

September & October 2023

Greetings from very warm Argentina!

We pray that you will have a fantastic end to the year. We are excited to share with you what the Lord has been doing during the past two months. September and October have been wonderful months for us. We began September with our first anniversary service. It was truly amazing to witness the work of God in people's lives and to experience His faithfulness over the past year. We have seen lives transformed, families restored, individuals baptized, and people set free from addiction through the power of the gospel. We had a joyous celebration and were honored to have Brother James Belisle from Marion Avenue Baptist Church from Washington, Iowa, preach at our first anniversary service. With over 100 adults and over 80 children in attendance, many accepted the Lord as their Savior. In October, we had a special service for Mother's Day. During that service, several first-time visitors accepted the Lord as their Savior. We appreciate your prayers for the new Christians in our church. As we reflect on the year since the beginning of Mountain Zion Baptist Church, we see that we have much for which to be thankful. GOD is good. Thank you for being a part of the ministry of Mountain Zion Baptist Church and for having a part in reaching the people of Argentina for Christ.

We also want to thank you so much for your prayers for my father. He had his third operation. This one was for intestinal reconnection, and the operation was successful. He is now recovering very well and is back preaching in church. We are very thankful for what the Lord has done with his health.

We appreciate your prayers for the country of Argentina. We are going through hard times with shortages in many products. There was a gas shortage, and people had to wait in line for two to three hours just to get two gallons of gas. The people are very stressed, and inflation keeps rising each month by ten to twelve percent. Elections are in two weeks, and people have to choose between a socialist candidate and a capitalist candidate. We appreciate your prayers for what will happen after the elections. We know that Jesus is the answer for this country and for the world.

Thank you for your faithful prayers and support.

Love in Christ, Joshua, and Abi Owens







