



## Church of Christ in Zipaquira

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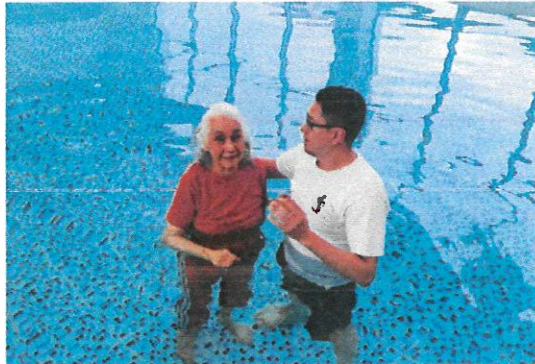
Monthly Report

# September 2023

## ANOTHER SOUL HAS BEEN SAVED AT THE NURSING HOME!

Edith (75) is a lady, who lived several years in Venezuela, she has an open heart for the Word, so once she understood the purpose of the baptism, she made her decision, however in order to get to that point, she received bible lessons every Thursday afternoon (this is the time we visit the nursing home on a weekly basis) for 2 months.

We have continued studying with Felipe (38) as well (the director's son). The Word is doing its job in his heart, proof of this is he is going every other Sunday with the senior citizens to the church. At the moment we have 3 brethren at the nursing home!!



Edith's Baptism

## NEW MEMBERS DISCIPLESHIP: A BLESSING FOR GROWING IN CHRIST

We are focusing on feeding the new members very well to have strong Christians, for that reason, once a week we have discipleship with all of them (according to their schedule). Some of them are about to finish the bible course named God's Plan for Me.

We have seen good results on the new members produced by the Word, they are more committed to the Lord and the church and even some of them have started to invite their friends to the congregation, this is the case of Monica, as you know, she was baptized on the July campaign, now, she have invited to a friend named William, he has attended twice to the church. God is blessing the members with the willingness to share His precious Word.

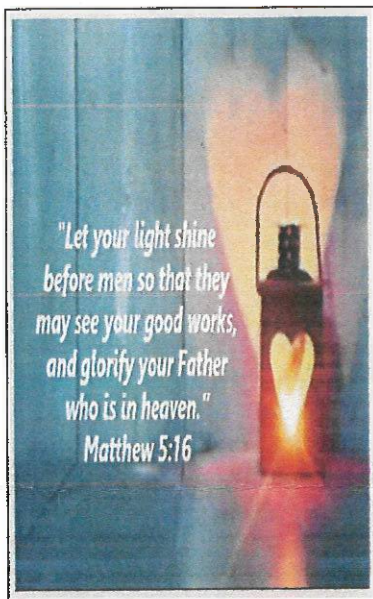


Discipleship with the Moreno's Family

"... Until we all attain to the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a mature man, to the measure of the stature which belongs to the fullness of Christ. As a result, we are no longer to be children, tossed here and there by waves and carried about by every wind of doctrine, by the trickery of people, by craftiness in deceitful scheming; but speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in all aspects into Him who is the head, that is, Christ "

Ephesians 4:13-15





## THE WORD OF GOD CONTINUOUSLY SPREADS INTO THE COMMUNITY

We are making a strong effort to reach new converts' family and friends, for that reason, we have been encouraging them and also teaching them about the evangelism topic.

At the moment, besides the other studies we have with contacts, we are studying with two relatives and one friend from new members! One of them is an English bible study

with Valery (Esperanza's Daughter)



**Studying the Bible in English with Valery and my son**

*"We are making a strong effort to reach new converts' family and friends"*

### LOVING THE CHURCH

**"I am giving you a new commandment, that you love one another; just as I have loved you, that you also love one another. By this all people will know that you are My disciples: if you have love for one another."**

**John 13:34**

## TWO NEW ACQUISITIONS FOR THE BEAUTIFUL CHURCH!

The men of the congregation are trying to improve the church building facilities and environment, so we decided to purchase two articles this month. One is a portable speaker (two wireless microphones included),

which is very useful for the preaching of the Word (indoor and outdoor) and the other is a coffee machine (capacity 120 cups), which will help to improve the fellowship and friendship among the members after services



**Portable speaker and Coffee Machine**

The church is having some savings at the moment, which was one of the sources for the purchases we did, the other source was some local members that anonymously provided financial help so we were able to buy the articles. It is amazing when the members are all with one mind in giving God and the church a prominent place in their lives. The members are excited to witness the progress and the growing of the church. To God be the Glory!!





**Giving love and encouragement to our new sister Edith**

## **MY SON BEGAN ON A BASKETBALL TEAM ON THIS MONTH!!**

He used to play soccer before, however, I invited him a couple of times to the basketball court to play with me, since I'm not good at soccer at

all, so I wanted to spend time with him (sports are good to do this) at the beginning he used to reject my invitations, but finally he gave it a try, the thing is now



**My son on his basketball training**

he enjoys a lot more playing this sport than soccer, he sees on YouTube basketball tutorials, NBA strategies, etc. So he asked me to find a basketball club for him, now I can tell, he is way better than me!!

My mother was diagnosed with diabetes, so she is now with a healthier lifestyle, sometimes she gets a little sad, so we encourage her to keep going, we ask your prayers for her. She is on treatment at the moment, but we know she is going to be stable, since she is following the directions the doctors gave her

## **THANK-YOU NOTE**

We, as a family would like to express gratitude to all of you, my dear beloved brethren for providing the opportunity to continue serving on the Ministry. We are working hard so the church can grow spiritually and in number as well, we can see God is blessing our journey already and you are part of that blessing. Thanks again for being there for us!

*In Him,  
Mario E. Pinyon*

