



GIBMissions

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Dear Pastor and Praying Friends,

Thank you for helping to expand the Missions Office!

The missions staff of GIBM has occupied the newly painted office complex that many of you helped to secure. Nearly \$20,000 was raised in the GIBF meeting at the Eastland Baptist Church in September. It is a beautiful office that is much larger than the cramped quarters previously occupied at Liberty Baptist Church. There is a large reception area, a "Boardroom," a large office for the bookkeeping Department, and an office for the Assistant Director. This office complex is located at Exit 452 off of I-35S in Lewisville, Texas. It is on the second floor of the Colonial Savings and Loan building. The street address is 217 S. Stemmons Freeway, Suite 211. However, missionary support and all other mail to the Missions office will continue to be processed at 602 Manco Road, Lewisville, TX, 75067. The new phone number of the office is (972) 221-5600.

On November 13, I had the privilege of preaching at the 35th Anniversary of the Eglise Biblique Baptiste, in Sherbrooke, Quebec. This church is still pastored by its founder, Robert Stevens. His son, Martin Stevens, is laboring with him and accepting more and more of the ministry responsibilities. More than a dozen pastors attended the Anniversary service, which was on a Friday evening. There was a preachers' fellowship on Saturday. Starting on Sunday, the church hosted a revival meeting at which I was privileged to be principal speaker. It was a great time of fellowship. All of the messages were translated into French. It was a very exciting time. The hospitality of the French Canadians is amazing.



Visiting Pastors at 35th Anniversary of Eglise Biblique



Eglise Biblique Baptiste

The First Missionary Baptist Church in Healdton, Oklahoma, just hosted a Revival meeting with Evangelist Danny Long. It was a great time of preaching and refreshment from the Word of God. Many of the church members were able to come to every one of the meetings. The altar was full every night, and at the end of the week, three souls had confessed Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. We are having a good experience working with this church. One of the good things is that when we travel, we are close enough for students and faculty from Heartland BBC to cover for us and exercise their gifts and skills. The church has especially appreciated the groups that have come to participate in the services. It seems like I have two fulltime jobs.

We wish each of you a very Merry Christmas. Without your prayers and support we could not cover as many bases as we do. I am glad to be used of the Lord. We are eager to be on the road more as the Lord has continued to improve my health considerably.

In a few days, Judy and I will be flying to Trinidad and Tobago (*an island n. of Venezuela*) to participate in the 10th anniversary service of Bible Baptist Church in Port O' Spain. Please pray for our safety.

Best Wishes, Always,

Robert Lewis