

NEXT STEPS PUERTO RICO

Weeks Five & Six



¡PONCE ES PONCE!

During week four, we did some evangelism in downtown Ponce and in the neighborhood of our apartment. We passed out tracts and invited people to service with us in Ponce. At our midweek service, I taught a lesson on "Trusting Beyond the Impossible." We also explored the cliffs and beach at Cabo Rojo, and visited a bioluminescent bay. We celebrated the Forth of July with our amazing missionary team, and then traveled back to the northern side of the island to prepare for youth camp.



CAMPAMENTO

As we prepared for camp, a music team from IBC came down to run a music seminar. They also assisted with worship at our precamp service in Bayamon and our first night at campamento de jovenes. During camp, we were able to really connect with many of the young people. We led an early morning session with songs, testimonies, and reflections. We helped them paint the basketball court before the basketball tournament in which our team placed a close second. We enjoyed waterslides, volleyball, and staying up late for games and fellowship after services.



¡FUERTES!

The theme for campamento de jovenes was fuertes. We need God to rise up strong youth for the work in Puerto Rico, and I believe He did just that this last week. We heard some anointed preaching from both Bro. Christian Chicaiza and Bro. Carlos Arias. Every service was filled with such a powerful presence of God. People recieved the Holy Ghost for the first time, and backsliders prayed through. Between camp and the post camp youth services around the island, we had a total of 14 baptized in the name of Jesus!





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I want to ask that you keep my team in prayer as we wrap up trip during these final two weeks. Pray that God keeps us unified as we come to our final projects and services. Pray that God will continue to use and lead us here in Puerto Rico. Pray that God gives us each direction as we prepare to go our separate ways and take the next steps in our ministries. Pray that God will help us to adjust as we go home. Pray that we don't go home the same; that this life-changing experience will stay with us.



NAYC

Pray for the upcoming youth congress taking place in St Louis in 3 weeks. Pray that God keeps those traveling there safe. Pray that God will not only do great things for the attendees, but also for the city. St Louis needs a move of God to break through.



CAC/SA REGION

Continue to pray for the Central America and Caribbean/South America regions. The work here is great, but the laborers are few. They need Spanish, French, and English speaking workers. Pray that God will call people to these regions.