

The Tyler Family



Reaching the World Through Brazil... Acts 1:8

Dear Prayer Partners,

January 2022

What a blessing it has been to have you as our partners in the most wonderful work on earth. The Lord has answered many prayers regarding His work here in Cacoal and we would like to share some of the blessings with you as we ask for your continued intercessions for us.

In December we had a Christmas Concert where we presented the Christmas story as well as about 10 special instrumental arrangements of Christmas hymns. Typically, Brazilians know very few Christmas carols or hymns, so we wanted to expose them to some hymns that would reinforce the Christmas story. We emphasized through this that Jesus was born to die. The Lord answered prayers and our auditorium was full. This gave us a few more contacts to follow up on and friendships to develop. One of the families that visited is a daughter and son-in-law to one of our faithful ladies. They have since returned and another one of her daughters has also visited several times. What a blessing it is to see God's people getting involved in reaching their own families as well as others also.

On the first Sunday of the new year, we started Sunday School. We started with three different classes. We have a main class, a children's class, and we have started a class for the deaf also. It seems to me that our group thrives on studying the Bible. Last week our Sunday School lasted nearly two hours, and nobody seemed anxious to get home.

My mother, Pam Tyler, has been a great help in getting a deaf ministry started. For the moment, we only have one deaf lady attending. Her name is Raquel, and she has been out of church for many years. Right now, she is very eager to be in church and learn everything possible. Our son, Judson, has also taken interest in learning sign language. Though he already knows quite a bit, he has been taking an online class and will soon be helping with some interpretation responsibilities. Please pray that God will help us reach many deaf people here in Cacoal.

I would also like for you to pray for Sixto Ramón. He is Venezuelan. A few weeks ago, he was walking by the church on Sunday morning when my father invited him to join us. He accepted the invitation and already had his Bible with him. He knows his Bible well and was eager to participate in the class, challenging those who were present. Though living a very simple life with little means, he has expressed an interest in learning more as well as growing spiritually. Pray God will work in his life as we teach him the Bible. He has an excellent testimony and seems to be a hardworking man.

A few days ago, we decided it was necessary that we expand our current seating capacity and enlarge our auditorium. Since all the walls in the building are just office dividers, we were able to make the change in one day. We have already purchased another 15 chairs to help us seat extra people. God is working and we are excited about what He is doing. The growth is slow, but this gives us time to ground those who are already attending. Please help us pray as we have many visits to make. I have preached quite a bit on salvation in order to strengthen the faith of those who already have trusted Christ as their Savior. There are many unsaved people all around us, but we are prayerfully equipping those God has given to help in this work.

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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jeremy Tyler".

"And the Lord added to the church daily such as should be saved."

II Corinthians 7:5

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