

Update #202204 – BE STILL



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Generaciones*
de Palacaguina



Palacaguina Christian Academy

Changing a Generation

“Be still, and know that I am God” – Psalm 46:10

Be still my friends. Be still and see the glory of God all around you. Every day we get to see God doing so many wonderful miracles of life all around us. A child learning to read. A family, once despairing, filled with hope. A teacher fulfilling the call of God in their life. A child’s joyful laugh. A heartfelt hug. Getting to experience the love and hope of Jesus Christ filling the hearts and lives of so many around us is absolutely worth every temporary struggle or momentary trial we may face. And in the light of eternity, every trial is truly temporary. We pray for each and every one of you whom God has placed in our lives as partners in this ministry. We pray that you will feel the grace, joy, and peace of Christ. We pray that you will be still and see the beautiful miracles of life all around you. And we pray that with every breath you will experience the deep, unending, unconditional love God has for you.

LIFE AT PCA

We love to share pictures of life at PCA with you. We hope you enjoy PCA in March





WORLD RACE TEAM



We are so blessed to have the World Race Team arrive this month and they have already made such an impact at PCA and in several communities. Mornings are spent ministering to our students, helping with English classes, and serving in many other ways. In addition to working with children, they have been focused on several projects: Construction of a church in Esteli, painting a mural in the preschool playground, and helping with the installation of the new school water system. We are grateful for this wonderful team serving with PCA.

working with students



WATER PROJECT



ESTELI CONSTRUCTION



...and my absolute favorite project the team worked on...



THANK YOU World Race Team for Serving at PCA!!!!





MINSA VISIT

This month the ministry of health visited PCA and performed their annual child health check. Today, the visit includes only weight and height checks to ensure children are growing well. We hope one day to introduce an expanded health check program that will include vision and hearing checks. For now, we are grateful for the partnership with the Nicaraguan Ministry of Health.



2022 PROJECTS AND GOALS

2022 PCA Projects, by importance, include:

- Replace PCA Water Tank System - \$1,650 (**\$750 raised**)
- Finish 6th grade classroom - \$6,450
 - Phase I: Windows/Doors - \$2,200
 - Phase II: Tile/Finishing - \$2,100
 - Phase III: Desks - \$2,150
- Finish back wall - \$3,000
- Multi-Purpose Center (MPC) (Cancha) – Possibly up to \$90K
 - Phase I: Front Foundation - \$4,000
 - Phase II: Concrete Floor - \$TBD
- Paint primary school - \$2,000
- 2nd Level Sewing Space/Mission Housing - \$10,000
- Expand roofing over 4th-6th grade play area - \$6,300

PRAYER REQUESTS

- ❖ Pray for God to provide for the new water tower for the school.
- ❖ Pray for rain! We are experiencing a major drought in Palacaguina this month. Water is limited and is turned on only for a few hours each day. Let it rain Jesus!
- ❖ Please keep our June trip in your prayers. Pray that God will be with each person as they are raising their funds and that God will open wide doors for ministry while we are there.
- ❖ Please pray for the families and students of PCA that they will feel God's love through us.
- ❖ Please continue to pray for Bailey as God powerfully uses her to minister to students and the community as well as with groups she is hosting this year.

SPECIAL PRAYER – SPONSOR NETWORK

Continue to pray for God to open doors for new sponsors and expanding our network of partners. Currently, we have 75 students not sponsored. If all children were sponsored, we would not be at an operational deficit each year. However, without these children sponsored, we will continue to have an annual realized deficit of \$36,000 each year. So please pray, as Jabez did, for the long-term solution of expanding our territory, that our influence would grow, and we would have the opportunity to bring more glory to God and His kingdom work.

(1 Chronicles 4:10)

PCA SPONSORSHIP

We have 75 students unsponsored at PCA. We strive to never turn a child away due to not having a sponsor, but the budget challenges for having many students unsponsored are difficult. Consider sharing the opportunity to sponsor one of our students with friends or family. Only \$40 a month sponsors a child and provides a uniform, books, a daily meal, and access to an education and the gospel of Jesus Christ.



Dios te bendiga de la familia Witonski!!! (God Bless you from the Witonski family)



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PCA At-a-glance

Number of total Students: 191

Grades: P-K3, P-K4, Kinder, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th & 5th Grade

Full-Time Jobs: School (22)

Current Project: WaterTank; 6th Grade

Current Project Needs: \$900; \$6,450

Children Needing Sponsors: 75

Construction/Uniform Jobs: 3-7

Total Meals Fed (2022): 8,949

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