



WE REALLY HAVE CLASS!!! ...rooms!

Dear Friends,

Nothing is ever so dead that God cannot resurrect it! In 2020 the Christ is King School closed, a victim of the pandemic.

In spite of having had a successful decade of educating hundreds of students, they simply could not pay rent with no students in classes during the lock downs.



They thought that they were done, but just a few weeks ago the school was reborn, this time in its very own, un-rented location on the property where we are also building the Father's House Church.

For Pastor Maria Isabel and Viviana, the mother and daughter duo that run the school, it is still so hard to believe. Even at the beginning of Feb, the start of the school year, they thought that they would not be able to begin classes.

The big impediment was that The Ministry of Education had *delayed in issuing their licence*. They could not even advertise without papers in hand. So, getting the word out was a challenge. At the start of Feb they only had 7 students registered and were thinking that they would need to wait another year to begin classes.



BUT! Pastor German was firm, he told them that **God did not do such a huge miracle just to have empty buildings**, that they would start classes, trusting in God. So, they kept going and within a few days they started classes with 32 students!

And then a few days later 34 students, then 36 and the number continues to grow!

Peel Pentecostal Outreach Team



A couple of weeks ago we hosted our latest building team that came to work on the project - building the church and school's gymnasium as well as starting on the High School classrooms. Yet, even as they were working, the team was able to take out time to interact with the primary students, playing games and teaching them English!

And they did work hard, pouring beams, building walls, pouring sidewalks and laying foundations

They were getting things ready for our March teams that will be focussing on getting the gymnasium ready for the roof - our next big faith challenge.



Pastors Wayne, Pat and the team spent a lot of time speaking in area churches and spoiling the boys at the Refuge. They also came loaded with suitcases full of supplies (pic above) for the school and our children's programs.

When teams bring Lego, toys, arts supplies, clothes, etc, they allow us to bless a lot of kids and their families. In just one case, Patty was able to help fully deck out a new children's program that she has been partnering with, Project Hope.



The kids were amazed at the blocks for building, but also thrilled to have their very own soccer and basketballs. They have spent countless hours drawing, learning and joyful.



Can You Pray For Patty?

As much as Patty loves working day to day with children, lately we have been feeling a shift in our spirit, like maybe God is speaking something new for her. That may be shifting more into teacher training or it may be just a temporary feeling, but she really wants to hear God's voice clearly about future direction. [Would you pray with her?](#)

A Couple Needs - Big & Small

As school starts, we are so grateful for all of the supplies that have allowed us to start well, but one urgent need is for A/V equipment for the students. The most pressing things are:

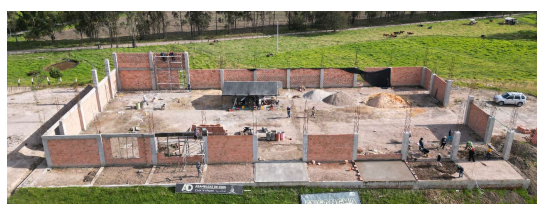
1 video projector - approx \$850.

3, 55" TV's, one for preschool & 2 for primary. \$775 each



1 multi function printer - approx \$500.

And then of course, **The Big Need** for both the school and church is to finish the gymnasium. The actual structure should be finished in the next few months and now we are working on raising funds for the roof.



Of the approx 130k needed (or less depending on exchange rates), we have raised the first \$15,000 and are praying that God would speak to our friends and partner churches. Be it for the roof or school equipment, please consider making a special gift to our project account Col5502.

We continue to believe that God will complete this miracle one step (or one bite of the elephant) at a time.

Just as Jesus had a group of people who sustained Him (Luke 8z:1-3), we also depend on God's provision as expressed through the Body of Christ. *Please partner with us through your giving!*

Canada: Cheques made out to the: PAOC. With a note naming Darren & Patricia McCrea. PAOC, 2450 Milltower Court, Mississauga, ON, L5N 5Z6

For online donations - www.paoc.org/donate/darrenmccrea

Memo should include: Designation of gift, donor's name, address and phone number to ensure receipt is correct.

USA: Make your check out to: "Mission Global USA." Please enclose a note mentioning Darren & Patty McCrea.

Mission Global USA, 27758 Santa Margarita Parkway #186
Mission Viejo, CA. 92691

Online in the USA - visit: <https://missionglobal.us/>
Select Donate, Fund - Global Workers and then Darren McCrea.



And let us sign off with some final pictures, Pastors Carlos and Angelica with dozens of children in the Susa Church, presenting gifts through Operation Christmas Child!

We are overjoyed that the community centre (church) that we helped build is being put to such good use!



As always, Gracias! for your prayers, support and friendship.

Much Love!

Darren & Patty