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I pray that you all are doing well as we make our way through this pandemic. Our friends in Mexico are in much the same boat as we all are. Mexico City and most of the other areas have just opened up so a few people can gather for worship in a church building.

I just wanted to take a moment to ask for some special prayers. Pastor Luis Moreno has developed some type of tumor on his brain that has been affecting his eyesight.

Luis has been a member of Betania Lutheran Church in Rio Bravo for many years. He worked in construction, was part of the worship band, and generally an active leader in the church. When Betania decided to open a mission in one of the suburbs of Rio Bravo, Luis became one of the leaders of that church, El Mesias, and led the worship services. He has been studying theology under Rev. Steve Morfitt, Rev. Richard Schlak, and others connected with the Hispanic theological training. Recently he has enrolled in the FPH (Formation of Hispanic Pastors – like our SMP) program through our seminary in the Dominican Republic.

He has been in contact with the doctors and Social Security Insurance program since November. This coming Tuesday at 8 A.M. he will finally meet with the neurosurgeons in Monterrey. We ask for your prayers and support for Rosario and Luis Moreno.



*Rosario and Pastor Luis
Moreno*



My second prayer request is for the Lutheran Synod of Mexico's online zoom meeting with all leaders invited to participate in a discipling program called "Un plan simple para unirnos a Jesus en su misión." ("A simple plan to join Jesus in His mission.") The zoom meeting will take place on April 10, 2021 from 5:00 – 7:00 PM. At this point between 60 and 70 people will be participating. Rev. Greg Finke and Rev. Omar Garza will serve as hosts. KIMA is sponsoring this program. We ask for prayers that will open people's hearts to step up and become part of participating in fulfilling the Lord's Great Commission of going and making disciples.

Blessings to each of you,

Rev. Norman Finke, KIMA