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Yet those who wait for the LORD Will gain new strength; They will mount up with wings like eagles, They will run and not get tired, They will walk and not become weary.

~ Isaiah 40:31

Let us not lose heart in doing good, for in due time we will reap if we do not grow weary. ¹⁰ So then, while we have opportunity, let us do good to all people, and especially to those who are of the household of the faith. ~ Galatians 6:9,10

Since our last letter there have been several major events in our world especially affecting the United States and Mexico. Hurricanes Harvey and Irma and Hurricane Katia and the Earthquakes in Oaxaca, Chiapas, Puebla and Mexico City. We are praying for all who have suffered at this time that they would put their eyes on the Lord and trust in Him, gain new strength and not lose heart in these trying times. We who trust in the Lord know this is a time of special opportunity to serve and seek to be a blessing to others in need. God is allowing us here at MITC to spearhead a region wide effort working with our churches and brethren to collect food, water and medications for the people in the most affected regions in Oaxaca. We have had the blessing of doing this in years past for areas suffering due to flooding and other problems. By the grace of God, where there was once an area of disaster, now there are works of the Lord and His Gospel is established. Please pray for God's blessing on these efforts. As our text says, **God** gives us strength and then we are able to not grow weary in doing good. Praise the Lord for His grace that is sufficient and strengthens us day by day to continue on in the work of the Lord.

God has allowed us to start our new school year 2017-2018 here at MITC and as the year begins, we send out our 4th year students to their assignments for their "Year in Practice" in the churches and missions in the mountains. During this time, they depend fully upon the Lord's provision and will be working in these churches that have requested help from the mission asking for pastors, missionaries and children workers. This is the time when our students "give back" in service to the Lord and to the brethren and also put in practice what they have received by grace during the first three years of training and living on campus at MITC. Our prayer is that the Lord will give each one of them grace and strength to serve with diligence and to not lose heart, knowing there is always a blessed result and reward of working for the Lord. Please keep these young servants in your prayers as they go forth. Here is the list of them by name and location: (left to right) Daniel-Xoxocotla, Jose Manuel-



Teponapa, Israel-La Alianza, Edgar-Xalapa, Elihud-Miahuatlan, Cecilia-Pena Verde, Yuli-Apizaco, Natalia-El Colorado, Alba-Tlicalco, Gabriela-Cacique, Ester-Papalo, Eunice-Tlacoapa. May the Lord use them for His glory and to bless the brethren and people in these different locations in the states of Oaxaca, Veracruz, Puebla and Guerrero.

We are starting the year with an enrollment of 109 Bible Students in the two programs. There are forty-four in the "Full Time" program living here on campus for the younger students and sixty-five in the Saturday Seminary for adults and those who have other responsibilities that do not allow them to come to the Full Time program. We have seventeen Bible students in the off campus "Local Schools" program in our School in **Yanga**. In November, we start our first Local School among the **Nahualt** in the region of **Acultzinapa**, led by Saturday Seminary alumni pastors **Julio and Eduardo**. So by the grace of God, His Word continues to go forth and we are planting for a greater and future harvest in the brethren in these regions.



this past month and truly gave an example of not losing heart and continuing in the service of the Lord. Year after year, we see these dear brethren who, in spite of some physical ailments and several in the team being a "little more advanced in age" do not let this interfere with their hearts' desire to serve the Lord among us and be a blessing. They helped work on projects on campus: building pews, painting, and building cabinets. Also, they helped with VBS at the churches of **El Pochote and La Cumbre**. God has used this team to work in a special way with MITC alumni pastor **Francisco Santander** and the efforts of his church in **Fortin** to share the Gospel and establish a mission work in the town of **Miahuatlan**. God has now established a

group of believers there and we have one of our students (Elihud) serving there in his year of practice.

Brother Lamar also led the team in cooking a special fellowship

dinner for all the mission family of traditional Louisianastyle fried fish, which the majority here at the mission had never had before. We were greatly blessed by



Erick and Lamar Fish Fry

their efforts and by their loving hearts and serving hands.
To help us start off the new school year (2017-2018) we had a "4 state" group come down from Texas, Wisconsin, Ohio and Indiana. Most of these brethren came to know the ministry of MITC by our board member Gary Richardson, who has served us for years bringing many short-term missionaries and groups to encourage us in our service to the Lord. The leaders of this mission team, Pastors Eber Flores (OH), Tim Tallent (IN), Bob Stine (WI), and Dick Patterson (TX), are all acquaintances of brother Gary. These brethren also helped with our mission

upkeep, painting the Men's Dorm, making quilts and building tables for the class-



rooms. Other projects involved were welding, carpentry and construction. In the ministry of the Word, they preached in our Chapel services and in several of our churches in

the region. They held Bible Clubs in churches and orphanages and also participated in worship singing and playing musical instruments. We thank the Lord for each one of our visitors that came and blessed us by their presence and also by giving of their means, which helps us to continue on with the ministry here at MITC.





By the Lord's grace we are able to continue on as He provides through each one of you who are partnering with us in God's service in Mexico. Thank you for your offerings and prayers. May the Lord encourage you knowing that your service to Him on our behalf is not in vain and God is working among us for His glory and to make Jesus Christ known in this part of the world. Muchas gracias and may the Lord bless you.

In His grace,

Dan & Chuy Hall

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DAN HALL USA TRIP SCHEDULE - 2017

Wednesday, November 15......GraceWay Church – 6:30 p.m. 6901 Buncombe Road • Shreveport, Louisiana

Sunday, November 19......Stonepoint Church – Morning Services 17588 FM 47 • Wills Point, Texas

Sunday, November 26.....First Baptist Church – 10:30 a.m. 105 E.Washington Ave. • Haughton, Louisiana

Everyone is cordially invited to attend any of the services and the reception!

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