



NICARAGUA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL COLEGIO CRISTIANO EN NICARAGUA

Message from the Chairman of NCS BOARD

On April 18, 2018, the president of Nicaragua announced a reduction of benefits and an increase in cost in their Social Security program. There was very strong opposition to this with demonstrations held in many cities. Clashes between demonstrators and police caused many thousands more to join in, including many college age students. The police response was very harsh and sometimes deadly with around 30 people killed in the first few days. Some of the demonstrations included as many as 50,000 people. Then for a couple of days, some buildings were burned and businesses ransacked. Road blocks were put up in various places and some of the universities were taken over and are still being held by students.

Travel between many cities remains very difficult, and in some places impossible. Talks between the two sides broke down three weeks ago, but attempts are being made for them to begin again. The people who are demonstrating are insisting that the president resign. Some would accept an early election be held instead of his resignation.

During all this turmoil and danger, Nicaragua Christian School is in session whenever the public schools are open. The church that meets on campus continues to meet weekly and holds Bible studies.

For sure, no matter how this conflict is resolved, the country will be changed. Recovery will take a long time. Students who graduate from Nicaragua Christian School this year and in the years to come will have a part in shaping the future of the country. The excellent education they are receiving and the Christian influence they exhibit will make it possible for them to be influential in shaping the future of the entire country.

In only a few months, we will have possibly as many as 40 students graduate. We would like to help as many as possible go through college. We estimate that only around \$150.00 per-month (\$1800 annually) will be enough to help one student go through college. This does not cover everything, but it is enough to help them continue their education.

Please help us find people, groups, or churches that can help sponsor these young people.

Please pray for these children, the teachers, the administration and for all the churches scattered throughout Nicaragua.

David McCrary (731)668-5751

More than 250 people were in attendance Sunday morning June 10, 2018



Food for Church or School Families that need help during these trying times...



The Work Goes On

In spite of all the unrest in Nicaragua, the work continues in a good way. There will be a campaign June 20-22. The theme will be "The Largest Rescue of All Time." There will be a "children's campaign" June 27-29; the theme will be "I want to Help Like Jesus Did." The annual Ladies Conference will take place on June 30. Two topics to be addressed will be 1. "Women Destroying Homes" and 2. "Women Who Built Homes."

SPONSORS NEEDED

We continue to need sponsors for students. For \$40 per-month or \$480 per-year, you can provide an outstanding education for a child like one of these who, without your help, might not have the chance to go to school.



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If you would like to make a tax-deductible contribution to sponsor a child or towards the building fund, please contact us or visit us on the web at www.nicaraguachristian.org.



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