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Dear Friends,

We are certainly in unique times these past months with the Covid-19 virus pandemic all across the world. I started a series in Colossians in Feb. and we had done just 3 messages when the lockdown was ordered. Five weeks ago we saw *the Deity of Jesus* where Paul wrote: “For in Him all the fullness of Deity dwells in bodily form, and in Him you have been made complete...” (Col. 2:8-9, NASB). It is one of my favorite passages in the Bible and we compared it to 7 other passages where Jesus is called God, “theos” in the Greek. It is *awesome* that we are “complete...in Him” and *He is completely/fully God!* That is the best security and refuge for any pandemic or other circumstance. May God bless you with knowing that truth, and having the security that being “complete in Him” brings!

Puebla del Río Church ministry. The church closed on Mar. 12th, all services and Easter activities were cancelled. We kept in touch by cell phone, Whatsapp, Zoom, Facebook, and then...*You Tube!* It was quite a learning curve for a “non-tech dinosaur.” Without lots of help from *Salud* –who is now our camerawoman/IT person– we couldn’t have done it. After 63 days of lockdown, we were able to start in-person services again (with *special cleaning, masks, disinfectant, and minimum distance rules* to be kept). We had our first Sunday service on May 17th with 18 people. We’ve had 4 Sunday services and 4 Thurs. prayer meetings, with facemasks and limited physical contact, but it is a blessing to see each other in person again! We continue videotaping the sermons at church to post on You Tube for those



who still can’t come or miss church for other reasons. But when the series in Colossians ends, we’ll stop posting videos because the purpose was for the Puebla church during the lockdown, and now that everyone can attend again it isn’t needed. *Salud* has also started meeting with the church women and has had 2 meetings this month. I had the 1st *monthly men’s breakfast* June 7th and will restart the *discipleship class* with 3 believers on June 17th; it had ended due to the lockdown. *We are*

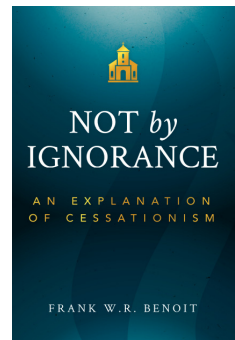


slowly returning to regular ministry, even if with some restrictions!!

The lockdown also ended the construction we began in March to fix the water seepage problem. This week, we finished about 70% of the work. The water now drains directly into a 3 ft. deep pit. What a blessing that a family attends church and the husband owns a construction business. He is helping us to get the project done (with some of us as volunteers). We hope to have everything finished by the end of June. *Please pray as the Puebla church goes back to a more normal routine in ministry; that we will be able to balance all the new rules for public gatherings with the member care and outreach that we need to do.*



Other ministry. On May 12th I began *teaching an online class at the Seminary* with 8 students, which will end on June 30th (who said, “I’m *never* going to teach online”?!). I go on Tuesdays and the IT worker sets me up online with students from 4 different provinces. It isn’t the same as teaching in person, but the videos for church helped me adjust. Also *my book* explaining cessationism is now in phase 2 of editing the text & with the front cover finished (and now being used by the publisher to start pre-pub promotion). I hope that in Sept. it will be printed & I can to give you information on how to get it at Amazon, Barnes and Noble, or others.



Family news. At the end of June, *Elisabeth* will graduate from the Univ. of Granada with her degree as an Elementary Special Education teacher! She went back there 2 weeks ago. We are very proud of her and all the hard work she has done these past 4 yrs.! *Jonathan and Irene* will be coming to visit us in July for a week. We look forward to seeing them in person after 5 months! God is so good to us!

Thank you again for praying for us, supporting us, and encouraging us. *We appreciate you* and pray that God gives you a safe & blessed summer “complete in Him,” *Jesus Christ, our great God and Savior!*
 In Jesus’ love and service,

Frank, Salud, Jonathan and Elisabeth