## **MATSUDA FAMILY**

## INDEPENDENT BAPTIST MISSIONARIES TO AREQUIPA, PERU

"17 Not because I desire a gift: but I desire fruit that may abound to your account.

Philippians 4:17



January 20, 2022

Dear Brethren in Christ,

We greet you in the name of our Lord. Last month we were told that we will have to leave the building that we are renting for our church. For now, we will temporarily be renting a small house for the church to meet in. Over the past 5 years, this will be the third move to a different location for our church. During Covid quarantine, we were not even able to meet for about a year, and yet we still had to pay rent the entire time.

Because of all this, we are seriously praying about buying land for our church. I have been looking at several different options. Land in Arequipa is very expensive. I have found, however, a piece of land that seems very promising.

The land is 15 minutes away from the current building that we are renting. It is 477 square meters (which is approximately 5,134 square ft.) and they are asking \$16,000 dollars for it. Our church already has \$4,600 dollars saved up for this purpose. We are asking you to please help us pray for the remaining \$11,400 dollars. With this amount, we would be able to buy this piece of land, and then with time, little by little, build a building on it.

This would be such a huge answer to prayer. We would no longer have to worry about constantly moving to a new location, paying rent, dealing with problems with the owner, etc.

If you have any questions whatsoever, please contact me at <a href="mailto:danau55@hotmail.com">danau55@hotmail.com</a> or over Facebook Messenger. If the Lord lays it upon your heart to help, you can send a check to Brentwood Baptist Church Mission Account. Please include in the memo that it is for "Land Fund Arequipa." The address is: Brentwood Baptist Church, PO Box 13663, Roanoke, VA, 24036

I will also be sending an Excel spreadsheet to anyone who requests it, so they can see what has been sent and what is lacking.

As of next week, we will be launching a webpage for our ministry where I will be posting regular updates regarding this project.

Thank you so much for your time and prayers! We greatly appreciate everything you do for the Lord's work here. May God greatly bless you!

Your Servant in Christ, Daniel Matsuda









