



## Equipping Servants... disciples making disciples

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Hello from La Paz! We trust you are well. Thank you for praying for us and our ministry in Latin America and North Africa.

Debbie and I want to announce an important change happening at the end of next year (2022). Parkside Church has asked us to refocus the attention of our ministry. We will give 50% of our time to Streams of Living Water ministry in North Africa/ Middle East, and 50% to ESI (Equipping Servants International) in Latin America. This change involves basing out of Cleveland, Ohio starting in late 2022 – which means that in 12 months we will no longer be with SIM, but will continue serving as missionaries through Parkside Church.

Please pray for next year as we transition out of Bolivia. After 35 years in Bolivia, our brothers and sisters here have become very dear to our hearts.

Please pray for the following ministry events we are planning for 2022:

- April -- Kep and Debbie will be in Chad and Turkey teaching the men and women at Streams church planting training schools.
- April 20-23 – Kep and Debbie plan to lead an ESI Facilitator Training Retreat in Tanzania with 100 pastors and church leaders. This launches ESI Africa, as well as ESI in English!!
- We hope to make Central America a major thrust for ESI expansion in 2022. Please pray as we form gospel relationships with pastors and church leaders in this region.
- Pray for pastors and local churches around the world, that they will commit to studying the Bible every day. Pray that Jesus and His gospel will be the foundation and focus of our lives; that people will get beyond mere Bible information to understand the central message of Scripture and experience real gospel transformation for living. Pray that God will raise up faithful teachers and preachers of His Word.
- Please pray for God's supply to purchase ESI pastor book-sets needed for new groups. And funds for the Streams North Africa book translations and printing.

Thankful for your partnership in the gospel,

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