

Chile Outreach

LATINO MINISTRIES

SPRING 2021

In August 2020, the ministry in Chile began in the neighborhood of where the current pastors/church planters live, Santiago, Chile. Today, the house church congregates every Sunday. On Thursdays they have discipleship classes. On Saturdays they did community outreach up until recently, but due to strict Covid measures and restrictions they are on a radical shut-down which has prevented community outreach. They had been providing food to the community members, but now have limited their outreach to families who are currently unemployed. They have about 12 people who meet regularly on Sundays and 3 people who are attending but have not yet made a decision for Christ. They also have a handful of children attending as well. Once a month the women come together for deeper fellowship with one another in a group known as "Unmoved Women." It is our understanding that in order to get around they must have a pass that allows them to go to the store and buy food. On Sundays, members of the congregation use this pass to attend services on their way to or back from getting their groceries.

Please pray for the pastoral family. They are Jose Dario Briceño Chacon (husband), Yolmary Rodriquez Garcias (wife), Isabella Briceño (daughter, 6 years old), and Isaac Briceño (son, 1 year old). You may have read that in 2018, Dario went to Chile because of the economic and health crisis in Venezuela, and he was able to get a job and set up a stable environment for his family, who arrived 2 years later in 2020. After Yolmary arrived in Chile in August 2020, ministry began through online preaching of God's Word (via Zoom). This happened weekly and still does to this day. The Churches of God, General Conference, sent Emergency Covid Funds to Chile to help them purchase masks, disinfectants, sanitizers and food. This helped the church become stronger during the pandemic and caused more people to come to know about the outreach ministry and church gathering. we hope to see Chile soon become the next official mission field of Global Reach and Churches of God, General Conference.



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