinton arrived in Malawi in mid-September. They have been building relationships with and investing in the leaders of the Grace Church of Malawi while at the same time assessing the church's spiritual needs and how

the Lord can best use them. Aimee Johnson landed in Bolivia to begin her ministry at the end of July. She has visited several churches in Santa Cruz and has met many ministry leaders.

- Kaylah Fosnot will leave for Puerto Rico to begin her first term as a GMI missionary at the end of December. She has been on the road the past couple of months visiting churches and potential supporters. She is eager to begin her after-school ministry to atrisk youth in Puerto Rico as she shares with them the gospel of Jesus Christ.
- Brett and Debby Chapman were approved as GMI missionary candidates at the October GMI board meeting. Brett and Debby attend Grace Bible Church in Palm Bay, Florida, where they have worked with the youth and have served in several other ministry roles. Their desire is to serve in Nicaragua after they raise their support and attend language school.



Brett, Debby, Chloe, and Liliana Chapman