



May-June 2015

PRAYER REQUESTS

* Youth Conference July 28-30 in which Ben is a speaker

*Growth of new Christians and those we are discipling

*Childrens' Day is in August! There will be an event for outreach and evangelism purposes!

PRAISES

*We praise God for you, our faithful supporters and prayer warriors! Thank you!

*Nicolas was born early, but healthy!

*Our Sending
Church sent a
package as a "baby
shower" from afar.
Thank you to all who
made this happen!
We are so blessed
and thankful!!!

Newest Arrival

We received a huge surprise on Tuesday, June 2nd, when Rachelle's water broke a full month before her dute date! The doctor tried to postpone things for a few days while trying to mature Nicolas' lungs with steroid shots, but Nicolas was bound and determined to be born, and he made his appearance on Wednesday, June 3rd at 2 P.M.! He was healthy, but only weighed 5.4 pounds and measured 17.6" so the doctors kept him in the NICU to make sure he was ok and to help him gain weight. It was a hard 6 days, seeing our tiny baby hooked up to monitors. We thank so many of you who heard about the situation via Facebook and prayed for him! He came home and immediately began gaining weight and growing. God was so gracious to us and to him, and we have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know our newest little family member.



First photo with Daddy- 4 days old!





First photo with Mommy- 6 days old!

Our four minions together at home!

Father's Day!

Father's Day was a beautiful day with many fathers in attendance! We are very thankful for the many fathers that are faithful to God, their families, and church! It is hard for men in latino cultures to step up and be godly leaders of the home. Please pray that these men will be faithful in training up their children and grandchildren in their walk with God.



Discipleship

Discipleship happens in many different ways. We have a passion for teaching and showing others how to be true followers- DISCIPLES of Jesus Christ. We are thankful that we can take a part of that in the ministries of Iglesia Bautista Calvario during the time we are here. Rachelle enjoyed teaching the younger childrens' Sunday School class for a few months before Nicolas' birth. She truly enjoyed seeing the children learn about Jesus' love for them! Both Ben and Rachelle also have been discipling one-on-one with multiple people. Please pray for Mario M., Cesar, Anibal, Edit, and Rosalia. They are all in different levels of discipleship, and are learning and growing in their relationship with Christ. Please pray that they won't become "weary in well-doing", but will continue to fight the good fight!