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#### **Staff Missionaries**

The De Los Reyes Family

Church Planters in China ProjectChina.com

#### **Strategic Partners**

The Shumaker Family

Church Planters in Burkina Faso EvangelizeAfica.com

#### **Country of the Week**

Belgium is north of France and has a population of 10.4 million people.

#### **Peru Mission Trip 2015**

Keeping you updated about our Students Mission Trip.

We are extremely excited for our students being able to go to Peru next Summer. If you have extra work around the house please let us know.

Today after the morning service the Missions Team will be meeting at the home of the Pearsons to continue our preparation for our time this summer in Arequipa, Peru.

#### **Church Cleaning Schedule**

Our Saturday night cleaning schedule has been divided up among our Student and Adult Bible Fellowships.

**First** Saturday of the month: Single Focus

**Second** Saturday of the month: Connect/Middle Schoolers

**Third** Saturday of the month: Bridge Builders/Students of Vision

**Fourth** Saturday of the month: – Spanish Adult Bible Fellowship.

## Picture from Burkina Faso. This picture is of Meredith Shumaker, one of our **Strategic Partners of the Week.**

VISION NEWS

JANUARY 11TH, 2015

A complete list of upcoming events can be found at **www.visionbaptist.com/events** 

#### Sundays

9:30 am Adult Bible Fellowships & Sunday School 10:30 am Morning Worship Service

5:00 pm Evening Service

Thursday

7:00 pm Midweek Service, Kids, & Teens Programs

**Friday** 9:00 am

OGTC Discussion & Teaching

Saturday

10:00 am Community Outreach

We have planted a church in Cobb County you can see their weekly schedule at <u>VisionBaptistCobb.com</u>

#### Welcome

We are very excited and honored that you would choose to worship and learn with us today! If it is your first time with us, please take a moment to fill out a **Connection Card.** This will allow us to have a record of your attendance and allow us to pray for you by name. Please, mention any prayer requests that you may have on the back of the card.

After the service please take a moment to meet our Pastor and his wife. They will be standing near the baptistry and they have a small gift for you!

Current Sermon Series being taught on Sundays and on Thursday night.





#### **Next Steps**

We encourage all who attend our church to be involved in **Foundations**, the discipleship ministry of our church. You are encouraged to learn the basic courses through a one on one meeting with a friend or in a small group. Then take that knowledge and share it in the same manner. Email john@mjvi.org for more details.

#### Nehemiah Initiative Update

We have \$188,746.54 designated to be used to develop and build on our new property. Please prayerfully consider a year-end donation to this cause.

Online Resource Making you aware of our different resources available online as a ministry of the church.

#### Pastor's Devotion for January 10th

They Never Admit They are Wrong

#### Jeremiah 43:1-3

When Jeremiah shows that these men are false prophets and lying they do not admit that they are wrong. Instead they accuse Jeremiah. They continue deceiving the people.

It should not surprise you that the lie continues. It shouldn't surprise you that people aren't that interested in the truth. They rarely investigate for themselves. They want to believe what the false prophet says. It fits their self interest better.

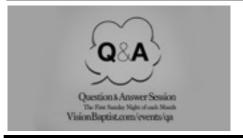
So preach the truth and prepare to live with the repercussions. Do not expect to be loved and admired for standing on the truth or you will not be like the men of God that have gone before

Read the daily devotions and subscribe to the daily email at VisionBaptist.com/blog Missions articles and podcasts can be found at WorldEvangelism.net

#### Next Steps

Ever member should be a minister! Our Teacher & Workers Meeting is designed to inform and equip the church in ways to get involved in the work of the Lord. Join us where the Connect Fellowship meets at 4:20 pm today!

#### **Upcoming Events**



Tonight is our monthly Q & A Session! Pastor will answer the questions submitted about Bible and the future of our our church.

Email auestions@visionbaptist.com.turn into the Media booth, or place in basket at the Info Desk.



On February the 1st we will have a Come and **See Luncheon** immediately after the morning service. This is a time set aside to introduce new and prospective members to the history, values. and procedures of our church.

### **Upcoming Events...**

**Blessing** Service

Join us on January 25th (Sunday PM) for as we show love and honor to Paul Taube & family before they leave for New Delhi, India.

Join us on February 1st (Sunday PM) as we will hear Pastor share some of the exciting things we have been able to accomplish as a church and cast a vision for greater things in 2015.



Our annual Wedding Renewal Service will be on **Sunday Night, Feb 15th.** It will be followed by a special dinner (teen fundraiser).



Our **Sunday, March the 15th** we will celebrate that our God has been "good in all seasons" over the last 9 years! It will be a time to celebrate all God has done on our behalf for His glory! We will have our annual Chili and Dessert Contest!

#### Thursday Night

men ladies This **Thursday night** we will have our monthly "Split Sessions." Pastor Robert will be teaching the men (Vision Fraternity) from Proverbs and his wife, Kelli, will be leading the ladies in a study in the Ladies' Fellowship.