



Berea Portugal



At the end of November, we celebrated our first Berea Conference in Portugal! It was hosted by the Church of one of our graduates in Lisbon and around 40 Portuguese pastors attended. During the last 5 years, we have been receiving students from Portugal, and just this academic year we have 9 enrolled in our Seminary. Now, they are asking us to consider starting an extension there to reach more pastors in Portugal, as well as other Portuguese speaking countries like Cabo Verde. This conference was the first step in that direction. Please, join us in prayer for wisdom, guidance and confirmation from the Lord according to His will.



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Spiritual fruit

It is encouraging to see how God is producing spiritual fruit in the lives of His people exposed to His Word, both at Berea Seminary as well as the Leon Church. Praise the Lord for it!



In the Fall, we launched a new program in Berea Seminary: Certificate in Biblical Studies. God has given us the opportunity to start it in the Canary Islands! The Church of one of our Berea graduates is hosting the modular classes, under the invitation of the elder board. This is the fruit of years of faithful biblical exposition and shepherding by our Berea graduate, Miguel. It is also very encouraging that Heber Torres (TMS grad and Berea professor) is leading this extension and coordinating some of our Berea graduates to teach these classes. It is very gratifying to see these graduates not only applying his studies in their local churches, but also now teaching others. God is producing all this spiritual fruit for the glory of His name!



At the Leon Church, David continues preaching Ephesians and Loida teaching the ladies, among other ministries. It is so encouraging to see how the congregation is receiving God's Word with joy and observe their spiritual growth. We also keep having numerous visits each Sunday. A few days ago we concluded our Fundamentals of the Faith class, the largest attended so far. It was also encouraging that our daughters, Abigail and Noa, took this class. We are praying for spiritual fruit in their lives too. We are so grateful to the Lord for your support and prayers, so that He may produce more spiritual fruit in Spain and beyond.