

THE MCCLUEYS

Missionaries to the Deaf of Colombia

4th Annual Colombian Deaf Conference



We just concluded our 4th Annual Colombian Deaf Conference in San Francisco, Colombia in March. With 96 people attending, this was our biggest conference to date. The theme verse this year was Psalms 37:27 with the idea that we must choose what is good. There were teaching sessions in the morning, afternoon, and church services at night from Thursday through Saturday. We capped off this amazing camp by baptizing 10 people on Sunday morning. We were honored to have special guest, Pastor and WDAG President Emory Dively, from the United States teach a few sessions and preach at the conference. God moved in amazing ways and numerous young people gave their hearts to Jesus, others were baptized in the Holy Spirit for the first time, and many people rededicated their life to Jesus. Everyone had a wonderful time, and it was all made possible because of the amazing support from BGMC! Thank you BGMC!

Missionary Kids Update



Sarah Nadine turned 16 years old this Spring and she celebrated with her best friend, Mattie, who came to visit. Last week, she was able to play piano for a worship group in the talent show at the MK Retreat. We are so proud of her!



James turned 13 this Spring and celebrated by having his favorite Colombian dish, Bandeja Paisa. He has grown another 3 inches since our last newsletter and is always encouraging us and others.

Thank you for your Christmas donations.

To everyone who donated for our Christmas dinner and gifts for the CODAS, we want to tell you thank you from the bottom of our hearts. The joy and happiness that was felt by everyone at the Deaf Church was amazing and was made possible because of your generosity and kindness. We pray God blesses you richly for your donations and prayers.



Thank you!

We can never say thank you to each of you enough. Your faithfulness is truly remarkable. We have never gone without because of your generosity towards us. Your prayers, encouragement, and support means more than you can ever know. Thank you so much, we love y'all!

Ministry Updates

We have had a wonderful start to 2024. We have continued producing videos for Compartirlabiblia.com, our digital resource library for the Deaf of Colombia with the support of BOH Ministries. We have populated the library enough that I am able to use the videos on Wednesday nights when I teach the evangelism class at the church. The women's ministry has grown and developed to the point that the ladies from the church have taken over the leadership of the group with Dede now helping them lead. What an amazing praise report from where the group started years ago with just Dede and one other lady. God is so faithful!!!

Colegio Filadelfia para Sordos (CFS) school started in February, and we continue to teach a few days each week. We have seen increased interest from the students in the things of God, and several students have accepted Jesus as their Lord and Savior. PTL!!! We hosted a mission's team from Calvary Christian Church from Lynnfield, MA in February. They were a blessing as they shared the love of Jesus in CFS and in Soacha.

In March we had some special guests, Jorge Blas, Pastor Emory Dively, and the Dove family. Jorge came to do a short-term internship here and we were thrilled with the time we got to spend with him. He was an immense blessing, and we know God has big plans for him in Mexico. Pastor Emory came to visit us and spent time teaching and preaching in the church and at the camp. The Dove family came to celebrate Sarah Nadine's 16th birthday and we continued "making memories" with our dear friends. Thank you all for coming!

We finished the month with the proverbial cherry on top, our 4th Annual Deaf Camp. It was an amazing time of fellowship and discipleship with many lives changed and prayers answered. Thank you BGMC and Revival Center from Vincent.





Top Left: CCC Missions Team in Soacha **Top Middle:** Kids Ministry team at Deaf Camp **Top Right:** Sarah Nadine & James on top of Rock at Guatape **Middle Left:** Christmas Kids ministry drama **Middle:** Pastor Emory preaching and John Jaider interpreting **Middle Right:** Dove Family visiting for Sarah Nadine's birthday **Bottom Left:** Dede with two girls from Soacha with CCC team. **Bottom Mid -** Christmas dinner at park for church **Bottom Right:** Pastor William and Jorge Blas discussing differences in culture before recording videos for compartirlabiblia.com

Prayer Requests

- Pray for a good location for the 2026 WDAG Conference in Cartagena.
- Continue to pray for friends for our children.
- Please continue to pray for success in the development and production of our digital biblical resource library (compartirlabiblia.com).
- God would call and equip Deaf leaders and pastors.

Praise Reports

- We praise God for 3 new students that asked Jesus in their heart, those that rededicated their lives to Jesus and the 10 that were baptized in water at the Deaf camp.
- We praise God for every one of you who faithfully pray for us and support us both financially and emotionally. You are a blessing from God and we are so very thankful for you. Also, Thank you BGMC and STL!!!!

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