



# MADAGASCAR

## Branden & Laura Bowen



### Ministry

Planting Churches

### Praise & Prayer

- Classes on marriage
- Classes on teaching the Bible
- Students desiring to follow God
- Roof is complete!
- Doing the finish work
- Laura got her visa
- Asher needs to see orthodontist
- Open and searching hearts
- God's provision
- Safety and health
- Wisdom
- Spiritual/Physical Strength

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### The Roof is on,

... the main structure of the building is complete, and the finish work is under way. Thank you for praying!

### Teaching

The young men in our church and in surrounding areas have been asking for additional teaching on how to study for, organize, and teach a sermon/lesson. They have also been asking for additional teaching on biblical marriage. From now til Christmas we will be busy teaching on those two subjects, here at the church in Diego as well as to the groups of believers a few hours south of Diego.

Church services, kids club, and English class are still going strong. English class had to take a back seat for about a month, and it was overflowing when we got back to it last week.

### Passports and visas

Laura and the kids were in the Capital for most of October to get Laura's new passport and visa. Our entire family now has 10-year visas, and we are elated to have that *completely behind us for the next decade!!* Asher had a follow-up with the orthopedic doctor and saw a dentist. He was scheduled to see an orthodontist, but the orthodontist had to leave the country on emergency. Asher ended up seeing a dentist instead, who confirmed that he indeed needs to be seen by an orthodontist. Please pray that it will work out well at the right time.

### Ministry...

... opportunities are increasing. It is encouraging to see how God continues putting everything together, especially regarding young men who desire to discern God's will for their lives. Please specifically pray that God will protect and grow these who desire to serve Him and give them assurance of His leading in their lives. Pray for the hearts of others to whom we minister. Pray for discernment and wisdom as we embrace the unexpected opportunities God puts in our days to minister to the people He places in our path.

We are continually grateful for your prayers and support. May God give you a blessed and fruitful Thanksgiving for His glory.

*Pictures on following page*



Front of church building



Side view of church building



Inside church building looking from pulpit area



Kids' Bible lesson



English class overflowed to outside



A little break at the beach



New family picture