

**I WAS GLAD
WHEN THEY SAID TO
ME
“LET US GO TO THE
HOUSE OF THE
LORD!”**

--Psalm 122:1



God's Reign in Spain: The Missionary Journey of Rev David & Shelee Warner

JULY--AUGUST 2020

On the Road Again!

First stop: Sevilla--Open for Worship

We joined with Pastor Lehman, his family, and the San Pablo congregation as they opened for worship amidst CV-19. Everyone is slowly adjusting to the new norms of masks, hand sanitizer, no singing and space between families. We are thankful for recorded hymns with voices so that we can still enjoy meditating on the Biblical lyrics even though we can't sing along.

After 4 months of CV-19 isolation, it was great to reconnect with our other LCMS Missionaries on the field here in Spain. Our friendship, regular zoom calls and time spent together strengthen us for the work God has called us to here. Friendship and fellowship with other Christians is a gift, a blessing, and a necessity for the body of Christ.



Saying Good-bye to Kayla Hoem, our short-term (GEO) Missionary. She was finally able to fly home to the USA on July 1 so we celebrated with her and sent her off with a blessing and gifts, and a meal together at the Lehman's home.



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Next Stop:

Granada -- Divine Service

Granada lies between Sevilla and Cartagena so it is an easy stop to make and always a joy to worship with our friends there! Between the host family and what David brings along, we set up an altar usually at the dining table and gather around for the Divine Service. We enjoyed conversation over lunch together afterwards, then headed home to Cartagena.



Like the psalmist, let us be glad to go to the house of the Lord!

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PRAYERS

We covet your prayers for:

Mario as he has finally returned to Spain from the Seminary in the Dominican Republic; that he would be blessed as he reconnects with family and friends and prepares for his vicarage

Our members in Madrid as they just now open for worship in person; may they take adequate precautions in a spirit of trust, not fear and joyfully join together to receive His gifts

New Contacts, that they would be curious to learn more

Current adult catechumens and those who have finished their studies but now await in-person worship in order to be confirmed

