



UPDATE

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BOARD MEETING



Colegio Biblico Board Members and Administrators: **Front Row:** Rick Johnson, Gonzalo Flores, Louie Celaya, Fernando Rojas. **Middle Row:** Jorge Mercado, Filemon Moreno, Ed Skidmore, Jon Rex Robertson. **Back Row:** Dan Villarreal, Gene Maples, Gus Morgan.

On September 13th Colegio Biblico's Board of Trustees gathered for their bi-annual meeting. Along with president Jorge Mercado, and administrators Gonzalo Flores and Jon Rex Robertson, the board of trustees revised financial statements and legal documents as well as Colegio's academic and scholarship programs.

An Afternoon of Work

Students who participate in the work study program work an average of 18 hours per week in exchange for education, room, and meals. Thank you for your financial support that helps us cover our students' needs so they can prepare for Christian ministry.



Clockwise from top: Jesus Marcelino Muñoz (Junior) fixing a door, Oswaldo Suriano (Freshman) doing yard work, Isaac Granados (Sophomore) at the construction site, and José Martinez (Junior) at the shop.

TO THE HURRICANE VICTIMS

On behalf of the faculty, staff and student body of Colegio Biblico, I want to express our deepest sympathy and concern for the victims of hurricanes Katrina and Rita. Our condolences to all who have suffered losses; our hearts and our prayers are with you. We are in admiration of those of you who in spite of the crisis have faithfully continued to support our ministry. May our Father cover you with His grace, give you strength, and provide for all your needs.

With sincere hearts,
Jorge E. Mercado, president

Construction

Construction has resumed on the multipurpose building on the Mexico Campus. The cement plaque above the kitchen area has been completed and the one above the bathrooms is being laid out. Much progress has been made on the new married students apartment. The roof, sheet rock, windows and doors have all been installed. Thank you so much for your generous gifts that make this work possible.



Multipurpose Building: Plaque above kitchen is complete; Workers lay out the cement ceiling above the bathrooms; New apartment almost finished.

Youth Congress at Mexico Campus

Like each semester, this November 18th and 19th Colegio Biblico will host a Youth Congress at the Mexico Campus. Young men and women from Piedras Negras and surrounding cities come for a two-day meeting where Colegio faculty and upperclassmen impart conferences and workshops to build and encourage the students in their Christian walk. The Youth Congress is a valuable instrument for recruiting students to prepare for Christian ministry at Colegio Biblico. Please keep the Youth Congress, and everyone participating, in your prayers.

Blessed is the man who trusts in the LORD, whose confidence is in him.
Jeremiah 17:7 NIV



Group of young men from Mexico Campus sing a special song. All students attend the local Christian churches as a group on Wednesday nights. On Sundays they collaborate in the surrounding area churches in smaller groups of two or three.

Please continue to pray for:

- God's providing to cover students' needs
- Funds to complete the multipurpose building
- More full-time professors and other staff
- The November Youth Congress
- The Florida Extension Program

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