

Global Outreach Highlight

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Greetings from Chiapas, Mexico!

Thank God who sustains us each day! We are so thankful to God for all that He allows us to do in His work. For every Tzeltal who is understanding and listening to God's Word, for every opportunity we have to help in the community, for every invitation we are made to cultural events, and for the friendships we have come to have. God has been so good to us, and He continues to use us in this people, even though sometimes we feel that we are not wise, intelligent, much less strong, but in His Word He reminds us that He is the one who does the work, and gives us strength in our weaknesses.

Teaching in the Church: As for teaching within the church, (as we had told you in the past reports) we began to study the Word of God again from Genesis, on Thursdays. On Sundays, preparing messages for preaching led us to the same goal of the lesson that we saw on Thursdays. But after two weeks we realized that the brothers sometimes no longer remembered what we had seen in the lesson a week ago. So together with my brothers we plan to give the chronological study two days a week, which are Thursdays and Sundays. Only the dynamic is different, on Thursdays we begin with a prayer and study, and on Sundays we sing, pray, give offering, and study. Thanks be to God, the brothers are very animated, attentive, and remember better what we see in each time of teaching.

Visitors! In these two months we received several visits from friends who traveled from Chihuahua to greet us and see the work that God is doing among the Tzeltals. We were able to spend a good time with each of them, and we always enjoy the visits, because they give us energy and encouragement to continue with the mission activities we have in the town. We are very grateful to God and to you for sustaining us through your prayers and financial support. May our Lord Jesus Christ, who loved us and by His grace gave us eternal comfort, encourage you and strengthen your hearts every day.

Prayer Requests

- May God use us to continue sharing His word.
- Wisdom in developing lessons together with my siblings.
- Encouragement and wisdom for Betty, Diego and Tammi in learning the language.
- For the brothers and sisters who have understood the Gospel, may the Lord continue to help them and give them growth in knowing our Lord more and for those who have not yet understood, may God also continue to work in them and that they may come to understand the Gospel.

Thank you so much for praying for us!

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Weekly Prayer Guide



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— A Word on Prayer from Our Pastors —

Prayer Gatherings: Here's our passionate encouragement: choose one or more of the prayer gatherings listed below and make it your habit to attend and participate. To add the discipline of prayer to your life can only bring benefit to your soul...and at the same time will have impact on the world around you!

- Pre-Worship Gathering Prayer Group - 9:45 AM
- After Worship Gathering Prayer Group - 12:00 PM
- Thursday Morning Men's Prayer Group - 6:00 AM
- Thursday Morning Women's Prayer Group - 10:00 AM

— Prayer Requests and Updates —

CBC Food Bank Ministry: We were busy at the food bank yesterday, serving sixteen families (39 individuals) and welcoming three first-timers. Here are their prayer requests:

- A woman is struggling with her neighbors.
- A man is on life support.
- A woman has lung and heart problems and has diabetes.
- A woman has cancer and Alzheimer's disease.
- A man has colon cancer.
- A man's brother has schizophrenia.
- A woman gives thanks for your prayers.
- A man is having vision problems with his left eye.
- A couple have a teenage daughter. They are first-time visitors and don't include any specific prayer requests.
- A single mom with a 10-year-old daughter writes, "My daughter and I are together and recently moved into our own place."
- A man writes, "Single dad, work fulltime."

Kit Close: Please pray for Kit as she heals from a fractured collarbone caused by deteriorating bones, an underlying issue. She had a PET scan on July 18 and will need a bone biopsy from oncology. Praise God for her loving daughter who helps her. Kit welcomes visitors at her new place in CDA! Contact the church office for details.

"Our lives must reflect a continual commitment to the constant exercise of prayer. All that you learn about God should drive you into His presence. Make that your goal as you take every aspect of your life to Him in prayer." —John MacArthur

You can scan the QR code to share a prayer request with us.



You can scan the QR code to schedule the church prayer room.



— Events, Ministries, and Opportunities —

Communication Cards: Please use the communication cards located in the pews to share a prayer request, update phone or address, tell us about yourself, volunteer to serve, etc. Place cards in an offering box. The church office is open Mon.-Thurs., 8:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m. Always feel free to call 208-664-4883 or email office@cdabible.org. We love hearing from you!

CDA Bible Church Food Bank Requests:

- Canned Spaghetti Sauce, 24-oz. cans, any flavor (no glass jars, please)
- Tuna, 4 or 5-oz cans
- Peanut Butter, 16-oz jars, smooth or crunchy

Please leave donations on the cart in the lobby on Sunday. Thank you!

Women's Coffee Fellowship: These gatherings are held on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of each month from 8:30-10:00 AM. It's a casual time of fellowship. Bring your own coffee, tea, hot chocolate, or H2O. Invite a friend!

Eating for a Cancer-Free Life: You are invited to our group meeting on the 3rd Saturday each month at Kristi Ammon's home. If you are interested in learning how to eat according to a cancer-free diet, praying together, and cooking together, join us! Call Kristi at 208-660-4817.

