

Today I want to give you a chance to hear from Luis Martinez and be able to support him in prayer.



CrossVision de Mexico Mid Year Report July 2009

“Therefore, go and make disciples...” (Matt 28:19)

It is a great privilege to be able to bring this midyear report to all of you who support the on-going efforts to make disciples in my country, Mexico. I hope you will find that this is much more than just another report. Many American teams cancelled the call and are afraid of bad news reports. But God and my wife have kept me busy with building much needed relationships.

As you well know, God has given us a vision for an area called the Black Heart. It has been labeled this for many reasons, but the name comes from the fact that there are no new works being made in this place. We at CrossVision de Mexico are working to change this. The work is hard and frustrating at times, but the lasting fruit is there and we, through Christ, have seen many victories.

The Mother Church, Dios Todopoderoso in Aguascalientes has led out in the efforts. Without pastors like Jamie Arango and his willing members doing the daily disciple making, the task would be very impossible. They are currently discipling the new believers in nearby pueblo, Palo Alto. They are also working to develop some new location where we hope to plant new works. This is where American evangelism teams are very important.

Our vision has too many aspects to list all of them but, in my bad English, we are searching for churches and leaders within churches that will be willing to be the more important part of the planting of good works, and then, to build evangelism and support teams around those faithful workers. I give thanks to God for each part of the body that works to accomplish the goal of making true disciples. Much of my recent efforts have been to establish relationships with these key pastors and their church leaders as well as the American churches and evangelical teams.

The remainder of this year is a very full schedule. So I ask you to look over the schedule below and begin to pray for our events and opportunities as God leads you.

(July 27 – Aug 1st) In Morelos, Coah with FBC Garfield, Arkansas with Rodolfo Gomez and Creindo lo Imposible

(Aug 15) Pastors' conference in Piedras Negras

(Aug 22 – 24) In Monclova, Coah speaking on laity in personal ministry at Principe de Paz

(Sept 12) Missionary planning conference in Piedras Negras

(Sep 24) Concentrated prayer with Pastors in Acuna, Coah

(Sept 28th – Oct 3rd) Travel to Aguascalientes for pre-team church training and prayer

(Oct 4th – 10th) Farmstead Baptist evangelism team working alongside Dios Todpodoroso.

(Oct 11th – 17th) Saint Andrews Baptist planting new works with Jose Martinez in rural Aguascalientes

(Oct 23rd – 28th) Conference with Juan Galdames from El Salvador on Church leadership

(Nov 1st – 7th) Roundup the Cows, cowboy style (my father's ranch in NE Mexico and 100 miles past the end of the earth. All are welcome. Pay is all the beans and tortillas you can eat.

(Nov 16th – 17th) Christmas planning meetings

(Nov 26th) Reunion with local Pastors in Acuna

(Dec 17th – 19th) Final Christmas planning meetings

(Dec 19th) Christmas Celebration with associated pastors in Morelos, Coah

(Dec 27th - 31st) Cross Vision family teams in several border cities

***Estad quietos y conoced que yo soy Dios; sere exaltado entre las naciones;
enaltecido sere en la tierra. Salmo 46:10***

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