

# GUANAJUATO, MEXICO

**Nov. 2021 – JAN. 2022**

Greetings from Central Mexico from the state of Guanajuato (juan-na-wa-to)!

We thank the Lord for the Missions Month in November here at Misión Bautista Monte Sinai (Mount Sinai Baptist Mission). We had guest missionaries for each Sunday of the month. We have been supporting four missionaries' families (to Haiti, Argentina, El Salvador, and Colombia) and we now will be supporting missionaries to Turkey, Italy, South Korea, and Alianza Pro Evangelización del Niño en America Latin (Alliance for the Evangelization of children in America Latin.)

For the Christmas time we had a special time with the ministry in El Rancho Viejo (The Old Ranch) a community outside of town. We had a Christmas story, songs, candy bags, a piñata, tostadas, and soda drinks. At this time at the church, we had a Christmas play by the children and teens, a Bible message, and a meal after the service.

In January, the people here celebrate El Día del Reyes (The Day of the kings.) This day refers to the time when the wise men brought gifts to the child Jesus. A church in Texas and a couple sent offerings to buy gifts. For the boys we had toy police cars, soccer balls and for the girls we had toy dishes, and purses. The mothers we gave a large plastic bowl used for cleaning dishes or cooking along with a bag of rice with a bottle of cooking oil.

The missionary family to evangelize children that we are supporting will be working with us for five months to work here in the congregation, the ministry in el Rancho Viejo, and to win the lost to Christ. We are very thankful for their willingness to serve with us.

Thank you for all your prayers and financial support to be your missionaries!

Prayer Request:

1. Pray for Pastor Juan Pablo Rodriguez and the congregation in Nigromonte a community outside of town.
2. Pray for the ministry in el Rancho Viejo for souls to come to know Christ and for them to learn more of God's word.
3. Pray for the spiritual growth of the congregation.
4. Pray for the family Bro. and Mrs. Abimael Aranda and their two small girls as they work with us here in San Miguel de Allende.
5. Please continue to pray for the construction work on the church building.
6. Pray for our physical and spiritual strength.
7. Praise: This Christmas my parnets came to visit with us along with my wifes siblings.

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"Failure is not a good parking place."- Dr. Raymond W. Barber