The Owens Family

Macedonia World Baptist Missions, Inc.

Missionaries to Argentina

May-June 2026

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!

Time flies! We are already halfway through 2026. May and June have been incredibly busy months, and we are thankful for all that the Lord has allowed us to accomplish.

My father, Larry Owens, has returned to the United States for a short furlough. During this time, I have been pastoring two churches, which has greatly increased my workload. Although my weeks were already very busy, they are even busier now. My father's church averages over 600 in attendance, so I would greatly appreciate your prayers for us as we shepherd both congregations. We are grateful for the opportunity to do more for the Lord, and we are thankful that He continues to give us the grace and strength we need.

May began with a visit from our missions director Bruce Berry. It was a great time of encouragement and fellowship. He had the opportunity to preach in both churches, and we were greatly blessed by his ministry. We also held a special Labor Day service in Mount Zion Baptist Church in Termas, where over 120 people were in attendance.

During the month of May, two faithful ladies from our church felt burdened to begin a meal program for children in our city. Every Wednesday and Friday, we provide a hot meal for children from the surrounding neighborhoods. Many of these children live in extreme poverty, and some practically live on the streets. For many, this may be their only proper meal of the day. Along with providing food, we share the gospel with them. We have had as many as 50 children attend the program. Please pray that these children will trust Christ as their Savior and that God will protect them from drugs and the many temptations this world offers. We believe it is important to invest in children because they are the future of our city and our churches.

In June we held our first couples' meeting with 12 couples in attendance. We enjoyed a wonderful time of fellowship and the preaching of God's Word. One couple had been living together for ten years, and during the meeting the man asked his longtime companion to marry him! Lord willing, we will soon be celebrating their wedding. Please continue to pray for these couples, as Satan constantly attacks Christian homes and families

Construction Update:

We would like to sincerely thank every church and pastor who have contributed to our building project. Due to your generosity, we have completed the church roof, installed running water, purchased all of the electrical materials (including the electrical meter), purchased the front doors, and purchased everything needed to complete the two bathrooms.

Our remaining needs are as follows:

- Floor tile: $2,000
- Two classrooms: $2,600
- Kitchen: $1,600
- Auditorium ceiling: $1,600
- Paint: $1,000

Total remaining need: $8,800

Thank you for your faithful prayers, encouragement, and financial support. Your partnership enables us to continue reaching souls, discipling believers, and planting churches in Argentina. We pray that the Lord richly blesses you for your investment in His work.

Serving Christ in Argentina,
Joshua, Abigail, and Matthew Owens

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