



# **John & Barbara Strang** **Serving in MEXICO**

**Jan – March/April – June 2022**

**Home Church**  
*Faith Baptist Church*  
Bath SC 29816

Greetings in the Name of our Lord Jesus,

I pray all is well. We are doing well and our health is still good, thank the Lord. The Lord's work here is doing good. Thank you for praying! God does answer prayer from His people. As 2022 moves to the second half of the year, it sure looks more like "as it was in the days of Noah and the days of Lot". The only hope for mankind, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature."

Our 2022 year began with many sick due to Covid and several resulted in death. All our vehicles broke down. It has been a challenge and a time of improvising. Being the chief mechanic on site and number one fix-it man, that in itself slows things down. It is called: mechanic due to necessity. Its been somewhat of a challenge and a learning experience rolled into one over the years we've served the Lord here. After saying that, I praise the Lord for His blessings. Our personal vehicle broke down and God provided the funds for us to get another vehicle. Church van and church bus broke down and the Lord sent in the funds to get them fixed. I'm waiting on parts for the 1987 Ford B600 church bus. Church bus needing brake master cylinder and rear wheel cylinders, right and left – upper and lower.

There is yet force buying of orange groves in our area by segments or members of drug cartel. They just tells the owner he is selling and for how much and that is it or bad things happen. Four groves have been bought out thus far and the building of very nice buildings are going up. Several of our young men have been threatened by roaming gangs from Monterrey. Our youngest grandson, Stephen – 15yrs old, has been one of those threatened.

We're trying to provide Simon and his family (wife and two children) a better place for them to live. We're remodeling part of an existing building to accommodate his family. He's needing about \$4,000.00. Any help will be will be very much appreciated.

Our oldest son, Tony, still struggling. He is still facing the possibility of having his remaining foot, along with part of his leg, being amputated. We appreciate and thank you for your prayer for him.

Thank you for making it possible for us to labor for our Lord Jesus here in Mexico! We could not do it without you!!

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**James 5:8** – "Be ye also patient; stablish your hearts: for the coming of the Lord draweth nigh."