

Nov 2024 - April 2025

Robert & Bianca Emery

We have been settling in as new parents. We've taken more responsibility of Eliah since Bianca has recovered more from her C-section. We have had the pleasure of hearing our son laugh! He is a bundle of joy. We have started feeding him solid and can see that he loves his food – like his dad and uncles! He is also very strong and started speaking sounds at only four months. He is very active and loves playing with his cousin Mariet.

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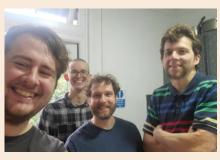
We had the wonderful privilege of hosting the church Christmas party. We decided to do it because the last person to organise set a charge of \$10 per person. As we live in a very humble community not everyone was able to come. We felt that this wasn't fair so we decided to cover the cost on this occasion to bless the brethren. It was a British/Venezuelan Christmas event. Unfortunately Robert couldn't attend as he needed to fly to England. Everyone was really blessed by the event.



Unfortunately last year was a sad occasion for us as Robert's grandmother passed away at the beginning of December. Robert had to fly to England for the funeral, which was very lovely and gave a lot of people hope as she had died as a believer. Before going he was able to enjoy Christmas with Eliah as it was his first Christmas. He also cooked a lavish British style Christmas dinner for Bianca's family for which they were very







grateful. While in England Robert attended the funeral and caught up with family members. Thanks to the type of work he has he was able to work from home even though he had travelled to another country. It meant that his hours shifted from 9am – 6pm to 1pm – 10pm. He was able to visit only a small handful of people as his busy work schedule meant that he was very occupied. He went to Brighton for just a few days and spent them running from person to person. He also visited some people from the Church in Chatham, lamenting that he wasn't able to visit everyone.

A few new things!

For the first time ever Robert visited a South American beach. It was very beautiful and hot. But like a total Gringo he forgot to use a lot of sun cream. He suffered the consequences! He ended up looking like a tomato. However, it came with a lot of ulcers. It was very painful. He needed to go to the hospital for a check-up and needed to be fitted with a drip feed for five days. Though it was a painful experience he sure learned his lesson about taking proper care of oneself when going someone like the beach.



Robert has started leading teams in evangelism. This means going door to door here and sharing the gospel. Robert will be using the law to show people they deserve to go to hell, and then present Jesus Christ, the One who took God's wrath in our place, and that by faith and repentance, they can receive eternal life – with evidences of real conversion. Neither Bianca nor Robert approve of most modern evangelism.







We have been able to raise some money for the church here, which is very exciting! Thanks to the help of some of you! But due to being in Venezuela, the process with gofundme, an American organisation, has been less than idealistic. I've (Robert) had to provide a lot of documentation. But we managed to secure the funds at last. Our house is also coming a long very nicely. We have been able to buy the necessary things, so we'll finally be able to start living there soon, after a very VERY long journey!

Prayer points

- 1) Please pray for our growing little family that God would help us to serve Him together
- 2) Please pray for God to bless the new vision of Evangelism God has placed into the heart of Robert that it would be fruitful and would bring souls into the Kingdom of God.
- 3) Please pray that we would get settled in our house

