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**“Everything you do, O God is holy. No God is as great as you.” Psalm 78: 13**  
*(Today’s English Version)*

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Grace and peace to you from God our Father and from the Lord Jesus Christ. We praise the Lord God for all He is doing in our lives and in the ministry here in Peru, for filling us with His Holy Spirit to guide and direct each of our steps, and for pouring out His grace upon us through His precious Son, Jesus Christ. We hope and pray that He has been blessing you wonderfully during this past month and that your life has been filled with His glorious riches and mercy. We want to give you special thanks for your continued prayers for us and support of the ministry in Peru. We definitely see the results of your prayers for us and for the ministry here. You are special people called by our Lord Jesus Christ to minister to His children. Thank you for your faithfulness to His calling. Thank you for your love for Him, for us, and for His children.

In May, Arthur and Billy and Laurie Drum went to San Martin de Pangoa in the jungle to prepare for a medical campaign that will be conducted in August. During the campaign, we will be working with Charo Puente and Abraham Campos who live in the town. Charo is the daughter of Genaro Puente Sr., who has worked with us for many years. Charo and Abraham have several Discipleship Groups and several Kids’ Clubs in the town, and they will be following up on the people that accept Jesus during the medical campaign. Please pray that everything will go smoothly during the campaign, and that many people will accept the Lord Jesus Christ and will continue to grow in Him.



Abram, Charo, Keven, Flor, and Damaris

God has given us a real blessing this month because Benjamin and Joshua have come here and are going to be with us until the end of July. They have a break from school and are spending their vacation with us. Please pray that God will give them rest while they are here, and that He will use them to advance His kingdom here in Peru.

Arthur, Benjamin, Joshua, Mary Alice, and Willy had a fun time taking the Shoeshine Boys on a short outing. We went to a recreation area for the day, and the boys really enjoyed playing soccer and eating trout for lunch. The leader of the group, Richard, told us that God is changing many of their lives. Several of them now have good stable jobs and families. Many of them have stopped drinking and using drugs.



Arthur and Willy (center) with the Shoeshine Boys. Richard is behind Arthur

Mayta, one of the shoeshine boys, is trying hard to stop drinking, but has had a lot of trouble winning the battle. He has placed himself in rehabilitation several times, but each time he comes out he has ultimately returned to drinking. Willy, who works with Arthur, is an ex-alcoholic, and has been trying to help with these problems as well as assist Arthur in the discipling process. We praise God for what He is doing in the lives of these young men. Please continue to pray that all of them will continue to grow in Christ, and that they will be set free from all of their strongholds. Also, please pray especially for Mayta that he can be free from alcohol and drugs.



Mayta

Arthur and Eric McBride are still working on the machine that will make plastic bottles. They have spent a lot of time looking for parts for the machine. Please pray that God will give them both wisdom to finish this machine, and that it will work very well.

Mary Alice and Arthur have started a new discipleship group that meets on Friday. The people that come seem to be very interested in learning about Jesus. Please pray that God will encourage each of them to be faithful to come each week so that they can grow in their relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ.

Three interns have arrived to help the missionary team in Peru - Rachel Robertson, Emily Heinz, and Taylor Knapp. Rachel will be working with Ash and Audra McEuen, and Emily and Taylor will be working with Susie Carbajal in Patarcocha. The Drums have started a small school there for 4 year olds whose parents don't have money for school, and they also conduct a Kid's Club there. Susie has worked with us for a long time, and has had a lot of experience working with children in Clubs and also doing Discipleship Groups. Please pray that God will put his angels around all the interns, that they can adapt quickly to the culture, and that God will use them in a mighty way to advance His Kingdom here in Peru.

In January, we were informed that the Peru ministry support would be reduced by several of our supporters. We lost almost 25% of our financial support in one month. We know times are hard economically, however, you can still help us to overcome this loss and continue with the ministry here. If everyone who receives this newsletter that does not already help us financially, would consider giving \$10.00 or \$20.00 per month, we could make up this loss quickly. It doesn't take much to help. Please consider helping us with the Peru ministry in this way. You can give by going to the following links:

<https://tms-global.org/give>

For giving Missionary support please use the "Give to Missionary" form and specify the 4 digit code 0254 or the name, "A Ivey".

If you wish to direct your gift to one of our "Special Projects", simply indicate this in the note to the finance department on your checkout page by clicking "add instructions to the finance office" below the gift on your checkout page or by clicking the "edit" button underneath the gift or you may send a check made payable to "TMS Global" to the address below with a reference on the memo line "Ivey Support 0254"

Please be in prayer for each one of our workers and for each one of the ministries and projects, the discipleship ministry, the evangelism and church planting ministry, the prayer ministry, and the work to self sustain these ministries. Please continue to pray for financial support for the ministries both from Peruvian sources and U.S. sources. Please continue to pray that the Holy Spirit would continue to awaken and change hearts among the people of Huancayo, and for the leaders of the churches in Peru, and for their spiritual protection and growth in the Lord Jesus. Also be in prayer for Billy and Laurie Drum, Ash and Audra McEuen, Martin and Tracy Reeves, Louise Reimer, Tim and Jennifer Goshorn, and their families. All are missionaries with TMS Global that currently or will soon be working in Peru. Pray also for Obed and Cynthia Alvarez, the head of NEWMA, as well as their other leaders and national missionaries. Please pray for our safety as we travel, and that we will boldly speak God's Word wherever we go.

We pray that Jesus will continue to give you hope to live each day for Him, and we also pray that God is drawing you closer and closer to Him every day. God bless you. We love you.

Yours in Christ,

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