SAVE-THE-DATE: Gals' Getaway at Shoshone Mountain is September 19-21!

Lost and Found: Missing something? The lost and found is in the basement northside near the elevator. Unclaimed items are donated to charity.

Waymaker Arts: Waymaker Arts is a brand new Christian theater group in the CDA community that has been rehearsing at CDA Bible Church. In July-August, they will present their production of *Pride vs. Prejudice*, an original musical production based on Jane Austen's timeless classic novel. Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased at waymakerarts.ticketgoat.com. Performance location is CDA Bible Church worship center, and dates are:



July 24, 7:00 PM

July 31, 7:00 PM

July 25, 7:00 PM

August 1, 7:00 PM

July 26, 2:00 and 7:00 PM

August 2, 2:00 and 7:00 PM

Mark Your Calendar

July 20-25: Youth Group Summer Camp (12 PM) Stonewater

July 21: CBC Guys' Taco Night (6 PM) Pavilion

Aug 23: Rummage Sale (Start saving donations!)

Sept 10: Wednesday Gathering Resumes (All ages!)

Sept 11: Ladies' Thursday Bible Study Resumes

Sept 19-21: Gals' Getaway at Shoshone Mountain Retreat



CDA Bible Guys' Taco Night!

Monday, July 21
6:00 PM
CBC Pavilion

Hey, Guys of CDA Bible! Our church elders and pastors want to invite you to a special men's gathering where we will enjoy some amazing food and fellowship. It's our desire to gather the CDA Bible guys (age 16 and up) so we can encourage you with our vision for growing and ministering to the men of our church!

Sign up in the lobby today!
Invite your friends!

Discipleship Groups

D-Groups: All adults are invited to join a discipleship group. Growing an intimate love for and trusting obedience to Jesus is one of our key values; we call this *discipleship*. We encourage our church family to find various forms of healing, meaningful community, and spiritual maturity demonstrated in love for God and others through discipleship. D-Groups of 4-6 people and other forms of mentoring are organized by mature, trusted leaders in our church towards this end. Sign up at the table in the lobby or email:

Pastor Zach
zach@cdabible.org



"WHAT DOES GOD WANT FOR ME?"

Ephesians 3:14-21

Pastor Kurt Staeuble

Sunday AM—July 20, 2025



Message notes:

Pride has no place in us as i_____ or within the

c_____ Body of Christ.

The 3 enemies of the growing Christian:

1. The f_____;

2. The w_____;

3. S_____ and d_____

Hesed = a love that is s_____

u_____, e_____.

Why the church?

- To give God g_____
- To g_____/e_____ disciples
- To provide a w_____ to the world

Marriage Matters



MARRIAGE MATTERS - SEPTEMBER 10, 2025

This is still a couple of months out, but Sara and I will be leading a Wednesday Gathering group called MARRIAGE MATTERS this fall. We'll start on September 10 and have about 12 sessions. This is something we've talked about presenting for many years. This group will meet from 6:30 to 8:00 PM. What makes this particularly convenient is that nursery, kids' classes, and youth group are offered at the same time.

Our goals for the MARRIAGE MATTERS group include:

- Gaining a greater theological understanding of what God has in mind for marriage.
- Offering practical ideas, handles, and strategies toward growing our marriages in ways we may have never imagined.

There's a lot of wisdom about marriage available to us. We aim to gather some valuable insights and practices to share with you.

If you have any questions, you can connect with me by email at kurt@cdabible.org. Sign up in the lobby today!

-Pastor Kurt



CBC'S ANNUAL MAKE-AN-OFFER RUMMAGE SALE - AUG. 23

CBC's rummage sale is a popular event in our community, raising funds for various ministries each year. Last year, you helped us raise over \$9,200!

How it works:

QUALITY CHECK: Our shoppers appreciate the quality of our gently used items. Before bringing anything to the church, please ensure all items are clean and in good repair, and free of stains or mechanical issues (missing parts, etc.). Your pre-screening of items before drop-off will aid our volunteers as they set up the sale and prevent unnecessary trips to the landfill with things not in sale condition.

DROP OFF: You can begin dropping off donations at the gym loading dock from August 18 to 22, Monday through Friday, 9:00-5:00. If you must drop off earlier, contact Marilee for options. She will work with you! ☺

BIG OR HEAVY ITEMS: Contact Marilee if you have large or heavy items to donate so she can list them on Facebook Marketplace and save you a trip. Buyers can pick them up directly at your house or storage site, so you move them only once, and CBC still receives donations for our ministry fund.

VOLUNTEER: You are invited to volunteer to sort donations and set up for the sale. (You get to shop early, too!). Set-up days are open hours for volunteering; just come on in from 9:00 to 5:00. Sale day will be scheduled to ensure coverage all day from 8:00 to 2:00.

CONTACT: Marilee at 208-661-9852 or marilee@cdabible.org.