

MARKETPLACE MISSIONS

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- Progress report on Sunshine Hacienda
- Scholarship needs for students
- Mission San Felipe news
- Looking ahead to the next phase of Sunshine
- Volunteer of the month

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your paths straight.

Proverbs 3: 5-6

Marketplace Missions & Sunshine Hacienda

UPDATE: SONSHINE HACIENDA

The summer has not only brought the traditional HOT weather and humidity to San Felipe, but also has lead many of our faithful volunteers to return to their homes north of us to escape the heat. But in spite of that, we have continued to make great progress on our final stages of construction. We have finished all the tiling in the Caregivers quarters, including tiling the bath-

rooms. We are now in the process of tiling the dorm bathrooms. We also have recently purchased our Air Conditioning system. The units on our second floor are installed. We will not install the bottom floor units until we have full time security available. We have poured the cement pads for the condenser units, completed all the painting and are working on the

decorative trim molding for the inside of all windows. Like the Loves & Fishes...God is accomplishing much with so little! Praise the Lord!



News from Mission San Felipe

What a blessing it has been for us to serve at Mission San Felipe, the English speaking Church in our little fishing village. We are approaching the beginning of our seventh year serving at the church and have been blessed to see

many positive changes. We have recently added a feature to our web site that allows you to view our worship service from the previous Sunday. The video will be updated on a weekly basis. Also we have an archive of past ser-

vices on line for your viewing pleasure. So, please check out the web site and take a look at most recent service. Mission San Felipe web site address is:

missionsanfeliipe.org

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LET'S GO SHOPPING FOR SONSHINE

It is so exciting to share with you that we are finished with the actual construction of Sonshine Hacienda and we are now working on the interior finishing work...tiling, trimming the interior of the windows, and building wardrobe closets, etc.. So while we are in this process, it is also time to begin pricing and purchasing all of the interior furnishings for our blessed project. First step of course is to have the financing on hand for the purchase of our furnishing. So please continue to partner with us in prayer for this critical need.

The first phase of purchasing the furnishings will include the top 4 priorities (and probably the most costly purchases are:

1. Purchase of 24 sets of bunk beds. The estimated cost of the beds, mattresses and clothing dressers

will cost approximately \$16,000

2. Purchase of the dining room tables and chairs. We are calculating that we will need a approximately 6 tables (60" round with attached benches). The estimated cost will be \$5500.00.

3. The equipping of the kitchen is the next priority. We have been donated two commercial refrigerators, a Wolf cooking stove and a commercial stainless steel sink with counter. The biggest item left to purchase for the kitchen is the commercial vent for the stove. We also need to purchase the counter tops, cabinetry and all the cooking equipment. The total estimate for the kitchen is \$6,000.

4. Another priority is to equip our laundry room. We have received a donation of one washer and two dryers. We estimate that we will need two more washing machines. Two dryers will be sufficient. We plan to use good ol' clothes line to dry clothes whenever possible. We also will be needing shelving for clothes storage, long countertop for folding clothes and a wash tub sink. The estimated cost for all this is \$1,950. The total of the four priorities is \$29,950. That is the total of phase one of purchasing needs. If you or your church are interested in purchasing a bunk bed set or table set or one washing machine...that would be a blessing. Our faith is our anchor and our hope is in Him!

Stay tuned for a surprise announcement

Did you notice that we neglected to mention one of the basic needs that need to be completed prior to the children occupying Sonshine Hacienda?

Well...Lord be praised, we have two donors that are providing the dollars and manpower to complete that important element of our project. We will savor

the surprise until next newsletter when we will reveal what that project is and we will have photos to share !
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Angel of the month: Jeremy Thomas

Every summer our volunteers dwindle down to just a few workers. This year is no exception. Since June, we have had one volunteer that has faithfully worked at the job site everyday without fail. His name is Jeremy Thomas. What is special about this volunteer...well, where do we begin? Jeremy is 18 years old and raised in Paradise, California. But don't let his age fool you. He graduated from High School in 2009 and began taking

college courses in 2007. He attends the Community College and also works for his father in the construction business. Jeremy came to San Felipe to spend the summer with his Grandparents. His Grandma mentioned the project at Sonshine Hacienda and Jeremy decided that it was a great way to spend his summer! He is willing to do what ever needs to be done at the job site...painting, laying tile and even vacuuming. Jeremy will

leave us mid-August to return home. God bless you Jeremy!!



NEEDED: FAITH IN ACTION

Attention to churches or individuals who are interested in coming to San Felipe on a short term basis to help us finish Sonshine Hacienda. We need your help!!

Please pray about serving the Lord in a special and

very rewarding way.

We could use help with laying tile, installing our drop ceiling, completing all the plumbing for the bathrooms, kitchen, laundry and apartments. We could also use help with making curtains, building

cabinets in the laundry area. There is something for everyone to do.

If your church or you are interested in lending a hand...just contact us (contact info is on the back of this newsletter).

PRAY ABOUT IT!

THE CALL TO SERVE

Has the Lord laid it on your heart to serve on the Mission Field? We would like you to pray about serving the Lord at Sonshine Hacienda. We are seeking self supporting Missionaries who love children and feel this is the work that the Lord has planned for your service to

Him. We are currently seeking individuals/couples to serve in the following capacities: Assistant Administrator/s; Female Dorm Mothers; Facility Superintendent; College student interns to serve one year in the areas of Social Work, Nutrition or Business/Accounting. We would like anyone interested in

any of these positions to please pray first...seeking God's direction. Then, if you still feel that this is God's will for you, please submit a resume which will include your personal testimony, work experience, educational background and a recommendation from your church or Pastor. God has great plans for you

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MEET OUR SCHOLARSHIP STUDENTS

“First God, then Education”! That has always been our belief at Marketplace Missions. We began our scholarship program back in 1995 and have been blessed to have helped many young people complete their education. Since arriving in San Felipe, we have had one scholarship student graduate from the University of Baja (Cesar Gomez). Then last year we gave High School scholarships to Cesar Gomez’s two younger brothers, Carlos and Freddie. Carlos has now graduated from High School and is ready for the University. Carlos, 18 years old, will be following in his big brothers steps

and will study accounting. Younger brother, Freddie will begin his second year at Cobash High School. This is a college prep school and requires tuition to attend. These two young men are wonderful young men and we would love to see them achieve their goals of a college degree. If you would be interested in contributing to their tuition, please designate on your check: “Scholarship Fund” in the memo portion of your check. God Bless you for considering helping these two young Christian men.

