

The McCubbins

Reaching the lost and Training leadership

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It's hard to believe we're already looking back on the summer of 2014. It was definitely a busy one!

IBFNA: In the latter part of June, Elaine and I flew to Pennsylvania for the annual IBFNA Conference which was held in Gettysburg. As always, the conference was a blessing and encouragement to our hearts. While we were there we also got to visit the Civil War museum, battle fields, and the site where Lincoln delivered his famous Gettysburg Address. We remained in Pennsylvania for the weekend so that I could preach in two of our supporting churches before heading back to Los Angeles on Monday.

VBS: Vacation Bible School started the evening that we arrived back in L.A. The meetings went well this year and we were thankful that we had a few new faces in the group.

FAMILY: A real highlight of the summer was having our son Dan and his family visit with us from Atlanta, GA. They were here for 10 wonderful days. With an entire continent between us, we don't get to see them very often.

You all prayed for Tempy, (the little one in Dan's arms) when she was a baby. She was born with a metabolic disorder that resulted in frequent trips to the ER. We are happy to report that her condition is being controlled very well with medication and diet. We thank God for mercifully keeping His hand on her little life.



PASTOR FUENTES: We had the pleasure of having Pastor Cayetano Fuentes visit with us for 2 weeks. He is the pastor of Iglesia Bautista Bíblica in San Salvador. I had a conference in his church back in February. The missionary who planted that church died recently and Brother Fuentes was asked to come to the States to preach his funeral. We were able to take advantage of his being here and have him minister to our people at Bible Baptist. They were truly blessed by this man who has been serving the LORD for 40 years.

PRAISE: In our last prayer letter we told you about a young woman named Sandra who had been saved and followed the LORD in baptism. She's really growing in the LORD; she's studying in our Bible College and is also serving as one of our nursery workers. From the day she got saved, the salvation of her 3 boys has been her greatest desire. A few weeks ago Sandra's 17 year old son came forward in the service and trusted Christ as his only hope for salvation. Pray with us for the salvation of her two younger sons as well.

MEXICO: In July I had meetings in southern Mexico. First I was in Chontalpa. It was exciting to see how God is blessing that work. Pastor Mendez is doing a fine job there. The church is growing and the Bible college classes are going well. They are making progress on their church building; but as you can see in the picture below, they still have only a dirt floor and no windows.

The picture on the right shows the pastors who came, some with their families, to the meetings. I thank God so much for the ministry He has given me with pastors. He's allowing me to teach these faithful men and in so doing to impact their ministries and the future of their works.



From Chontalpa we made the long drive to Comitán and then to Las Margaritas. God blessed the meetings in all 3 churches; souls were saved and individuals responded to God's call to service.

CUBA: It looks as though God may be opening the door for a branch of our Bible College in Cuba. It's something we're praying about and we trust you will as well.

FAITH: On a personal note, our newest granddaughter just celebrated her first birthday on the 31st of August. She brings so much joy to our lives. Shelly and Oscar live close by so we get to see her often. She really enjoys her little friends in the nursery at church. By the way, the nursery is the fastest growing department of the church.

THANK YOU: As we bring this letter to a close we want to express our heartfelt thanks to each of you for laboring together with us through your prayers and faithful gifts. We appreciate you more than words can say. May God continue to bless you as you faithfully serve Him.



Your servants and His,

Mike and Elaine McCubbins