

## Mission Report from San Luis Rio Colorado Sonora, México.

Dear friends, I am happy to continue serving the San Mateo Church and my community by sharing the gospel to others.

Thank God our church is growing day by day. New people have come to our congregation. Now we have two new families attending regularly, and 3 others that we begin to know.



The music sounds good, and our worship is well attended every Sunday, now is the time to teach and work in the congregation join.

This year we hope to do a summer school, we were concerned about the time because KIMA would help us with BVS material. But Thank´s to God this past week we received the material. Now the question is how to be enable BVS?

We have material for three missions and the local church, but do not have sufficient resources to cover all expenses for gas to go to the missions. One of the missions that I attend is ejido Fronterizo, is around 40 miles from city, in the middle of the desert, There we have a group of about 20 adults and 15 children. It is a small village of just 500 habitants and about 150 children.



I go there every Thursday afternoon, I can see this people needing God's love and our blessings.

We had brought food, rice, beans, oil, and other things there and 2 other missions in same conditions.

In January we receive from the hands of Bruce and Dot a generous helping of food who help us to share it by FOUR MONTHS!!!.

Now here is difficult time for them at the Ejido Fronterizo, Independence and Mesa Rica , our three missions, because they live thanks to temporary work camp, now summer is here and with it come the end of work.

Now we just have rice and oil, I pray to God you have feel in you hearts to support the poor in Mexico.

But they not only need food, they also need to hear the gospel, that is why we will have a BVS in each place, this by faith, because each car trip is synonymous by \$ 20 of gasoline and other expenses like bring candys or something to share with the children.

This July we hope to have two BVS, one in san luis and the other in Ejido Fronterizo. And in August have the other two at King Of Glory Mission and Santo Tomas.

For the two first BVS will cost us about 400 dollars on gas and other expenses. We have half using the offerings of the congregation. I hope and I trust in the Lord to take the rest of this month to work on this project.

I am also very happy because despite everything, I have a team of volunteers from the congregation of 10 people Glory to God leading by me and my brother in Law Saul and his wife, my sister Sofia.

By other way I'm excite because we keep working on our academic preparation to be pastor, LBCM continues to support us with the Bible Institute, this month started a new subject called History of the Church. How beautiful to see how God through

time has arrived for his gospel is proclaimed in the midst of adversity.



We also continued our studies at the Fortwayen Seminary taking the subject, Luke

and Acts. Jehoshaphat is advancing in his studies, and attending two missions as a lay pastor, this week his car broke down brake system, is its very old car that accompanies every Monday and Saturday one hour drive to meet the missions, the



repair is rather expensive for him, because he works in the taxi and his payment per day go from 5 to 10 dollars. We pray that he can repair his car, it will cost about 80 dollars.

Do not forget us in your prayers, because I have new responsibilities such as the Secretary of the Synod Lutheran Mexico, but my heart burns to follow in my country preaching the word of God, pray to God guide me in his way and supply what we need for his honor and his glory.

If you have interest in be part of our needs, I will appreciate a lot.

“For as the body is one, and hath many members, and all the members of that one body, being many, are one body: so also is Christ.” 1 Cor. 12:12

“And whether one member suffer, all the members suffer with it; or one member be honoured, all the members rejoice with it. Now ye are the body of Christ, and members in particular.” 1 Cor 12:26-27



Some Kids playing at Pentecost Sunday Service.





Maria, My Mom's Say: Thank you Pastor Don Smidt and Connecting Generations and all people behind you for your generous help to will do my surgery, I working to get down my sugar levels to will do it, I pray this month I can!!