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Dear Pastor and Praying Friends,

As I was walking this morning, I noticed how quiet it was because of a Spanish holiday today. There was hardly any movement on the streets, no cars, minimal coffee shops open, and just a few people walking around. It is another reminder that summer is over. Although we don't get the changing of the leaves and the beautiful fall colors here, the weather has cooled down, and the summer crowds are gone.

### Visitors

Last month we enjoyed a visit with our Field Director, Brother Bryan Baggett, and his wife, Kris. We took them on a day trip to Gibraltar and enjoyed their fellowship while they were here. Brother Baggett preached for us on Sunday, and we presented them with a plaque from Bethel Baptist Church. Sunday afternoon during our Marriage Ministry, he shared a devotion about communication, which encouraged us all. Pray for the Baggetts as they strive to raise up laborers for military missions.



### Church News

We have had to set out extra chairs in our services for the last two weeks because we have had several people, including two new families, visiting Bethel. Both men are civilians who work at the fire station on base. Because these families have young children, we ask that you pray that we can minister to all of them and be a blessing. Ms. Cheryl, who visits her daughter, and a couple who come to visit their grandchildren also arrived last month. Each of them stays here in Spain for 90 days and then returns to the States for 90 days. They are always faithful to attend Bethel and are a great blessing.



Celebrating Birthdays!

On Sunday, our book club finished our fifth book. It is always a blessing to discuss the book with those who have read it. We like to use this time for mentoring.

### Prayer

Please pray for those assigned to ships during their time in Rota. The normal rotation is every four months. Right now we have several of our faithful church attendees who are currently out on patrol. Please pray for their safety as they are away on the ships.



Off to College

Continue to pray for Alexandria and Marisa, two ladies who have heard the gospel but have not yet accepted Christ. I recently preached a series called "This Is My Story" and had several people in our church share their stories before I preached the salvation stories of several people in the Bible. They have heard the gospel message, and we are praying that the Lord will bring them to salvation.

In December, two of our faithful couples will be leaving to PCS (Permanent Change of Station) to another base. We do not look forward to these times but understand that in the military community, people come and go quickly.

Thank you for your faithful prayers and support as we minister to our military. Pray for our military men and women.

In Christ,

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