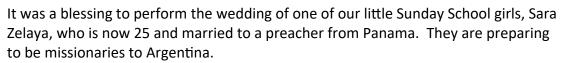
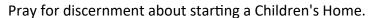


Dear praying friends,

It is a blessing to see work in progress be completed. It is an encouragement to see planted seeds bear fruit. We are thankful for the finished works God has completed this last year of 2018. In November we had our Missions month for South Africa, Japan, Belize, and Russia. We're thankful our people can be exposed and challenged to missions beyond their homeland. In December, we were reminded of the endless miracles that can stem from the greatest miracle- God giving us His Son. Several months ago an 11 year old boy named Erlin started coming to church faithfully, and received Christ as his Savior. His family never came to church though. Erlin was diagnosed with leukemia and passed away. After his death, his entire family started coming to church, where they all received Christ as their Savior. Since their decisions, they have also been baptized and have been very faithful to church. Though we miss Erlin, we are thankful for the lives that came to Christ through Erlin's death.



As we enter this new year, please pray for more laborers. Pray for 3 new teachers for our bilingual school.



God's work will be accomplished through your prayers.

Thanks to all who gave us a special Christmas love offering for our family.

We really appreciate your love and prayers for us.

God bless

For the cause,
Sam, Julie,
Joseph, Celina
and Brooklyn Hodges



Teen/College Camp Theme: A Higher Ground



Erlin's Mom - Ninfa



Sara & Richard



Seminary Classes



Seminary classes started with 23 students.