

# News

## OUR SINCERE WISHES AS WE LEAVE 2023 AND ENTER 2024



**TMI Church in  
Brasil, Chiapas,  
Mexico**



**Religion is ever present.  
People need Christ.**

**TMI pastors  
together in  
Oaxaca, Mexico**



**Ministry to the Hauves in  
San Mateo del Mar, Oaxaca**



**Outreach for Christ in  
Michoacán, Mexico**



**Maranatha Church  
in the mountains of  
Oaxaca**



**Children hungry to  
hear the true Gospel  
in Dar es Salaam,  
Tanzania**



**This bridge leads to the TMI  
mission station in Chemic, Chiapas**



**Bible Correspondence  
study lessons**



**Biblical teaching TCS assembly**



**Translating the  
Scriptures**

**These are only a very few of the areas which the Good News is being shared by TMI missionaries in different parts of the world. Pray for all that is done in the coming months might glorify our Creator.**

*Statement  
Of Purpose :  
We exist to  
serve Jesus  
Christ and  
His Church by  
reaching the  
lost, develop-  
ing mature  
disciples, and  
building God's  
Kingdom in  
Mexico and  
the uttermost  
parts of the  
earth*

*Your response to the projects which we have presented to you throughout the year has been encouraging. We want to go into 2024 working as a team with you in order to do our part in that Great Mandate given to us. Our sincere thank you.*

## Words from Executive Director

**Ron Hoffman**

Dear friends,



As we finish up 2023, we have the opportunity to look back and reflect over this past year. Despite the issues, illnesses, set backs, and difficulties, we can clearly see our

Lord's hand of blessing upon us and this ministry. We have so very much to thank Him for! So very much to thank you for...our partnership team!

As I meet with the different TMI missionaries, I am excited and encouraged as I hear of all that the Lord is doing in and through them and their ministries. Then as they share of the new vision that the Lord is showing them, I get really blessed!

Our Lord is still doing wonderful things in this world! Thank you for your part in this ministry. As we remember and celebrate His Son's advent into this world and our lives, may your life be filled with His peace, presence and joy.

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# Christmas Blessings

## *TMI Missionaries*

*Jesus Rivera*

Esteban & Isabel Hinojosa

Juan & Marbella Valdez

Isaias & Raquel López

Alberto & Lupe Aguirre

Carl & Kathy Olson

Willa Edmonds

Roberto & Fidalina Gonzales

Urbano & Margarita Luría

Ron & Becky Hoffman

Rosanna Toledo Huitrón

Jesus & Leticia León

Antonio & Silvia Díaz

Abdon & Rafaela López

Carlos & Barbara Escobar

Jerry & Candis Bingham

Savannah McGraw

Eufrasio & Maria Pérez

Barbara Barrones

Daniel & Mary Kapitaniuk

Alex & Guille Goribar

Kent & Lila Traylor

David & Lorena de Jesus Aguilar

Jesus & Albina Valezuela

Ever & Lupe Pérez

Curtis & Ann Dokken

Rebeca Pérez

Francisco & Priscila Chávez

Andy & Jessie Clark

Gabriel & Rosario Chávez

Ricardo Salvador

Rebecca Heib

Fernando & Monse Herrera

Edgar & Jocabed Velasco

Antonio & Hubeydi López

Melanie-Joy Rodriguez

Martin & Luz Tovar

Dan & Debbie Bender

Ernesto Francisca Gámez

Eduardo & Araceli Morales

Victor & Daniela Estrada

Victor López





## TMI Missionary Placement Change



Andy Clark, with his wife Jessie, and their 10 children have moved to Tecate, Mexico following 15

years of missionary service in Autlán, Jalisco. They are presently living at the Bible Institute. Andy has been invited to take the position as Assistant Director of TMI therefore he spends much time at headquarters seeking to learn the entire scope of TMI.

Please pray for the Clarks as they transition into a different type of ministry and area of living. Also pray that their support needs might be met.

## Tecate Christian School

In the classroom the day includes prayer and the teaching of the Word of God. However, the teachers seek to give excellent training in all the academic subjects. Sometimes students are tutored in problem areas such as Math and



Third grade  
Crazy Hat Day!!

English.

