

On the Wings of Prayer

“Because thou hast been my help, therefore in the Shadow of thy wings will I rejoice.”

Now More Than Ever

We had a great IBFI Fellowship meeting May 19th – 22nd at Worth Baptist Church in Fort Worth, Texas. There was great attendance and great preaching! The evening services were livestreamed and available on their website, worthbc.org.

Grading work is in progress on the new IBFI building which will house all of the IBFI ministries the Norris Bible Baptist Seminary, IBFI Mission Agency, and The Searchlight. The optimistic time schedule for completion is for us to be able to move in and start classes there by the Fall of 2026. We are still planning to complete the construction debt free.

Thinking back about all the financial and human resources God invested in our ministry in Brazil, now more than ever, it is obvious to me that Church planting missions is very important to God! Bringing the good news of the Gospel to the nations and uttermost parts of the Earth is God's priority.

Thank You for your efforts, prayers and financial support for the IBFI and for World Missions! No matter what you may be facing or will face in the future as you serve Him, please be encouraged and know that God is with you and will provide for your every need.

In Christ,
John Peebles
IBFI Mission Director
Psalm 16:11

June-July 2025

*Jeremy & Joneia (Brazil) are excited to have the new firepit completed to use at camps and events. The Bennetts hosted a day teen camp in their home with the emphasis on obeying God every day. The Bennetts request prayer for a recently started ladies' home Bible study.

*Leslie Priday (Honduras) reports that fifty campers were in attendance for youth camp. Five churches participated. There were six campers that accepted Christ and at least four who rededicated their lives to Christ.

*Larry and Regina McKinney (N.A. Indians) **report** the church on the Colville Reservation is seeing some new visitors attending. Please continue to pray for growth in attendance. Tacoma Indian Baptist Church had its highest attendance of seventy-one on Easter Sunday. The McKinney's youngest son Benjamin passed away in April. Please be in prayer for Bro. Larry and Regina. Also, the McKinney's ask prayer for Benjamin's wife Anna and three children (Issac, Caleb, and Tawny).

*Harold Priday (Honduras) reports that all expenses were paid for all the campers that attended youth camp. The theme was *Soldiers for Christ*. Four missionaries taught Bible lessons and preached the evening services.

*Daniel and Michelle Jones (Rio Grande Valley/Mexico) report that the church averaged ninety-four in attendance with six saved and two baptized! Please continue to remember the Jones' in your prayers. They have ongoing health concerns.

*Melissa Houston (Rio Grande Valley) wrote and directed a drama for Resurrection Sunday. It also included a dinner. Melissa will be directing the Vacation Bible School. She is grateful for the workers God provides, so they can minister to others together.

*JD and Vanessa Young (Spain) celebrated their eighteenth-month anniversary in Cartagena, Spain. The church livestreaming services has great potential to reach many with the Gospel.

*Jared and Elizabeth Blair (Norway) request traveling mercies as they travel on deputation to raise their support. The Blair's are grateful for the warm reception they have received while presenting their ministry at churches.

*True and Diana Hawkins (Brazil) report that the Bible institute classes have begun this semester with twenty-two students in Manaus. There are several other Bible institutes that they assist with needed curriculum and building construction.

*Mark and Tricia Haynes (Navajo Nation) report that Bro. Mark had the opportunity to preach some mission conferences. Ganado Baptist Bible College had four graduates on May 6th. The Haynes' request prayer for opportunities to train more laborers for the Lord's work.