

## Reaching Panama for Jesus

MARCH 2023  
NEWS LETTER



NEW 30 PASSENGER  
BUS  
SOUL-WINNING GROUP



3 VBS DOLEGA  
2023



80% OF KNOCKING  
DOOR IN OUR  
COUNTY

# THE RODRIGUEZES

Greetings from Panamá!

Here are some things that have happened since our last newsletter.

**February:** February is one of our summer months and this year turned out to be a very busy month. We held our **Vacation Bible School**. Instead of having just one big VBS, we held three different VBS in three main bus routes. We saw a great turnout for each one. We had a Graduation Sunday at the end of each week of VBS. The kids love being presented their diplomas proving that they attended and completed VBS. I also had the opportunity to preach at **Children's Camp**. What a great time we had; the first night we saw decisions being made. We enjoyed interacting with the kids and the fellowship with the pastors and workers of different churches. I also was invited to preach an **Anniversary Conference** for another church, the pastor and his family are dear friends. My family and I enjoyed the fellowship and to see what God has done and is doing with this church.

**March:** In our last newsletter we mentioned that we wanted to buy another vehicle for bus routes. Those who follow us on social media already know the good news. God provided in an amazing way; **we purchased a Coaster Bus** and what a HUGE difference it is making! A special THANK YOU to GOD and to those who PRAYED and GAVE! I was invited to preach another **Anniversary Conference** for another church. This church celebrated 39 years. WOW! What an example for us! We are thankful for this church and its dear people. **March is back to school and that includes Bible Institutes/ Seminaries.** Tracy and I are both teaching at a Bible Institute for a local church every Friday. I teach 4 classes and Tracy teaches two. We are so excited for this opportunity and for the time to spend with the students. We are both scheduled to teach at another Bible Seminary for another local church throughout the year; as well we are excited for this opportunity.

**April:** This brings us up to April. God has been blessing our church. We have seen visitors in almost every service. April 2<sup>nd</sup> was the first Sunday of April; we had visitors and four baptisms. One of those visitors was a direct result from Saturday's visitation program. Some of our young ladies witnessed and invited a young man to church and he accepted both Christ as his Saviour and the invite to church. We were happy to see him in church the next day. Another one of the visitors was a teen boy who came. He was invited by his friend who started attending our church through our Manna Feeding Center.

**Future Plans:** In May we are going to one of the coasts of Panama to preach a conference. Starting May, we also have groups coming to visit and work with us different projects.

Please continue praying for the Rodriguez Family and for the ministries God has allowed us to have here in Panama. Thank you for taking the time to read our letter and for your faithful prayers and support.

Your Servants In Christ,

Rodriguez Family

Rafael, Tracy, Evelyn, Emily, Rafael, and Elisabeth