

Greetings, faithful friends!

I pray that this update finds you well and enjoying the blessings of the Lord. As we enter what some have called “month seven of ‘14 days to flatten the curve,” many aspects of life remain altered.

Nevertheless, TWR continues to effectively minister to the world by mass media!

A listener in Peru sent us the encouraging lines below that affirm that the work that we do provides relief during this “challenging time.”

“You are an oasis in the desert of the coronavirus quarantine. Thank God for this blessed program (Thru the Bible Spanish) that nourishes us spiritually. May Our Lord help you to continue this precious mission of reaching the world with the Word of God.”

I want to share a few other testimonies so that you will be encouraged, too.

A listener from Mexico listens on the YouVersion app and wrote ...

“We have been studying every day since the pandemic started. You have been a tremendous blessing to my husband and me. We thank God for your lives and your dedication to take systematic discipleship to the Church of Christ. God bless your effort!”

This brother tunes in from Colombia.

“In difficult times like these that society is going through now, the time has come for the true Gospel that Christ delivered to those who follow in his footsteps to continue being announced. I thank the God of glory for your radio programming that reaches a large part of the population. Onward with the Good News! I wish you continued blessings in this effort.”

A Guatemalan listener listens to our programs on the TWR360 app.

“You have been a blessing to my life and to many more as I give the study twice a day to several women during this quarantine. Thank you very much and blessings on your ministry; keep going because you help us understand the Word of God.”

"Keep going." "Onward with the Good News!" "May Our Lord help you to continue this precious mission of reaching the world with the Word of God."

These listeners are so encouraging!

And, their testimonies are the result of your faithful prayers and offerings. You recognize the importance of bringing God's Word to the world and your participation in this ministry impacts the lives of people around the Spanish-speaking world.

Thank you for partnering with me in the ministry so that others can also receive the blessings that come from knowing God through the study of His Word.

Hello and goodbye

Since my last update, we have had some significant changes in our Spanish Ministry team.

At the end of August, Josue Berdiales joined our team! Originally from Peru, Josue and



his family moved to the US when he was three years old.

Among other things, Josue will help us extend the reach of the solid biblical teaching that characterizes TWR by growing the number of stations broadcasting the programs that we distribute internationally.

Another significant change in our team is that, at the end of September, Renata Nachtigall retired after 45 years of ministry with TWR. We will all miss her here in Cary as will the many listeners and radio stations that she has helped on a regular basis over the years.

Finally...we are working in the office again! Working from home has its benefits, but it's nice to be together again and incorporating Josue* into our little team is a lot easier to do with us all in the office together.

** Fun fact: Josue is Joshua in Spanish.*

Serving with TWR

TWR isn't a traditional missions organization (looking for evangelists and church planters) but rather, looking for engineers, technicians, international accountants and bookkeepers, audio and video production assistants. Because of this fact, it has

historically been challenging to recruit and fill the positions that we have available.

However, in the last few months we have actually been stretched to keep up with all the high-quality applicants that we're receiving! It's encouraging to see how God is working in the lives of His people and moving them toward global missions!

Learn more about opportunities to serve with TWR at twr.org/serve.



In my last update, I shared that I had come under personal attack and asked you to pray for me.

While the fallout of the situation will be ongoing for some time, I do feel like our prayers were answered as things have improved somewhat and the situation is less "critical." My goal is to keep my focus on Christ and what He has called me to both personally and in service to Him through ministry at TWR.

Thank you for reading my ministry notes, for praying, and for your partnership in making this ministry possible. May God richly bless you.

POINTS OF PRAYER and PRAISES

1. Please pray for listeners to find peace in the Prince of peace during these "trying and uncertain times."
2. Please pray for Renata as she transitions into retirement.
3. Please pray for Josue as he learns his way around TWR in general, and our US Spanish ministry specifically.
4. We praise God for the many people applying for missionary service with TWR and pray for the Lord's guidance as each one explores the possibilities.
5. Please continue to pray for the US Spanish Ministry as we are essentially knitting ourselves back together as a team.