



**Appointed Time ESL**  
reference verse: Acts 17:26-27.

This ministry desires to reach people groups that are right here in our neighborhoods by meeting a very physical need in order to share the love of Christ

**WHAT'S IN THIS MONTH'S ISSUE:**

- Updates and enrollment
- Answered prayers
- Ministry Needs

## Ministry Update

Here we are at the beginning of March. We are now completing our first full month of classes. We now have 53 students in enrollment and are averaging about 35 students every night! We have been blessed with the Lord calling others to the ministry, which has now allowed us to open up an additional Beginner class. We currently have four beginner classes, two intermediate classes, and one advanced class. These are all great things...but those are just numbers!

### Let's talk about the real stuff!

I have seen teachers-students bonding. I have seen students request to help serve during snack time. I have seen students offer to make a cake for our class. I have seen students volunteer to sing during large group time! I have seen the bonding of many teachers with each other! I have also been told "NOOO" by the students when I come around to let them know classes are over.

**THIS!** This is the real progress. It's called comfort levels being built. It's called the beginning of trust...and relationships. And ultimately, opportunities to share the Gospel with the ones God has put in our paths.... at this Appointed Time. May God receive all the glory!



**Classes meet every Thursday 6:30-8:30 pm**  
**at Calvary Campus- Segunda Iglesia**  
**100 Barron Blvd, Lancaster, SC**  
**Contact Susan Alvarez 803-235-0328**



### How can YOU help?

We are looking for rotational volunteers to Prepare and Serve a light supper or snack. Many students come straight from work with kids at 6:30pm. Then leave at 8:30pm and head home. We offer a break between 7:15-7:45pm where we offer food and drink before we have large group devotion time. **Would you consider serving with us in this way?** Once a month or once every six weeks could be a great opportunity for you to serve and see what God is doing in this ministry and perhaps how He wants you to be a part of it!

### Prayer Requests:

- Pray for open hearts to hear the small still voice of God calling their name.
- Pray for obedience to His will.
- Pray for all volunteers to be reminded always why we serve.
- And pray for opportunities to be direct and to have a faith discussion as God wills.

### Appointed Time ESL Ministry Volunteers:

Janice Wilson, Lynette Walker, Lori Bauza, Kim McAteer, Olivia Kis, Sharon Tillman, Mary Beth Edwards, Martha Hinton, Teresa Catoe, Sally Dyck, Tracey Denney, Steve Edwards, Glenda Dabbs, Bill Dyck, Pastor Argenis Taveras, and RoseMery Taveras - THANK YOU!



# ESL Kids

## AND HOMEWORK HELPERS

It has been a wonderful month! We are settling in to our routine and classroom roles!

The children have completed three lessons in February: Introductory English, colors, and fruit!

We are utilizing many methods using an ESL Kids program. The children are learning by writing, reading, and games.

Session 1 is 45 minutes, and includes signing them in and giving their name tag along with crayons, a pencil, and a packet of worksheets.

Their "Helper" greets them for one-on-one guidance with their homework and learning the vocabulary from the lesson.

During their 30 minute break, they enjoy their snack while watching a preschool Bible lesson.

The second session is interactive games and learning by reinforcing the vocabulary words.



We have grown to 39 students enrolled from infant through elementary age. Our largest attendance was 33 children in 1 night! Whew, we had so much fun learning colors that night that we caused disruption to the neighboring adult classes.

It is such a blessing to hear the children laugh, and learn! We pray the Lord will continue to refine us leaders and "Helpers".



### How Can YOU help?

ESL Friends are needed for one-on-one assistance to preschool and elementary students to complete their homework, learn English, improve reading, writing, and basic math. Nursery workers needed to love and care for sweet babies. Prayers are needed for workers and children!

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