

## Medical Boat Trips - Guama and Capim



Medical Boat docked at Alegre Vamos



Lynn, Leonda and Marlise making visits on Capim River



Leonda treats patients at clinic



Marlise fits patients with reading glasses



Lynn makes friends with boy from Alegre Vamos

These last three months we were able to send out medical and dental teams each month reaching the communities of **Mocajuba**, **Bujaru** and **Alegre Vamos**. Hundreds of patients were treated.

In May, Michelle's cousins from Indiana, **Lynn Stieglitz**, elder/pastor from the Apostolic Christian Church in Leo, IN, his wife **Leonda** and his sister **Marlise** were able to visit Hope Ministries for the first time after supporting the work here for nearly



Cerebral palsy patient, Alan, receives wheelchair donated through Hope Ministries

30 years. Lynn ministered in our church in Castanhal and on the river and Leonda worked as a nurse during the medical boat clinics. Lynn and Leonda spent 9 days in Brazil but Marlise stayed on as a caregiver for her Uncle Vic and Aunt Elsie (Michelle's parents) so that Scott and Michelle could take a one-month furlough in June.

# Missions Conference in Castanhãl



Michelle and Deborah translate for Elsie as she shares at the missions conference

Elsie shared her and Victor's call from the Lord to missions and how the Lord then led them to translate the New Testament and plant over 120 churches in a stone age tribe among the remote mountains of Papua New Guinea.



Victor and Elsie pray for young people and couples who desire to answer the call to missions



Friday evening session of missions conference

Over 100 people from various churches in Castanhãl came to the conference and were challenged to answer the call to reach those who have not yet heard the gospel. In one of the afternoon sessions, Victor prayed one by one for each person who had a desire to answer that call.

Elsie shared many miracles that God had done during their time in Papua New Guinea. She emphasized the importance of obedience to the Holy Spirit and trusting God for the results. She said that their greatest joy was seeing a genuine relationship with Jesus developed in the lives of the Papua New Guinea believers to the point that the work could go on even after she and Victor left. What an example to all of us!

## Baptism for New Believers

Six new believers were baptized in May in the Castanhãl church. One of those baptized was Hildo, a young man who was involved in drugs, alcohol and theft. Scott gave him a job at the mission house as a painter and our family has been sharing the Lord with him and praying for him for over two years. It is beautiful to now see him free from his past. Flávio and Daniela were another young couple baptized as well as three other young men.



“How beautiful on the mountains are the feet of him who brings good tidings, who publishes peace, who brings good tidings of good, who publishes salvation, who says to Zion, Your God reigns!” Isaiah 52:7 Thank you so much for your prayers and giving that enable us to share good tidings and publish peace and salvation to the people of Brazil. You are declaring with us, “Our God reigns!”

Love,

**Scott and Michelle Toth and family**

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*“May Your unfailing love rest upon us as we put our hope in You.” Psalm 33:22*