Charles and Julie Champlin – Crossworld, Brazil

These have been busy months. Our time at Jatapuzinho this summer was filled with opportunities for discipleship and working on the dictionary and Bible courses. Our time was cut short when Charles' father passed away in July. Charles went to his hometown of Guaratingueta, São Paulo, to spend several weeks with his 89-year-old mother. He was able to help secure a caregiver for her. We had hoped that she would be able to come and spend various months with us, but she is too frail to travel. The Lord provided an excellent caregiver, and we are grateful. Charles' mom suffered with pneumonia in August and we were very concerned, but she is recovering well.

Also, in August Charles and six Wai Wai men worked for 45 hours one week on the revision of the gospel of Mark. The week was very intensive and they were able to work through the first seven chapters of Mark. These men returned to Boa Vista in September and the group will work together until the book of Mark is completed. The first chapters have already been distributed for the purpose of reading for readability and understanding. It has been encouraging to see the growth and dedication on the part of these men participating in the revision project.

Julie continues her work as mission hostess. At the moment there are fewer missionaries on base, so she is able to get ahead on maintenance projects, weeding, and extra cleaning. The calendar for guests coming and going in October through December is very full.

Praises:

- Provision for Charles' mom
- Great progress on the revision project
- Opportunities to minister/disciple/encourage a number of Wai Wai families in Jatapuzinho and here in Boa Vista

For Prayer:

- The next session of revision that began in September wisdom, discernment, and God's Spirit
- Strength and servanthood for the ministry of hospitality
- Wisdom and godliness in all we do, that God would be glorified and exalted

Charles & Julie

We would like to extend our sympathy to the family of Bryan & Janice Payne. Bryan's mom, Sarah Anne Payne, passed away Thursday, September 27th. May God comfort you and bless you with His peace.

<u>Next Steps – Step 2</u> (2 parts) ~ Today and October 21st at 6:30 pm, Lower Level Room #102. **This step is required for membership*.

<u>Tree removal</u> at MBC 8 am this <u>Saturday, October 20th</u>. Sign up at the Welcome Center to help. Lunch will be provided. Contact Duane Zimmerman with questions, 608-214-6793.

<u>Library</u> ~ Calling all young adults (ages 16-25), the library is having a reading challenge just for YOU! In the library you will find a list of books to choose from. Read 3 books from the list and pick from a prize box filled with small gift cards to local restaurants, books, and other things. Please come in and get a list and a book. Be ready to enjoy some great books followed by coffee, donuts, and more!

<u>Harvest Weekend</u> ~ Please sign up by Nov. 4th if you plan to attend the Harvest Weekend breakfast or luncheon. Details on insert and October Newsletter.

PIPELINE CLASS begins today at 9:00 am in the Nehemiah Center with a 4-week study called, "Do Hard Things." This study contests the idea of adolescence (13-20 yrs.) as a time of "vacation" from responsibility and redefines the "teen" years as a launching pad for life. Parents and Grandparents will learn much about the origin of adolescence and how they can practically challenge their sons and daughters toward becoming modern day "rebelutionaries". Join us in this challenging video series and practical discussion that may help you prepare your "young adult" for a future of walking with their Creator, standing strong on their convictions, making adult-like decisions, eventually leading a family, and more!

This class is open to all Middle School students through Adults!

October is <u>Pastor Appreciation Month</u>! A card box can be found behind the Sanctuary. A special offering will be taken <u>Today</u>, <u>Sunday</u>, <u>October 14th</u> at both Services. A Concert of Prayer for our pastors & their families will be on Monday, October 29th at 6:30 pm, NC.

Let's show our Pastors our appreciation!





