

# DECLARING the GOSPEL

## to the Dominicans!



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**VITAL STATS on the DR**  
Population: 10,000,415 +  
95% Roman Catholic

"Hear the Word of the Lord, O ye nations, and declare it in the isles afar off" Jer. 31:10a

Dear Pastors and Friends,

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### NEW LIFE

Kelvin and Beba are proud parents of a son, Kevin. They and their daughter, KariLaci, are so thankful for this precious new life. Ron had the privilege to dedicate Kevin to the Lord.



We have also been blessed with two new lives in Christ. "Therefore if any man *be* in Christ, *he is* a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new." II Cor. 5:17  
Pray for Antonio and Scarlet as they grow in the Lord.

### THE LORD PROVIDES AND PROTECTS

#### GOD'S PROTECTION DURING THE HURRICANES

We are thankful that God pushed the eye of each hurricane, Irma and Maria, north of us. Santo Domingo received tropical storms but not the devastation the that the north, northeast and east coasts of the country received. We thank all of you who prayed for our safety. We continue to pray for all the victims of Harvey, Irma and Maria. Also for the people in Mexico.



Maria's wake: swelled river cuts off 15 towns; 3,713 people in shelters  
Santo Domingo - The Emergency Operations Center (EOC) reported Friday that 3,713 people are lodged in shelters.

#### GOD'S DAILY PROTECTION AND PROVISION

As we were driving to church several weeks ago, our car broke down. The Lord provided a grua (tow truck) which was owned by a Christian. He immediately came out and picked us up. He arranged for a mechanic to help us (can't usually find one on Sunday). The Lord provides and protects.



A couple weeks ago the car broke down again in a parking lot. The parking lot guard called a mechanic friend. Ron and the mechanic went and got the needed parts (on a motorcycle). The mechanic was able to fix the car right there in the parking lot. The Lord provides and protects.



Prayer request: \$1700. more is needed in order to get a dependable car.

We praise the Lord, for His mercies are new every morning and thank you for your constant prayers,  
For Dominican Souls,  
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