The parents continue to express their gratitude for the attention given to their children. Teachers,

Melanie-Joy Rodriguez, Mary Kapitaniuk, and Sami McGraw are diligently preparing their students for the TCS Christmas program presentation on December 15.



*The three additional TMI schools in Mexico will also be sharing the true meaning of Christmas at this time of the year.*

## TMI Religious Association of Mexico



An assembly meeting was held in Tecate, Mexico with the purpose of treating issues that need to be changed and recorded in agreement with Mexican laws. In attendance were Pastors Ever Pérez, Ernesto Gámez, Juan Valdéz, Director Ron Hoffman, Pastor Francisco Chávez, Pastor Gabriel Chavez, Andy Clarke and Pastor Eufrasio Pérez. *May this group be united in the huge task of sharing the Gospel message!!*

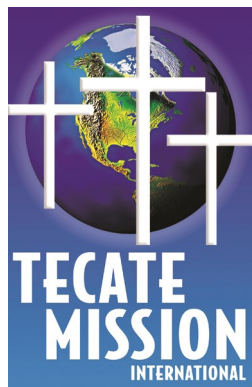
## Distribution Center Ministry



Food boxes prepared for distribution

People donate food, clothing, household goods and more to be shared with churches and individuals. It is a blessing to know that continually 100's of people are helped with these items. Our sincere thanks to you who give, those who come to assist in the preparation of the boxes and for those who distribute to those in need. It is a team effort!

**Urgent Prayer** Some TMI missionaries in Chiapas, Mexico are ministering in dangerous areas where cartel rival groups seek to gain control of the drug smuggling routes that lead from Central America. Lives are in danger and In some cases Christians are fleeing to find refuge. Pray for a greater impact of Gospel during this difficult time.



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#### **The Ministry of TMI**

TMI is a non-profit, non-denominational faith organization serving in the USA, Latin American and Africa from the base in Tecate, CA.

#### **The Mission of TMI**

TMI has a membership of persons who seek to accomplish the Statement of Purpose. Our purpose is to win the lost to Jesus Christ and to fulfill the Great Commission through recruiting, training, sending, and assisting qualified laborers in partnership with the Body of Christ.

#### **Your Contributions**

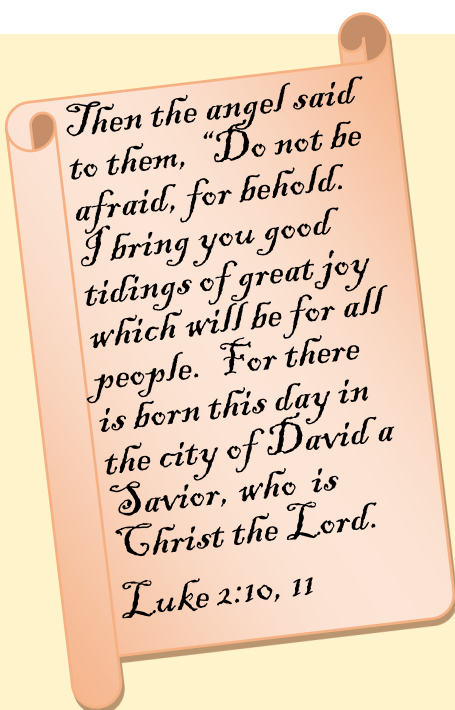
Your involvement through prayer, financial giving, and other personal contributions of articles or labor can make a difference in the lives of many people whom Christ loves and for whom He died. All funds are the property of TMI. In accordance with IRS regulation 501c3, this organization retains the right to determine the use of any and all funds while attempting to respect the suggested designation given. Funds are acknowledged with an official receipt for tax purposes.

**Make all checks payable to:  
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#### **TMI Year End Blessings**

Throughout the various ministries of TMI, we want to continue sharing the good news of the Gospel. Our message has not changed. Jesus died for the sins of all mankind. Every person must make a decision to accept by faith or to reject this offer of salvation. We are grateful that He rose again from the dead and that He is now at the right hand of the Father preparing a place for all those who put their trust in Him.

Your partnership in prayer and giving is greatly appreciated.

**Designate: Year End Blessings # \_\_\_\_\_**

**For Year End Giving to be credited to 2023, your contribution must be:**

**Dated on or before Dec.31, 2023, or postmarked before midnight on Dec. 31, 2023, and received at the mission on or before January 6, 2024.**

