



Hello dear friends!!

It's been a little bit since the last update, so let's dive in!

JUNE:



We had a special birthday party for one of our friends, Julio César. He and his wife, Gretty, recently joined our church and are helping with teaching the teenagers. (Lenin and I have the teaching ministry to the youth/college students).



We've added some new competitions for the Youth Group. Lenin and I record an audio of us reading an article that discusses a culture topic (from a Biblical perspective), and then we discuss the article. The group that can answer more questions about the article wins. The group that wins, after about 8 weeks of competing, gets a prize (like for each person a book to edify their study time in the Bible). We are still going through the Book of Romans on Saturday nights with the Youth Group.

July:



Lenin, Patrick, and Victor (two men who Lenin is discipling) helped a brother in Christ, Pedro, with his corn harvest. Here, harvesting is done by hand, in the hot sun and everything. Pedro was super appreciative, and Patrick and Victor learned a little more about helping selflessly. They're really doing well. Please pray for their continued spiritual growth.



At the end of the month, we had another gymkhana event for the semester closing of the Children's Bible Club. It was super fun, and the children were so excited to do the event.

AUGUST:



We said goodbye to one of our youth, Jennifer Fowler. She has traveled to the USA to study at Frontier School of the Bible. Please pray for her that she would make a lot of friends and that the Lord would strengthen her through the trial of all of her studies being in English.

FUTURE:

On the 12th and 13th of September, Lenin will be helping with a festival for 500 children, done by a ministry called BCM (Bible Centered Ministries) here in the city of Tarapoto. BCM seeks to evangelize and make disciples of children and support children's ministries in the local church. Pray for the children to be able to understand the Gospel and for them to be able to connect with a local church.

On the 1st of November, Lenin and I are planning on having a retreat/conference for our church's youth. Pray for us as we plan the details.



Sometime in December we will all get to meet our second child! He/she will have to be born by cesarean, so pray that we can pick a good date and that the baby will be healthy and strong.

Thank you for being a part of our team, and we hope that you enjoyed the pictures! Please keep us in your prayers and pray for the opportunities that we have to make more disciples of Christ.

In Christ,

Amber, Lenin, and baby Abigail Rivadeneyra ♥†