Sunday, October 21

Operation Christmas Child ~ Foyer Worship Services: 9 am & 10:30 am Café Sunday School & Pipeline ~ 9 am MBC Library Open Between Services Men's Study ~ 12:15 pm, LL #106 Ignite ~ 12:30 – 7 pm, Treinen Corn Maze Fusion High School ~ 6 – 8 pm, LL #106 Next Steps "Step 2" (2nd s.) ~ 6:30 pm, LL #102

Monday, October 22

Prayer Meeting ~ 6:30 pm, LL #102 Elder Board Mtg. ~ 6:30 pm, LL #106

Tuesday, October 23

Pleasant View Service ~ 9:30 am Library ~ open, 10-noon & 1-3 pm

Wednesday, October 24

Awana: Trek & Journey ~ 5:30 pm, & Clubbers 3½ yrs. – 6th grade ~ 6:15 pm

Thursday, October 25

Women's Hebrews Study ~ 9:30 am, NC Good News Club ~ 4 pm, Parkside Elementary

Young Adults Study ~ 7 pm, LL #106 Narcotics Anonymous ~ 7 pm, LL #102

Friday, Oct. 26 - Saturday, Oct. 27

Awana Girls' T & T event ~ Fri. evening – 10 am Sat.

Saturday, October 27

You are invited to hear the Chiquito family, our Guatemalan Missionaries, speak at 10:30 am in the Nehemiah Center.

Sunday, October 28

Guatemala 2019 Info. Mtg. ~ 10:05 am, LL <u>Monday, October 29</u>

Pastor Appreciation & Concert of Prayer ~ 6:30 pm, NC

Week of October 14 - 20

Today, Sunday, October 14

Operation Christmas Child ~ Foyer
Pastor Appreciation Offering Taken
Worship Services: 9 am & 10:30 am Café
Sunday School & Pipeline ~ 9 am
MBC Library Open Between Services
No Men's Study
Wild Mountain Man Celebration ~ 12:30
pm, Pleasant View Park (Corner of
Hwy. 81 west & County N)
Ignite Middle School ~ 3–6 pm, Monroe
Clinic service project
Fusion High School ~ 6 – 8 pm, LL #106

Monday, October 15

Next Steps "Step 2" (1st s.) ~ 6:30 pm, LL

Prayer Meeting ~ 6:30 pm, LL #102

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Tuesday, October 16

Library ~ open, 10-noon & 1-3 pm Board of Deacons Mtg. ~ 6:30 pm, LL #106

Wednesday, October 17

Awana: Trek & Journey $\sim 5:30$ pm, & Clubbers 3½ yrs. -6^{th} grade $\sim 6:15$ pm

Thursday, October 18

Women's Hebrews Study ~ 9:30 am, NC Good News Club ~ 4 pm, Parkside Elementary

Young Adults Study ~ 7 pm, LL #106 Narcotics Anonymous ~ 7 pm, LL #102

Friday, October 19

Primetimers Pizza Hut Lunch ~ 11:15 am

Friday, Oct. 19 – Sunday, Oct. 21

Women's Retreat ~ Inspiration Center, Walworth, WI. Begins Friday 5 pm & ends Sunday Noon

Saturday, October 20

Tree Removal at MBC ~ 8 am

Prayer Focus – Website Ministry Ministry Leader – Paul Ritschard Please PRAY:

- Pray for direction on how the Church Website/App could move forward.
- † Someone would have the heart to help with the Website Ministry.

Entire Bible	Family Plan
Gen 25-26; Ps 13	Matt. 3
Gen 27-28, Ps 14, Mk 10	Matt 4:1-11
Gen 29-30, Ps 15, Mk 11	John 1:35-51
Gen 31, Mk 12	Luke 5:12-32
Gen 32-33, Ps 16-17	John 3:1-21
Gen 34-35, Ps 18:1-24	



This Week New City Catechism: Part 1, Question 3



Ignite Middle School ~ Treinen Farm Corn Maze next Sunday, October 21st from 12:30-7 pm. Pick up your permission slip at the Welcome Center today! Cost \$11. Bring extra money for supper.



2019 Guatemala Mission Trip Preparation ~ It's already time to start planning for next year's trip! If you are interested in going to Guatemala July 6-13, please attend ONE of the following 20-minute meetings.

October 28, 10:05 am, LL Nov. 18, 10:05 am, LL Nov. 4, 11:50 am, LL Dec. 9, 11:50 am, LL

To be considered for the 2019 team, 4 requirements must be met:

- 1. Currently in High School or older
- 2. Attend 1 of the informational meetings listed above
- 3. Submit a completed application to the church office no later than Sunday, December 30, 2018
- 4. Attend #5 Next Steps class "On Mission" which is 2 sessions in June.

