

Pettengill Prayer Letter

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The Pettengills on our first full day in La Ceiba, Honduras.

The Eagle Has Landed

On June 25th we arrived in La Ceiba, Honduras. After more than three years of training, counseling, and raising support we are finally home. Only God knows if we are truly ready to serve Him in Honduras. We are eager to start this chapter and look forward to the adventure. It is odd to think that for so long, every day was dedicated to preparing us for right now.

Missionaries Visiting Us

We have two sets of missionaries arriving in the next month. Covenant Community Church of Scottsdale, AZ is sending Anne Boyd July 15-25. Anne is a Spanish speaking R.N. She will be here to help us set up our home and help Erin launch the medical portion of our ministry. From July 26 to August 3 we will receive our first ever short-term mission team. Grace Community Church of Mobile, AL is sending a team of seven people. This team of mostly doctors and nurses will work in the public hospital and will help us put on our inaugural medical clinic. They will also be doing some light construction and street evangelism.

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Think About Summer 2009

We've only been in Honduras a few days and we're already looking a year ahead. Here's why - Working with short-term missionaries is a big part of what we have planned. And, Summer is a busy time for short-term mission trips. We already have three churches that have reserved blocks of time to work with us in the the Summer of '09. This is a great blessing, but, it also means if you or your church want to serve in Honduras you need to quickly contact us to reserve your spot.

We Are Going Postal

Effective immediately here is our mailing address:

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P. O. Box 1090
La Ceiba, Atlantida
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If you mail a card or package please let us know so we can gauge the reliability.

Our Tentative Schedule

7/15-7/25 – Anne visits to help us get set up
7/26-8/3 – mission team visits from Mobile, AL
8/29-9/8 – Mike visits churches in SC, GA & AL
9/19-9/22 – Irmo, SC church visits for vision trip
9/25 – visas expire, leave Honduras for 3 days

Our Specific Prayer Needs

- We are able to rent a home suitable to house visiting short-term mission teams and interns.
- Rapid acclimation to the harsh heat & humidity.
- Decide our best option for transportation; raise support to purchase a truck or use public transit.
- Our first two sets of visiting missionaries are safe and help lay a foundation for us to build on.

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