

OUR NEWSLETTER:

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CHECKING IN CONVERSATIONS

—WITH JACK KEOUGH

I am thankful I was able to connect with Arlene Snyder this morning via text. She reports that folks are doing well at Vinecroft. The staff continues to check on their general health every day. Like many of us, Arlene is enjoying the sunny days and loves getting out for walks as much as possible. She has also been out and about at various doctors' appointments, as some of her routine appointments are due. Arlene notes everything is ok on the medical end. She mentioned the birds outside her window in the bird feeders have a great appetite especially the blackbirds, (not her favorite bird). The Orioles are also eating well as they have cleaned out the jelly dish, (a bird she really likes). She sends her love to all in our church family.

MOVIE NIGHT

Many of us enjoy kicking back and enjoying a good movie from time to time, but it can be a challenge to find one that is worth watching. If you are interested in a "good" movie, we would suggest *Overcomer* and *I Still Believe*. *Overcomer* is the latest release from the Kendrick brothers who also produced other great films such as *Fireproof*, *Courageous*, *War Room*, and *Facing the Giants*. *I Still Believe* is a romantic story, based on true life events of Christian music artist, Jeremy Camp. They are not geared for children, but great for teen-adult. - Zach & Erica Atwell

A LITTLE SAYING —SUBMITTED BY DIANE SCHROCK

“Then sings my soul.”

VERSE FOR VICTORY:

The LORD is a refuge for the oppressed, a stronghold in times of trouble.

Psalm 9:9

SONG SUGGESTIONS:

- ♪ *Available* by Catherine Mullins
- ♪ *You Already Know* by JJ Heller
- ♪ *You Got This* by Love And The Outcome
- ♪ *O Fear My God Is Near* by Moriah Peters

MISSIONARY UPDATE

WITH JOAQUIN & SUSY NORONA

We are so thankful to the Lord in this time and for all of you. Partnering with you and Christ is why we are able to serve as missionaries and better equip ourselves for the specific vision God has given us for the mission field in Ecuador. Thank you for all this season of investment in us and for all the seeds that you are planting in the Kingdom of God through your monthly support and your prayers. It is already bringing forth fruit and will produce even more fruit in the future! Our glory in Christ Jesus is your glory too.

This time at ministry school has been an intense time of growth in the Lord. We had six months of classes in person and then two months of classes online once the COVID-19 quarantine went into effect. We developed deeper intimacy with God through the materials, classes, worship time, revival groups, and small groups.

Everything we have been learning this year is not just for our own knowledge; it's because of Jesus...to bring the Kingdom of God to earth and to impact people with the Kingdom, to bring revival, and to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ with authority and power.

We felt so blessed with the amazing people in our Revival Group and the pastor that we had this year in school. Our Revival Group graduation celebration (via Zoom) was beautifully significant and very full of love from our leaders. It was our last event with all of us present and our leaders spoke about each one of us individually.

THE HARD WORK OF LOREN MEYERS

SUBMITTED BY JACK KEOUGH

Many things go on at the church when most of us are not there. Recently the church switched to a new heating system, going from oil to natural gas. The installation process required the running of new gas and water pipelines which resulted in the removal of many ceiling tiles and an exposed pipeline running the entire length of the downstairs hallway. Many areas in the lower level of the church including the nursery room, Sunday school rooms, restrooms and the fellowship hallway were in need of much repair. That is when Loren went to work. Then next time folks walk down to the fellowship hall you'll notice an enclosed wood covering that runs the entire length of the hallway- all designed and installed by Loren Meyers (Matt Keough and I provided a little help). Additionally, Loren made repairs to all the ceilings in the nursery, women's and men's rest rooms, and Sunday school rooms. And this is just a snapshot of the many things that Loren works diligently on at the church.

I would also be remiss if I did not mention the contributions that Jerry Boshart has also made in maintaining our church. Jerry worked hand-in-hand with Loren to install all the new emergency exit signs that the church was mandated to install.



FLOWERING
TREES AT
OUR CHURCH
BUILDING



GRADUATES:
JOAQUIN &
SUSY
NORONA



CHURCH RETREAT 2019

PANDEMIC POSITIVES:

- ✓ A ten-year-old gave gifts of art to more than 1,500 children in shelters and the foster care system during quarantine.
- ✓ A stimulus check was lost in the garbage but was found and returned to the original receiver.
- ✓ A Texas mom gave birth to identical quadruplets during the quarantine.
- ✓ A Marine hid in a box to surprise his little brothers upon his return.
- ✓ A 2-year-old girl got to hug her grandma for the first time in 10 weeks.
- ✓ NYC seniors found the lighter side of the pandemic in their online comedy class.
- ✓ A community brought prom to the class of 2020 at their homes.
- ✓ A Texas fire chief helped save an 18 month-old boy.
- ✓ Albanian beekeepers have a golden year of honey due to the COVID-19 lockdown.
- ✓ Anna Rose became the first person with down syndrome to graduate from Rowan University.
- ✓ Two teens helped save a man trapped on a balcony after smoke broke out in the building.
- ✓ Kenny Chesney had to furlough 120 employees, but he decided to pay them for the rest of the year anyway.
- ✓ A teenager in Maine swam 600 yards to help save a father and his daughter out on the lake after their boat capsized.
- ✓ A man helped a couple find their engagement ring they lost on the beach.
- ✓ A sweet elderly couple reunited after months of being separated.
- ✓ We do not have to live in fear because our God is near!!