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I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes: first for the Jew, then for the Gentile. For in the gospel a righteousness from God is revealed, a righteousness that is by faith from first to last,^a just as it is written: "The righteous will live by faith."

Romans 1:16-17 NIV

Trip To Brazil

I will be taking a trip to Brazil from May 12th - May 23rd. This trip will allowing me to talk with Jim personally and to get a better understanding of the Brazil Evangelism mission. I would appreciate your prayers for saftey and success on this trip. Thank you!

Monthly Newsletter

Last month I said I was only going to do a newsletter every 2 or 3 months from now on, but I also asked you to reply if you wanted the newsletter to continue on a monthly basis. Everyone who responded said they wanted to receive the newsletter on a monthly basis. I will be pleased to do a newsletter every month. However, the cost of sending the newsletter out continues to rise so I would like to make a cost saving step.

If you have an e-mail address you would be able to receive the newsletter through your e-mail and it doesn't cost anything to send it that way. Please let me know if you have e-mail and I will send the newsletter to you in your e-mail in the form of a PDF file attachment. Sending the newsletter this way saves money. When it is sent out through e-mail we do not have to buy ink, paper, stamps, and envelops. If you have an e-mail address and you are willing to receive the newsletter this way please let me know by sending an e-mail to pastorengler@centurytel.net. Thank you for your help.

Jim's Phone Number Change & Using Skype

Recently I tried to called Jim to talk about my trip to see him, but I was not able to call him on the phone. Jim finally e-mailed me and told me that his phone number has changed. The new phone number is listed on the left side of this newsletter.

Would you like to call Jim for free? While Jim does have a phone you can call him on I found that it is better to call him through a computer program called Skype. This is a free program to download and use for computer to computer calls to anywhere in the world. Jim uses this program and told me about it, it is a great way to keep in touch with him and Maria Felix. Jim has a web cam on his computer so when you use this program you not only can talk to him you can see him as well. If you have a web cam Jim will be able to see you as well.

I recently talked to a missionary who used Skype to help conduct and V.B.S. in Clarence, MO from Taiwan. Using this program you could have a personal visit with Jim at your mission committee meeting, missions fair, and so on. If you are interested in this program go to www.skype.com.

April 2008 Giving Churches

First Christian Church Fairland, OK	\$55.00
Seneca Christian Church	\$75.00
Capital West Christian Church	\$200.00
Madison Church of Christ	\$500.00
Center Christian Church	\$300.00
First Christian Church Grayville IL	\$150.00
Villa Heights Christian Church	\$150.00
Granville Center Church of Christ	\$50.00
Westside Christian Church	\$100.00
Delta Christian Church of Christ	\$150.00
Parkview Christian Church	\$300.00
Sterling Christian Church	\$1,050.00
West 20th St. Christian Church	\$50.00
Tyro Christian Church	\$1,100.00

Individuals & Groups

Joan Boyd - Joplin, MO	
Rebecca Hall - Aurora, MO	
Mike Pierce - Enterprise, OR	
Stan Wohlenhaus - Webb City, MO	
Henry & Marcia Martin - Granville Summit, PA	
Patrick & Mary Otero - Joplin, MO	
George & Patrica Roane - Henderson, NV	
Charles & Erma DePauw - Grinnell, IA	
Bruce & Julie Mixter - Austin, CO	
Kingdom Builder Class - Pomona C.C. - Willow Springs, MO	
TNT Class - Villa Heights Christian Church, Joplin, MO	
Total Giving Churches & Individuals	\$4,735.00

We thank you for your continued support with prayers and financially. God bless you all now and always!

Address Change

Almost every church and individual contributor of Brazil Evangelism has made the address change to the new address. We only received 1 check last month sent to Stanley White's address. This contribution was from Madison Church of Christ. Thank you to everyone for your continued support and your help during this transition period. The new address is:

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Our Deepest Sympathies

From an e-mail sent to me on 5/3/08.

Lacerda's father, Zeca, passed away just after midnight this morning. Nonato called us at 6:00 to tell us about it and I left with Valmor for Araguaína about 9:30. We got to Philip's house at about 12:30 and then went to the Jardim Goiás church where the body was. There were a lot of people there. Jim

Please be in prayer for the family and friends of Lacerda as they mourn the death of his father.

Recent E-mail from Jim (April 22, 2007)

As usual, we are having a busy time. Friday Maria Felix went to give the chickens some food and saw a thief running with one. She screamed for me to come, and the thief jumped the wall with the chicken. He had an unusual striped shirt, and later was sure she had spotted him. I went around the block and confirmed her thoughts. I think he thinks we know who he is, but we really don't.

Sunday morning I went to the church and found that some one had thrown a big rock through the front window that went clear to the front of the church. I cleaned up the mess and all went fine for the rest of the service.

Valmor and family were in Araguaína where they had a special meeting with couples there. I heard they did excellent with the lessons they brought.

We went to Philip's chácara Monday, as it was a holiday, and had a grand time there. I went with Philip and another man to check on some cattle and got in about 2 hrs of walking which I really enjoyed.

Today we had a check-up that Maria Felix had scheduled and tomorrow we have another one. The one today was to check the heart and I came out with flying colors. I don't take any medicine. Maria Felix is to continue taking the medicine she takes for high blood pressure.

She went with Nonato and family, Edimilson and family and John and family to Bandarante. I just stayed here and am at Philip's house.

For years, after our breakfast, we have had the custom in my house of singing at least 3 hymns. We always finish so the next day starts at the top of the next left hand page. Some times we sing 4 or even 5 hymns. I enjoy it very much. We always have a chapter of the Bible read from the book we are reading either in English or Portuguese.

We go through an English hymn book, then through a Portuguese one. We often have visitors for breakfast and they are given books or else share song books with others.

I LOVE TO SING THE OLD HYMNS, but also some of the other music.

Jim