

THE LANTZ FAMILY

MISSIONARIES SERVING IN SÃO PAULO, BRAZIL

An Extension of the World Wide Mission Ministry of The CROSSROADS BAPTIST CHURCH

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Dear Prayer Partners,

June 30, 2024

May and June have been very busy months for us. The month of May in Brazil is the Month of the Family. Most of the Baptist churches take the month to do an emphasis on the family and we were no different. On the first Sunday the emphasis was on what type of man the father needs to be in the home and the Biblical standards for him to follow. The next Sunday dealt with the wife and what type of mother and helpmate to her husband the Bible teaches her to be. The third Sunday dealt with the children and the Biblical instructions of obedience to their parents. The forth Sunday concentrated on the family as a whole and the importance of following the Biblical roles that are set out for each individual. We also celebrated the family be having a Church Dinner on the Ground picnic which actually turned out to be a BBQ,

June in Brazil, celebrates the harvest of corn. The feiras (open air markets) sell ears of corn, still in their husks, by the bag, containing anywhere from 40 to 60 ears of corn. Individuals buy these bags of corn to have a party with their families or friends either boiling or roasting over charcoal these ears of corn. The church in Vargem Grande thus invited the church in Jardim Varginha to come for a time of fellowship eating not only boiled and roasted corn but also many other corn based dishes. Both churches had a great time of fellowship rejoicing in the harvest that God had provided.

On a side note, I was finally approved and scheduled for cataract surgery which took place on June 14th. The surgery went well, and I am in the process of recovery. On June 24th we traveled to the states for a quick in and out to take care of some other medical and personal needs but will be returning to Brazil on July 19. Please pray that we can get everything done during this short time home, A former Bible Institute student of mine, Pr, Paulo Bastos is taking care of the church along with one of our faithful men, during our absence.

Once again, as always, thank you for your faithfulness in supporting us financially and/or prayerfully through the years. The churches in Jardim Varginha and Vargem Grande are here today because you prayed and invested in God's work. Please continue to pray with us that we will see an even greater Harvest of souls for the honor and glory of our Lord Jesus Christ in 2024.

Thankfully Received	All Because of JESUS,
May - June <u>200.00</u>	
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