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Dear Pastor and Praying Friends,

Praise the Lord for cooler temperatures here in the northeast of Brazil this month! It has been a welcome relief to have temperatures drop down into the 70s.

After a few weeks of not seeing much response during our organized soul-winning times, I was thrilled when this weekend, I had the chance to lead a lady named Amanda and a gentleman named Biro to the Lord in their respective homes. Both had some church background (in "Baptist" churches no less!), but they had no certainty about their eternal destination. Both allowed me to share the Gospel with them, and both of them made the decision to trust Christ. Then last night, in our Sunday night service, we had several visitors in the service, and the preaching touched very distinctly on coming judgment and the Gospel. Three of our visitors raised their hands that they wanted to know for sure how to have their sins forgiven and receive a home in Heaven. Again, one of those men had a very churchy background but had never been shown that salvation is through grace alone by faith alone.

This just serves as a reminder that while Brazil has an impressive tally of churches seemingly on every corner, it does not have enough churches preaching the true Gospel clearly and simply. We need more hands in the work to reach them while we can! We are gearing up for our first-ever Youth Conference, which will take place during the second week of July. We would really appreciate your prayers for a great turnout, for souls to be saved, and for Christian teens to make important commitments to purity and service to the Lord.

We also covet your prayers for the construction work being done at the new property and for the Lord's provision in that work to arrive at the needed time. It has been encouraging to lay out the plans for how all this space will be used.

Lastly, there is a very big opportunity that we are praying about that would allow our church to begin to take oversight of an afterschool center that would get us into the lives and homes of over 100 children. There are a lot of moving parts and many decisions and clarifications yet to make, but we simply ask that the Lord makes His will plain in all of it. Truly, the harvest is great, and the laborers are few.

We love and appreciate each one of you. Thank you for being such a faithful encouragement to the work here in Salvador, Brazil. We are privileged to represent you here.

Declaring His glory,

Wesley Palla
Psalm 96:3



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