

## *DaCunhas to Portugal*

*Isaiah 42:6 I the LORD have called thee ... for a light of the Gentiles*



### December 2020 Highlights

Dear Pastor,

**Normal:** We had a wonderful, “normal” month of December. Yes, there were still restrictions because of Covid; but God blessed us with a normal month. As the school year has progressed & the temperatures have gotten lower & more restrictions have come, God has blessed. There has been an average of 4-5 families present each Sunday.

**Christmas Service:** Our Christmas Service on Dec. 20<sup>th</sup> was well attended. For the first time, we introduced the idea of Christmas Gifts for Jesus to the church family. A list of items is presented to church family of things that they could gift to Jesus at the end of the Christmas service. It is not required to participate. However, we realized that many people like to do this to honor & to remember God in Christmas. The church family responded very positively & many participated.

**Visitors:** Sunday the 27<sup>th</sup>, one of our newer families brought their friends’ two children to church. One is a 7 year old girl & the other is a 3 year old boy. The girl & our daughter immediately connected. We thank the Lord for bringing more visitors to church, but we specifically thank Him for bringing someone Tirzah’s age to the church.

**Returning Family:** Since mid-September, the wife & children of one of the church’s families had returned to their home country to take care of some health needs. Praise the Lord, they returned to Portugal this month and are all doing well.

Thank you for your prayers & your faithful service to the Lord. God is good all the time!

#### Praises

- Visitors
- Returning Family

#### Prayer Requests

- Events
- Health of Church Families

#### Up Next

- Vision Sunday – 01/03
- Teen Night – 01/08
- Children’s Day– 01/09
- Ladies Bible Study – 01/17

#### Goals

- New Contacts
- Returning Visitors
- Growing Church Family