

The Tyler Family



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

Dear Prayer Partners,

September - October 2025

The end of our furlough is quickly approaching! As we near our return to Brazil, there are many things on our minds. We have been encouraged, strengthened spiritually, and we are returning to the field with a fresh vision for the future.

You, the people who pray for us, have been the highlight of our furlough. There is nothing more comforting and reassuring than arriving at a church that knows all about our lives, our children, and the ministry the Lord has entrusted to us. God is answering your prayers! We have truly enjoyed the fellowship and the reminder that you are interceding both for us and for the Lord's work that is being done in Cacoal.

Our church has been looking at property to purchase since very early this year. Many of you have prayed with us about this. God has answered your prayers. We purchased a piece of property this week that is around 17,400 square feet. This will give us plenty of space to build a place of worship, Sunday School classrooms, a kitchen, and still give us room for outdoor activities for the kids. The dreaming phase has begun! There will be many ideas brought up about how to use the property. We look forward to using it for God's glory.

As for the building itself, we already have around \$20,000 set aside for this purpose. God has blessed our people and they have given generously. We will now start preparing and planning for the building phase which may take us a few years. Meanwhile, we will start by putting a wall up around the property, working with engineers and architects on the blueprints, and using the property for activities and outreach in the neighborhood.

Recently, one of the native Indian missionaries we are working with shared some information on the persecution they are facing in the tribe. Some of the tribal leaders have demanded that all Christian translation be put to a stop. There have been some accusations that children were being forced to become Christians. The tribal leaders are putting pressure on all involved. The translation of the Jesus film is currently in the recording phase. Many are afraid that if they help in the translation or recording, they will suffer consequences. Others are excited and willing to risk their reputations to help spread God's Word in their language. Please pray that God will raise up men and women who will take a stand and continue this work. Though it has not yet escalated to physical persecution, there are some possible repercussions. They need our prayers.

We have a pretty full schedule for our last week of furlough. We have a meeting in North Carolina, then a weekend conference in West Virginia before driving back to Tennessee to finish out with our home church for their mission conference. On October 31st we will fly out of Chattanooga and arrive home late on Saturday night (November 1st).

Home is in sight! We will hit the ground running as we prepare for the end of the year and Christmas activities. I have several strategy meetings scheduled and I plan to make a visit to one of our friends in the Zoró tribe before the end of the year. There is much to put in order after being away.

Reaching the World through Brazil,

"And they said, Let us rise up and build. So they strengthened their hands for this good work.

Nehemiah 2:18

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