



UPDATE

Colegio Biblico • January 2006 • Eagle Pass, TX

WE ARE COUNTING ON YOU!



Jorge E. Mercado
Colegio President

Every year during the summer months our income goes down significantly and then starts to go back to normal in September, but after July 2005, every month has been tighter. We understand that many donations have been shifted to hurricane relief. And while it is good that as concerned Christians we support those who have suffered loss in a natural disaster, the truth of the matter is that Colegio Biblico is now in a critical financial situation. We need your help. We depend on you. Your most generous gift above and beyond your regular support to Colegio Biblico at this time of year will be greatly appreciated.

Jorge E. Mercado, president.

MEMORIAL GIFTS

MAY

- Pauline Board of Christiansburg, VA
In memory of Mildred Johnson

AUGUST

- Joe Hodge of Haltom City, TX
In memory of Marquette Ewing

DECEMBER

- John Griffin of Clinton, IL
In memory of Bill Griffin
- Lanthon D. Camblin of Winchester, KS
In memory of Virginia Camblin
- Dale Powell of Omaha, NE
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PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR:

- God's providing to cover cost of operations
- Funds to complete the multipurpose building
- More full-time professors and other staff

Christmas Dinner and Gifts



Dinner at Mexico Campus Children with Gifts

On December 15th, Colegio Biblico students, faculty and staff gathered to celebrate Christmas with a traditional dinner. *Tamales* and *champurado* (hot chocolate) were served as accustomed in Mexico during this time of year. Colegio's *Rondalla* (guitar ensemble) played a few songs while people enjoyed the meal and companionship. A special "thank you" to those of you who sent Christmas gifts for our students.

- Northwest Hills Christian Church
- Ricky and Brenda Long
- Norman and Doris Russell
- M.E. Attaway
- Gordon Thompson
- York Street Christian Church
- U.S. Lester

Frances Cary Hospitalized



Mrs. Frances Cary

Mrs. Frances Cary, wife of Colegio founder Harland Cary, was in the San Antonio, Texas Metropolitan Hospital during the month of December. She was diagnosed with a brain tumor after several months of declining health. She went into surgery on December 14th and has been recuperating. Mrs. Cary is currently back in Eagle Pass receiving physical therapy. Please keep her and her family in your prayers.

Work Group and Construction



First Christian Church, Versailles, MO



Mexico Campus Multipurpose Building

A work team from First Christian Church in Versailles, MO came to Colegio Biblico on December 27th through January 1st. The group, led by minister John Wagner, split their time working on both campuses. On the Eagle Pass Campus they did inventory in the library and on the Mexico Campus they did electrical wiring for the multipurpose building. Our gratitude to FCC Versailles for the time and work they dedicated in serving our Lord through the ministry of Colegio Biblico.

Bilingual Christian Convention 2006

March 2-4, Eagle Pass, TX



Woody Wilkinson
professor at Ozark Christian
College, Joplin, MO
will be the main speaker.

Save the date and make plans to attend!

Regional Youth Encounter



COREJU 2005

On December 27-29 COREJU, a regional youth encounter, took place in the city of Piedras Negras. About 300 young men and women from the surrounding cities and neighboring states such as Tamaulipas, Nuevo Leon, Durango, and even from San Antonio, Texas, gathered for this annual event. "There is a Hope for this World" was the title of the convention where Colegio professor Bob Gurwell was the main speaker. Colegio Faculty and students participated throughout the event.

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