

Greetings from Spain!! It is starting to feel like Spring here although it is January and should still feel like Winter! I believe that this is God reminding us that He is the One who put the stars and moon in place and He controls the seasons. We need to continually look to Him for wisdom and guidance and direction in our lives with all that we do.

In December, we looked at 'What Would Christmas be Without Jesus?' I have included a picture of how I decorated the window. It is an empty manger. In service we had many questions about having a tree and I was able to speak truth into that. We also met and had a breakfast as a congregation. Also in December, we started a discipleship group. It has become really clear that although we have a group that is coming that says they are believers, they don't necessarily know what they believe. This group is meeting the first Sunday of every month and we are teaching them how to study the Bible. We have met twice now and I'm excited about their growth.



One special addition to life this year is the presence of Adam Smith (a former camp monitor!) who is here studying in Pamplona finishing his law degree. He has such an engaging personality and has brought a neat dynamic to our church group! Adam has never met a stranger and has used his personality to forge things never done at the college and has started a Bible study that even the priest of the dorm attends! Please keep Adam in your prayers when you think of us because he is doing some beautiful things here.

Camp signups open February 1 and we are excited to see what this brings!

There will be 3 weeks again, but the first week is tricky as the dates are really only available to one school group since the others schools will be in their last week. Our hope is that this group will choose that first week. We have two churches in communication with us about bringing teams and we are very thankful for The Lord's leading in that. I had the opportunity to be a part of a conference this past Saturday of all the camps in Spain and to attend different break out sessions that has given me fresh ideas for games and activities at camp! The train is rolling and we are praying for guidance in all aspects from the team formations coming to the campers God has planned to attend and shining the Hope that we have in real ways to them as well as health and energy required of all.

We have also begun to have calls from families too old for camp and wanting to have the opportunity to go to the States and be immersed in English for a month. This is an exciting opportunity for what we have named a Reverse Missions Trip. What is needed is host homes from those willing to live out their faith and share their lives with a Spanish teen. It is not to entertain them, rather for them to get to see life there and attend and be a part of a church community in a way that they are not here.



I am continually thankful to be here and serve and so appreciate your contribution to that effort be it financial or prayer. May God bless you in this new year.

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