

# NEWSLETTER

# September— December

We are happy to have you here, we want to start by saying "Thank you" for taking the time to check out the update in our lives.

We want to share with you everything that we do in our daily activities, and how your support has helped us and has help other as well.

Lest jump into it....

# 1. Septic tanks for 2 Mom's from Casa Esperanza.

We are so happy that God bless 2 families this year with their own septic tanks.

The 1st one was made for Silvia and her 3 children, we worked for about 2 weeks completing this project, they are so happy and move to there home in no time.





The 2nd one was made for Rosio and her 3 children this project took around 1 1/2 weeks to complete, this beautiful family are living in there home now.

This project help the families have a septic tank running and with that they could now take showers, and use the toilets, what a blessing!





#### 2. Helping the homeless in our community

We have been involved in the "homeless" ministry; we started helping our home church, "Familia y Amigos," with this amazing ministry about a year ago, not too long after they started.

What we do within this ministry is provide food, drinks, and clothing to the less fortunate in our community. Every 2 weeks, we get together and go with our friends to "Plaza Las Palmas" (which is the place where we meet the homeless) and have a time to pray for them. Then, we bless them with a warm meal, drink, dessert, and sometimes clothing.

As a family, we are in charge of the coffee and desserts, so every time we visit them, we make sure that we have at least an Igloo full of coffee and dessert for them.





3. Outreach in Tijuana for the Lady's in the streets.

As a part of the church, we had an outreach in the northern part of Tijuana where girls from all over the country came and worked as prostitutes, we helped in the clothing and manicure areas.

It was a blessing to be a part of this ministry; the ladies were so happy and full of joy that we talked with them about their families and how they got to Tijuana; some were open to sharing and others were not; we told them about how God is always looking out for them and prayed for their lives.



God is good!

We worked hand in hand with a group of people called "The Fixers" to add a football field, a pirate ship, and a shade area at Mi Casa Esperanza school.

Edgar was managing the shade project; he directed the construction of the foundation for the shade and field areas; he made sure that everything was in order and ready for the construction by managing the people, tools, and materials.

We also help with the display of the octagonal paving stone on the front side of the school.



### 5. Helping "San Pedro Tepescolula" community in Oaxaca.

Thanks to pastor Enrique from Oaxaca, we are able to help the kids through a ministry that they have every Saturday. They have lessons, games, gifts, and food for the children of the community.

We are helping economically by sending them support every two weeks to help with the expenses of the activities.



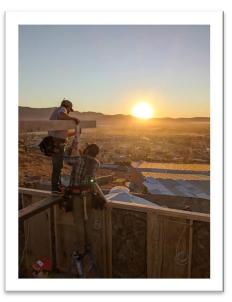


We helped other house-building ministries with some of their projects; we went and sometimes brought our own tools to make the work more efficient.

When we help coordinate or assist with a house project, it is a great way to share ideas about house construction and how to improve the builds in order to present a house with higher quality and a longer life for the families.

















## 7. Special visit from Valley Community Church



At the end of the year in December, we had the pleasure of having Valley Community Church come down and help cover the need of delivering blankets for the shelter of Mi Casa Esperanza and the community around. They also worked at Real Life Ministries facilities, fixing the front side of the dinner room and helping with the termination issue. As they were working on that, they helped change the curtains on all the rooms



There were activities done during this special event; we had food, crafts, a special service for the moms at Mi Casa Esperanza, and some pantry items for the families. It was an absolute blessing because it is better to give than to receive.











We also celebrated NG's birthday; she turned 24 years old on December 10th, and what a great way to celebrate it with family and friends. She was really happy.



Thank you VCC for all your wonderful blessings!

We always love seeing you all and spending quality time with you all!





Thank you for your support; you help us make a difference in many ways.

Hope you have a Merry Christmas and happy new year!

Sincerely,

Edgar and NG Hernandez.

