



October - November 2018

Dear Praying Brethren,

We trust that you all had a great time of thanksgiving and fellowship with your families this past Thanksgiving Day. For us, the end of November marks the first six months of our full-time deputation and it gives us many things for which to be thankful. During this time, the Lord has led us across the paths of great Christians and churches that have been a tremendous blessing and encouragement to us. Our deputation so far has been one of the most rewarding and humbling periods of our lives. To be treated with such care and kindness by complete “strangers” is something that has really been a blessing to our family.

A lot has changed in the last two months. First, we are happy to announce that we have created a website. For those of you interested in getting *entangled* in the *web*, you may visit our website at [pizzos2spain.com](http://pizzos2spain.com). You can also sign up to receive our prayer letters by email by clicking the “Subscribe” button on the “[Prayer Letters](#)” page.

Secondly, we are grateful to now have a new vehicle (not “brand new”, just new to us)! The way the Lord worked out the details for us to purchase it is pretty amazing. With our previous car reaching 200,000 miles and it consistently having mechanical issues, I saw that it most likely would not “**endure unto the end**”. So, a few months ago, we started praying for a new vehicle to continue the rest of our deputation. We did some research and decided to ask the Lord for something rather specific; a Honda Odyssey with around 100,000 miles, no older than 10 years, and within a certain price range. Shortly after we began praying for this, I was speaking with a mechanically knowledgeable pastor about the issues we were having with our SUV and our plans for obtaining another vehicle. After telling him what we were looking for, he said that the church had just purchased a minivan for a missionary on furlough. Their plan was to let the missionary use it until the end of his furlough and then sell it. It was 2008 Honda Odyssey with 95,000 miles and within our exact price range. So, after some more prayer, we purchased our “new” van. Praise the Lord!

While the Lord is by no means obligated to give us exactly what we ask for, sometimes He does. And I believe that He does so just to be good to His kids. We are so grateful that we serve a God who can and shall supply all our “**need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus.**”

Another need that the Lord has been faithful to provide for us is the continual increase of our financial support. Currently, our promised support is now at 30%! God surely knows what He is doing and, we are grateful to be along for the ride. This “ride” has taken us to the states of Delaware, Maryland, New York, and Ohio. Most of our time in New York was spent in the upper reaches of the state and that, during the month of November. Thankfully, the Lord protected us through winter storms and “lake effect” snow, despite my lack of experience driving in such conditions. Thank God!

We are eagerly looking forward to the day when we will be able to move to Spain and begin the next step in the ministry to which the Lord has called us. Until then, we are happy, blessed, and extremely grateful for all your prayers, support, and encouragement. Thank you and God bless!

Sincerely in His Service,

Justin, Anna, and Catalina Pizzo