

## NEWS FROM THE ALENCARS

**Therefore, be careful how you walk, not as fools, but as wise, Redeeming the time, because the days are evil. Wherefore be ye not unwise, but understanding what the will of the Lord is. Ephesians 5:15–17**

Dear Faithful Supporters,

It seems like only yesterday that we were beginning the year 2026, making plans and presenting our goals before the Lord. Now, we are already approaching the middle of the year, and we are deeply grateful for God's faithfulness throughout these first months.



Amid challenges, joys, changes, and opportunities, we have experienced His sustaining grace and witnessed His hand guiding every step of the ministry. The Lord continues to open doors, strengthen His church, and allow the gospel to reach lives that desperately need the hope found only in Christ.

Our prayer is that the Lord will grant us an even more fruitful second half of the year, so that when we reach its end, we may look back and recognize that everything was accomplished for His glory and for the advancement of His Kingdom.

**FURLOUGH** - After several years without visiting our supporting churches, we are planning a brief furlough. We have just purchased our airline tickets and will arrive in the States on August 6<sup>th</sup>, returning to Brazil on October 7<sup>th</sup>. We are very excited about the opportunity to reconnect with dear brothers and sisters, personally share what God has been doing on the mission field, and express our gratitude for the support and prayers that have sustained this ministry through the years.

We are currently planning the most efficient route for our travels and will soon share our schedule with you so that we can confirm the dates of our visit.

We ask for your prayers as we plan this trip. **One of our greatest practical needs for this furlough is a reliable vehicle that we can use throughout our travels.**


Since we will be visiting supporting churches across several states, having dependable transportation would greatly facilitate the trip and significantly reduce our travel expenses.

We are also praying for open homes where we may stay along the way as we visit churches and spend time with the people who have faithfully partnered with us in the ministry over the years.

Please pray that the Lord will provide for these needs according to His perfect will and timing. As always, we trust Him to guide every detail of this journey.

Please pray that the Lord will grant us wisdom in every decision, safety in every mile traveled, and precious opportunities for fellowship and mutual encouragement. Pray also that we may once again witness His provision and care in every detail.

We believe that God is already preparing the way before us, and we thank you in advance for your prayers, friendship, and partnership in the gospel. You are precious instruments in the Lord's hands, helping make this ministry possible.

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We look forward to seeing many of you in the coming months and sharing together what the Lord has been doing

Serving Christ together,

Paulo and Janis Alencar.



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