



Mike interviewing Isaías as a possible church planting pastor.

## MTW Mission Conference

Mike and several members of Team Honduras attended MTW's Global Missions Conference in SC. They hosted an informational booth and Mike spoke during five breakout sessions. To listen to two of Mike's presentations on missions go here: <http://bit.ly/1aTu3Lk>

## The Tax Man Cometh

Did you know all financial gifts given to support our work in Honduras are tax deductible and will reduce your 2013 tax liability? We are in urgent need of financial support for the new Honduran high school we are opening in February. To support our new Christian high school with a tax deductible gift go here: <http://bit.ly/14T1LOv>

## Latin America Redesign

MTW organized a redesign of its mission work in Latin America and Mike and Erin were involved. The goal was to expand what works and eliminate what doesn't. Erin interviewed 36 missionaries about their experiences. Mike and six others gathered in the Dominican Republic for a three-day meeting to analyze the data from the interviews. They created improvements to MTW's mission work in Latin America that will be implemented over the next few months.

## A Gringo Thanksgiving

Our team got together and Erin and Shannon cooked yummy food for 20 people. We had gringos, Hondurans and visitors from the US. It was truly a bilingual, multi-generational, integrated Thanksgiving...the way we like it.

## Handing Over Kids Club

Since we first got here our purpose was to work ourselves out of a job. We always seek to train Hondurans and turn our work over to them. We have been doing Kids Club each week since the first month we arrived in Honduras. Now pastor Jesús and his church have taken it over and it will be a ministry of their church in Armenia Bonito. We are both sad and excited for this new chapter.

## Our Tentative Schedule

- 12/1 - We celebrate Elias' 3<sup>rd</sup> birthday
- 12/5- We celebrate Mike's 45<sup>th</sup> birthday
- 12/21 - We celebrate Erin's 46<sup>th</sup> birthday

## Our Specific Prayer Needs

- Our family can relax and celebrate the grace and mercy of Christ during the Advent season.
- Our last month with Elias in our home.
- Safety during the crazy Honduran rainy season.



Don, Erin's dad, visiting us in Honduras for two-weeks.