



The REINHARDTS Missionaries to Chile

Dear Pastor, Friend and Church.

Thank you for your work in reaching this world with the Gospel. Thank you for your continual love, care, and prayers.

CAMP UPDATE

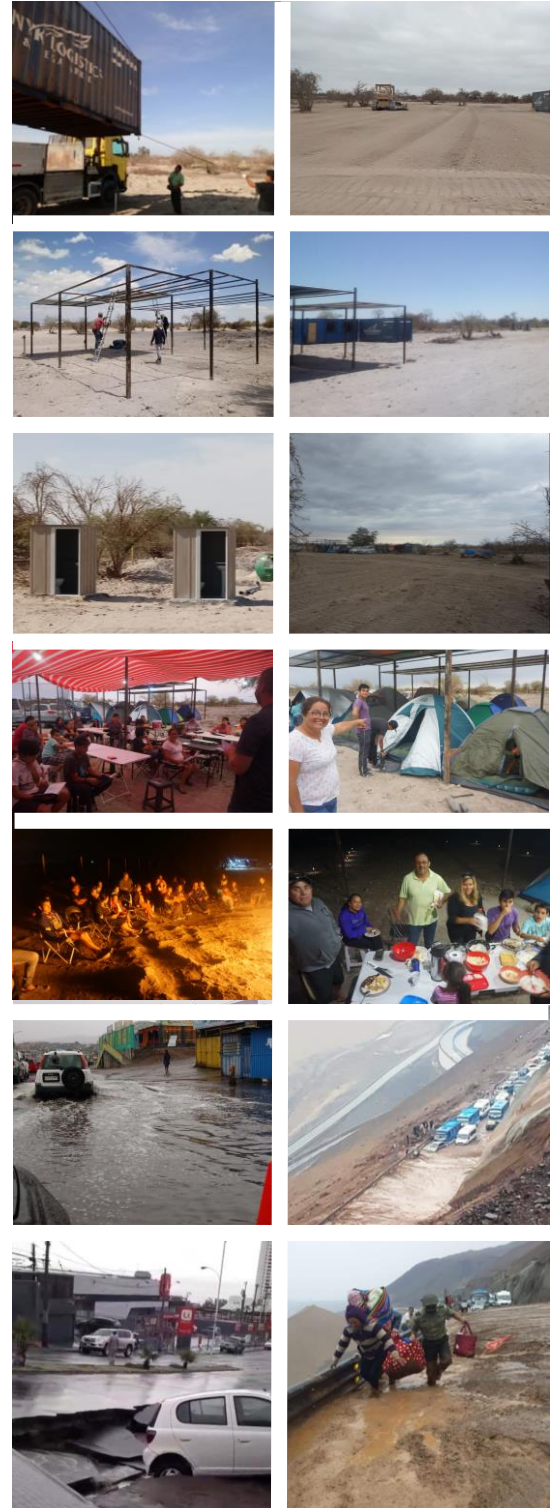
January was spent developing the newly purchased property for summer camp. We leveled and enclosed the entire property and built a shade area. We purchased two shipping containers – setting up one for a kitchen and the other for a storage unit. Plus we built two bathrooms, and a shower. That was a lot to accomplish in one month, but were thrilled that we were able to achieve the majority of the tasks we had proposed.

Then we had a 5 day camp/retreat with the Alto Hospicio church. We were able to have quality time away from hectic normal life with the 35 people that attended. We saw some major life transforming victories and a refueled spiritual energy for the year ahead. It rained on the first night and then was cloudy through the rest of the retreat which is really a blessing in the desert. This year’s plans include day retreats, a winter retreat, youth camps, and planning next year’s camp to include sister churches.

Our urgent construction projects involve digging a 45 feet well (starting in two weeks), building a parsonage, a multipurpose building for the winter season and a swimming pool.

STORMY WEATHER

On Saturday February 9, we received ½ inch of rain in 3 hours. That is equivalent to 15 years’ worth of rain! Living on the edge of the driest desert in the world, our city has no drainage system. The two main roads that connect our city with the coastal city of Iquique were damage as were the roads to the interior. Our church building suffered some minor damages but with the help of our church family helping all was cleaned up and we were ready for Sunday and the start of VBS.



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VBS 2019

A week after our camp/retreat we had our 3rd VBS. Thirty-eight kids participated (4 – 12 year olds) with 15 first time visitors. Carla did a great job directing it with great help from our church members.

Some of the victories we celebrate are:

- Carlos, (age 12), son of an adamant atheist, attended, enjoyed and has come back to church.
- Three new families came back the following Sunday.
- Marianela, the mother of Natasha (21) and Catalina (15), and a friend Adriana (11) have been back for several services. All for made a salvation decision following VBS.
- Two of our church families cut their vacations short to make it back for VBS.

COUPLES EVENT

February 15, also the last night of VBS, we had a special couple's dinner in the front patio of Robert y Andrea. We were able to bring three new couples to our existing core.

PREACHING SCHEDULE

Expecting a summer dip in attendance, we focused our teaching towards the faithful folk.

- Sunday Morning - Revelations
- Sunday Evening - Biblical prayer
- Wednesday - Theology of Missions

Summer ends and March begins our school year.

- Sunday Morning – Leadership (Joshua)
- Sunday Evening – Missions Emphasis
- Wednesday – 16 week class on Hermeneutics

I will also be working on training up men, 2 in pastoral training (Leandro and Jorge), 2 in leadership training (Ariel and Roberto) and 2 in basic discipleship (Alvaro and David).

THANK YOU

*Be of good courage,
and he shall strengthen your heart,
all ye that hope in the LORD.*

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