

Thank you for praying for us. Please pray that God may open to us a door for the Word, to declare and make clear the mystery of Christ ... which is how we ought to speak (Col 1:3,4).

Here are some things on our heart — we value your prayers for advancement in:

- Debbie's work of evangelism and discipleship among women in the ILC Church; pray for much fruit that remains.
- The new ESI (Equipping Servants) groups that started in recent weeks in Santa Cruz, Bolivia; Temuco, Chile; and Bogota, Colombia. There is much enthusiasm to study the Word of God. Many church leaders recognize the terrible consequences in their churches and personal lives from abandoning the Bible. Pray for gospel impact in lives, marriages, families, ministries, churches and cities as pastors and church leaders commit to honoring Christ by being true to His Scriptures.
- The ESI "Fundamentos" pastors conferences in Bogota Oct 12-14 on Biblical Discipleship and Loja, Ecuador Oct 17-21 on the topic of Biblical Counseling.
- Over 1000 active ESI participants in Bolivia, Ecuador, Mexico, Peru, Colombia, Uruguay and Chile. Pray for the 1625 total graduates since 2002. Pray that each pastor and church/ministry leader will grow to in their love for Christ and their commitment to strengthen and mobilize His church around Latin America discipling believers and reaching the least reached with the gospel of Christ so that no one will live or die without hearing the Good News of Jesus.
- 14 Pastoral Assistant volunteers in La Paz studying 16 hours each week preparing messages and preaching through the book of Romans.
- Communication with pastors in Argentina, Paraguay and Brazil with the idea of starting ESI groups in 2018 and 2019.
- That pastors will build a strong commitment to Biblical friendship so they will stop walking alone but rather walk together with other pastors. Pray that church leaders will experience gospel unity in Jesus as they walk together under the banner of the cross.
- God's supply for the 1800 ESI Pastor-Book-Sets needed between now and 2022 to start ESI in 5 new Latin American countries in the next 5 years in our effort to place Pastor Book Sets in the hands of pastors and church leaders around Latin America – and then to train these trainers to effectively use the materials.
- ESI leaders working with pastors and church leaders around Latin America, that all us will grow in our love for Jesus and commitment to live on the basis of His righteousness in obedience to His Word.
- Revival in the ILC Church in La Paz

Thank you for praying! Kep and Debbie James

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