

“파라과이여, 다시 태어나라” (Paraguay must be born again) (요 3:7)

Esperanza del Paraguay (“파라과이의 희망”)

### **Paraguay Mission 2nd Five Year Plan**

**"If a grain of wheat falls to the ground and does not die, there is one thing, and if it dies, it will bear much fruit" (John 12:24)**

**The 5 goals of the 2<sup>nd</sup> 5-year plan**

**Worshippers, Disciples, Intercessors, Volunteers, Evangelists**

## **Dear Officers and Supporters of JSBMF**

Hallelujah!

Greetings to the JSBMF families in the love of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Here in Paraguay, winter is not like winter, and those in the United States and Korea are probably experiencing hot summers. I pray that the Holy Spirit will help you to fill your ministry and your family with joy.

We meditate in the morning and pray that we may win the souls of our children today.

Our hope is not a visible hope, nor does it exist in the world, so we go out to rescue the souls in the mission field - looking at the hope of heaven that is incorruptible, undefiled, and that never fades.

“The trial of your faith, which is more precious than gold that perishes, even though it is tried by fire, that you may obtain praise, glory, and honor at the appearing of Jesus Christ. You have not seen Jesus, but you love him. rejoicing with great joy, for at the end of faith, the salvation of souls” (1 Peter 1:7-9).

Our children are changing little by little, and that is to <try to resemble the heart of the Lord, which is invisible from what is seen>. As we emphasize the importance of worship every Sunday, fewer and fewer children are missing out on worship. I realize I need desperately more time and passion.

### **★Leaders on their 15th birthday**

The children we raise as workers in our church are now celebrating their 15th birthday.

As a Paraguayan custom, when girls turn 15, they hold a grand feast, where they invite relatives and neighbors to celebrate. Even parents of poor children prepare a celebration with sincerity.

Neither the parents nor the children know where this 15th birthday party celebration for girls originated from. It's just called a tradition.

None of our children are over 15 years old. After five years, these children will grow into great workers.

At the church, we give leaders birthday cakes when they turn 15.

It is a great gift for parents and children.



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### **Renovation work in the yard of the church member's house**

During the pandemic, we paused on the renovation and building additions of the church building.

We also paused helping with the building of houses for church members. We agreed to repair one family's house every year, but last June, we instead repaired the leader's yard.

When it rains, the rainwater entered the house and the water came into the room, but the repair work was done to elevate the yard. This project is being pursued with the belief that if the quality of life of children improves even a little, it will help them in their faith and study.

### **★ Winter Academy Finish**

In July, the children went on winter break.

During the two-week vacation, the winter academy was held for 10 days. This winter, not only me and my wife, but Pastor Paul Buck and his wife, and Elder Kenneth Park and his wife Rev. Julie Park visited the academy this winter,



and we did the ministry together. If I had been alone, I would not have been able to handle it, but they came at the right time and gave a lot of help and worked with me. We are thankful to God and to them.

Pastor Paul Buck and Pastor Julie Park were in charge of the class assignments, and Mrs. Jin-Ah Buck cut the children's hair. Also, Elder Kenneth Park took the role of a photographer and left it as a record.

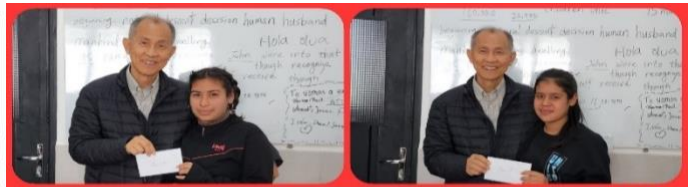
I am grateful to the Korean Council of Assembly of God, Overseas Mission Committee, and pastors that missionary work is not being done alone, but with the help of the Korean Council of Assembly of God and the pastors.







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리더들과 함께..



박병동 목사님께서 상을 나눔



헤어짐의 아쉬움



박병동 목사님, 사모님  
박경준 장로님, 박미숙 목사님  
그리고 저희 부부 즐거운  
이과수 폭포 여행!!!  
*Amazing view*

## Teacher training for Sunday school preparation

As the number of young children increased, I felt the need for Sunday School earnestly, and while praying, I found out about the Paraguay Children's Evangelism Association and had our leaders receive the primary teacher training.

We used winter break to bring the leaders back in the afternoon to learn more about how to teach and care for children.

We are praying for a Sunday School meeting from the first day of September.

**Please pray for the start of Sunday School!!!!**



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Thank you for your prayers and support every month for the Paraguay mission field. Whenever we receive that love, we try not to lose awareness of the gospel by thinking of sincerity with gratitude.

As the Holy Spirit works, we think the church will be small after <Church of Hope> passes a little longer.

For the education of children, we set up the education center and began to pray. we don't know exactly when, but we are planning to start building an education center and a preschool at the time the Holy Spirit desires.

Like Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, they live in tents and long for their homeland.

we hope that the great work of harvesting souls will be accomplished vigorously through the love and prayers of JSBMF members.

We pray that the saints will be protected from the unfinished corona virus pandemic, and that the JSBMF members will be filled with the Holy Spirit. we love you and bless you.

Shalom.

Your missionaries in Paraguay

Ok Jin & David Nam

### <Paraguay's second five-year plan prayer title (Until August 2025)>

1. For <Hope Academy> and After School – Securing church workers and teachers
2. Preparation of evangelization and self-reliance plans for the entire village of <Bañado Sur>, a slum where the church is located. Poverty eradication, illiteracy eradication, and evangelization.
3. Pray for leaders and 6 groups to settle well.
4. Let the history of salvation of souls be enriched through <Church of Hope>.
5. For the continuation of the filling of the Holy Spirit

**“Paraguay, Born Again!”**

**My Lord, my God. Please receive us and lead us! Amen.**

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