

COSTA RICA

CHANGED LIVES

Central American Missionary Meeting

In February, we were both able to attend a meeting for BFI missionaries hosted in Guatemala. It was a great blessing to spend four days with several other missionary families from around the region, sharing in a time of teaching, fellowship, and renewal. This gathering was made possible through the initiative and coordination of Team Guatemala, along with a team from Seminole Baptist Church in Springfield, MO, including Pastor Kevin Kolb. The teaching from the book of Colossians was brought by Pastor Kevin Carson. This was such a meaningful time of growth and renewal, and we are both very thankful for everyone the Lord used to make it possible



Expository Teaching Workshop

One of the areas where churches in Costa Rica are most need is in faithful, biblical preaching. This is why we feel it is such an important area to be involved in and why we have been helping with Expository Preaching Workshops for several years. This March, we were able to be even more involved with the workshop as we serve in the new ministry in Heredia. It was such a blessing to see over 60 men, pastors and teachers from all over Costa Rica, and even from Panama and Honduras, attend these days of training to learn how to honor the Lord and bless their churches through faithful Bible teaching.



Church Training Center

One of the things we have been praying about, as mentioned above, is the opportunity to see more men and women in Costa Rica learn the Bible and grow into mature Christians and faithful leaders. We were able to take another step in that direction as we just launched our Theological Training Center in our new church. This first phase of the plan involves structured classes for all members to attend and grow in their understanding of Christian fundamentals. Lord willing, this will be the first step toward developing a training center that will prepare leaders and church planters to be sent out in the coming years. Please pray for the churches in Costa Rica and Central America as they continue to grow and be strengthened.



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