



May - June 2025

The Next Generation Rising

In May, we were blessed with a truly special day as the youth of our church led the entire Sunday morning service. From the opening prayer to leading worship, teaching Sunday school, making announcements, sharing special music, and delivering a powerful gospel message, every part of the service was both inspiring and deeply moving.



For years, we have faithfully prayed for and poured countless hours into the spiritual growth of our young people. To see them respond so passionately to their camp experience in April—with a renewed commitment to personal holiness and a bold desire to reach their lost friends and family—was incredibly rewarding. Our continued prayer is that their spiritual fervor will not only impact their peers but also inspire the adults in our church to pursue a deeper, more genuine relationship with the Lord.



Prayer Requests

1. Our safety and physical and spiritual health
2. Evangelism and discipleship in all 3 churches
3. Pastor Elias's recovery from major back surgery
4. Cibao Baptist Seminary - students and teachers

Graduated to Glory



In June, while we were in the U.S. on a short furlough, we received the bittersweet news that one of the dearest and most beloved ladies in our church, Ms. Ramona Brito, had graduated to heaven. Ms. Ramona held a very special place in our hearts. Though she had been mostly bedridden over the past year, her joyful spirit never waned. Holly and I cherished our visits with her—listening to her stories and witnessing her deep love for the Lord was always a blessing. A record number of friends and family gathered for her celebration of life service. Many in attendance were unsaved and had the opportunity to hear a clear and powerful presentation of the gospel. Please join us in praying that those who loved Ramona in this life will come to know Christ, so they might be reunited with her in the life to come.

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