

Mexico Mission News

Well it has been a busy summer in Benjamin Hill. During the week, they have been hosting a daily VBS style program for the children in the neighborhood. It includes Bible stories, devotions, games, crafts and a light lunch. They have averaged between 20-25 children each day.



Also, due to the pandemic and school closings last year, the children attending the Christian day school on the Benjamin Hill campus were behind on their studies. It was decided to continue classes during the summer months to help the children get caught up. The emphasis was on language arts and math. We would like to welcome our new elementary school teacher for this next school year, Mr. Jose Samaniego. We have a total of 20 children attending classes from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. At 12:00 p.m. they have a break and devotional time, back to class and then a lunch is served at 2:00 p.m.



Some of you may remember that we asked for some financial help in getting a business started to help provide funding for the mission and ministry at Kid's Kingdom, Imuris and Kid's Kingdom Benjamin Hill. I am happy to report that a number of you provided the necessary funding to get that off the ground. Around the first of July, Dr. Kevin Cavanagh and I traveled to Imuris to meet with Lilia and Arturo to finalize our plans. Kevin is a business professor at Bismarck State College and also owns 3 donut shops in North Dakota and one in Oregon. He has been instrumental in pulling

this all together and we are now producing donuts in Imuris utilizing an area in the guest house. We have completed our first month of production and they are currently producing and selling about 4,000 donuts a month. We hope to see that number increase over the next couple of months.

Through a very generous donation we were able to acquire another piece of property with a partially completed house. The design and layout of the house lends itself to being used as a guest house for mission teams and visitors to the orphanage in Benjamin Hill. Renovation and completion of the structure will begin sometime next year.



The back half of the house is complete, the previous owner was planning on doubling the size of the house and began construction on the addition to the front side. It'll definitely need a little TLC to get it ready for use!



Please keep the Missoula mission team in your prayers as they travel to Imuris and Benjamin Hill from September 30th to October 7th. Many, many thanks to all our supporters and prayer partners. God continues to do some absolutely amazing things through His people both in the U.S. and in Mexico.

In His Service,
Pastor Mark and our Mission partners