

What a great month June has been. Several mission groups came to Burgos, sharing their lives with families and impacting communities. Projects included painting, a new sidewalk, children's activities, parties in the plaza, home visits, food /clothing distribution & construction.



Families and Youth from these Texas churches were a tremendous blessing to all.
Covenant Christian Church - Paris
Anchor of Hope Christian Fellowship—Lockhart
First Assembly of God—Lockhart
The Well Church of Austin

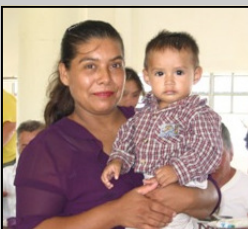
By summer's end, the number of groups and people coming on mission projects will have more than doubled from last year. BurgosMissions is encouraged by this growth and the service of these missionaries. How exciting to see the help and love God is sending to this part of the world.

Groups worked in 5 different communities. Children's programs were a big success. In the Plaza of Burgos, over a hundred children and their families gathered for games, crafts and fun. At Cristo es la Roca Church, 40 kids came to participate in a similar event. These programs impact kids and their families and help maintain the consistent involvement that is needed to make a difference.

Getting the inside of the church painted was a main goal for this month. An upcoming Quinceanera provided motivation for completing the job. First the walls had to be primed with "cemento blanco" and then painted. The before and after pictures below show the great work done by the groups.



Another great part of these trips, was the opportunity for Child Sponsors to meet the children they have been helping. Families in the region were as excited as the children to meet their "padrinos". Some families prepared meals and gave thank you notes to the sponsors. Pictured to the right are the Carpenters who sponsor Selena, The Hortons - directors of children's Church at CCC Paris that sponsors Galilea, the Silvas who help sponsor medical costs for Dora, and the Browns who sponsor Josue.



One of the visiting groups got to help host a birthday party for Cristian, his first. His family is involved in many aspects of the church. Please be praying for his mom, Antonia, who will have surgery in mid July to remove a tumor.

Please continue to be in prayer for upcoming events in July. Our church will host a quinceanera, a retreat, and revival services. We have also launched a web site. Though it is not complete, it does contain a lot of information about the work going on in Burgos. The site can be found at burgosmissions.org.

Thank you for your prayers and support. What a privilege to be able to serve the Lord in this way, in this place. What a blessing to be partnered with you in prayer and service. You are in our prayers. May you and your family be blessed as you pursue the Lord, and He pursues you.
Blessings, Matt & PJ Burton

