

The Stover Family

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MAY/JUNE 2025

MISSIONARIES TO PERÚ



Mother's and Father's Day

It was a blessing to be able to celebrate these special days with a Mother's Day tea and a game night and dinner for the fathers. We praise the Lord for several parents of children who we pick up on the van route who were present for these times to hear the Gospel presented. These are folks who do not usually come. We pray God will use these seeds planted to produce much fruit.

Trip to Ilo

May 16-18 we made the 2-hour trip up the coast to Ilo to preach and teach at a Family Conference at Iglesia Bautista Peniel, where Samuel Huaman is pastor. We thank the Lord for our van, so that the whole family could travel comfortably, and also that we didn't have any mechanical issues along the way.

Pastoral Team Training

We were privileged to have Missionary Stanley Templeton in to teach and train the pastors and their wives of our team, along with several other pastors who traveled in to be a part. We had 10 pastoral families represented in the classes. The lessons were timely and helpful, and we were refreshed and encouraged. We pray God will continue to use us here to reach southern Peru for His honor and glory.

Ecclesiastes 3:1 says: "To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven:" Please pray for José and Lucia who have been a faithful part of the team here in Tacna

We thank you for being partners together with us here in Peru. Your prayers and support are so vital to all that the Lord is doing in this place.

Thankful for the opportunity to serve,

Robert & Sara Stover and Family

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during this season.

On June 22, we will have José's ordination service, and on July 3, they will fly to the northern city of Cajamarca to begin a new season, serving at the Maranatha Baptist Church. Lord-willing, I will be in Cajamarca July 9-13 to see the ministry there, preach José's installation service, and also preach in a sister church.

Family Update

Our children have finished another school year, and this year our oldest son Josiah graduated from high school. Please be in prayer for him as he makes decisions concerning this new season of his life. Thank you to those who bless our children by sending birthday cards and gifts.

Missions Trip Group

Please pray as we have a missions group of 18 people coming from Trinity Baptist Church in Milton, FL, June 24-July 2. We have several projects planned at the church during their time here, including a VBS. Please pray for safety in travel and that God would use this trip in each of their lives to give them a greater burden for missions around the world.

Praise

We praise God that José's brother Miguel made a profession of faith. Please continue to pray for the salvation of his mother and nephew, Mirtha and Jared. Also, a teenage girl who has been coming ever since the church began 3 years ago recently made a profession of faith. We praise God for his work in their hearts!



JUNE 2025 UPDATE

Tacna Christian School Project

Dear Pastors and Praying Friends,

This is Robert Stover, missionary in Tacna, Peru, writing to update you on the Tacna Christian School Project. First of all, we are so thankful for your prayers and generous gifts towards the construction of the Christian school. Thankfully, we have the main structure built for what will be the first phase of the school. Having said that, we are now in the phase of finish work and readying the building for necessary inspections by the Department of Education.

What have we done already? We have built three classrooms, the teacher's break room, offices, and restrooms. In addition to that, a part of the stuccoing has been completed. The great majority of our construction workers are Christians, and faithful members of some of our team churches. It has been a blessing for us to have trustworthy men who are also master craftsmen. We have waited a bit on them to complete other jobs in order to have them complete the stucco job. Lord-willing, the stuccoing will begin again next week.

Other jobs that need to be done include:

- Putting up more provisional metal roofing
- Installing outdoor drywall in several openings
- Painting
- Installing windows and doors
- Installing toilets and sinks in the restrooms
- Installing a water storage tank and water hook-ups
- Electrical installations
- Tiling floors
- Pouring a sidewalk...amongst other things.



Any gifts toward this project can be sent to:

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Tacna Christian School Fund)

Thank you for your prayers and giving!

We are trusting the Lord and working towards opening the school in March of 2026. Please pray for the work to continue smoothly and that God would supply the remainder of the **\$38,000** that would allow us to complete the first phase. Pray that God would give wisdom in selecting the school staff and faculty. We are excited to see how God will work and move!

We praise the Lord that there is a Bible-study group already meeting in one of the classrooms. Our prayer is that this property might one day also be the home of a new church. We thank God for the favor He has given us with residents in the area.

If you have any further questions, you can feel free to reach out to me at rstover22@yahoo.com or 330-238-4944. Thank you for your prayers. May the Lord bless and keep you.

Your Friend in Christ,

Missionary Robert Stover- Tacna, Peru

