

Dear pastors and praying friends,

There has been so much going on lately that I'm not even sure what day or month it is! This prayer letter will give you information on some people who have recently been saved, info on our building situation, and a prayer request as we head into the last 13 months of our first term.

Salvations

God allowed us to see several people saved in the last few months. First was a woman named Margarita, Brayan's grandmother. He had been sharing the gospel with her for some time, and she wanted to come to church and talk to his pastor, which is me. After talking for about 45 minutes, she trusted Christ! Praise the Lord, and what an example that we all need to be sharing our faith with our family. Veronica comes to church with her two sons: Camilo, 15, and Benjamin, 10. We set up a discipleship with their whole family, including her husband, Gabriel. He has attended church two or three times. In the first discipleship session, Veronica and Camilo were both saved! Gabriel, a Catholic, has trouble believing that "simply praying one time" can forgive all his sins, but he is warming up to the Bible. Please pray for his salvation, as well as Benjamin's.

Building

Stop me if you've heard this before, but I think we are at the last hurdle before we can sign to buy our building. We are waiting on one last document from the government, which will be ready on Sept. 19, though our lawyer thinks he can pressure them to get it sooner. Please pray for this document, because once we have it, we can sign within 2-3 days.

Once we finalize the purchase, we will need to remodel the house to be suitable for church use. This process will take about \$25,000 USD, so please pray with us about that need.

**If you would like to give and help toward the construction costs,
you can send an offering to:**

Vision Baptist Missions P.O. Box 647 Dawsonville, GA 30534

Attn: Grace Building - Kyle Shreve

*(Please make all checks payable to Vision Baptist Missions
and include "Grace Building - Kyle Shreve" in the memo.)*

13 months to go

Lord willing, we will be taking a furlough in October 2027, which means we have about 13 months left on the field. For us to leave behind an established work that can survive without us, we need three things:

1-A congregation. The church has continued to grow, and we are currently averaging about 50 people on Sunday morning, and we are packing out our current space. Please keep praying for the church to grow and for people to be saved.

2-A building. We are in the process of buying one, and we already have the needed money for that in hand. We do not, however, have all we need to remodel the building, so please keep that in prayer.

3-A pastor. By God's grace, we have two men (Marcos and Alfredo) who are in training for pastoral ministry. Marcos is 39, and Alfredo is 24. We are meeting as a team on a weekly basis for leadership training and service on top of their studies in the seminary and their service in the church. Marcos especially has taken a real liking to discipling others. This is the biggest, and often hardest, part of establishing a local church. Please pray for these two men, as they will likely carry a large part of the pastoral load once we are on furlough.

We have 13 months to have these things in place to the point that they will be able to stand and thrive without us. It's scary but exciting to think about where we've come in the last 3 years and what God could keep doing!

In Christ



Kyle, Hannah, Isabella, Isaiah, Isla Shreve



Margarita



Veronica (left)



Camilo

