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Church Planting

THE VISION of planting a missional and multicultural congregation among the young professionals in Madrid has taught us to depend on God in deeper ways. Anyone with experience in church planting from scratch knows that even with a great plan, there is much to learn along the way! We thank God for giving us the strength to persevere in faith with His vision before us.

Many of you have prayed with us through the joys and challenges of the past nine years that we have lived in Madrid. We thank God that He has provided in His way and His time. We are reminded that His ways are higher than our ways, and that He works all things together for His glory and for our good. What began as a prayerful seed of vision in 2014 is now growing and producing fruit. AMEN!

RECENT HIGHLIGHTS FROM OUR CHURCH PLANTING MINISTRY IN MADRID:

- We celebrate a weekly worship service and children and adult Sunday school classes each Sunday in the temporary building we are renting from a Brazilian Church.
- We welcomed a Spaniard and one more family to our church's core group.
- Through prayer and God's blessing we have grown from 3 families to 35 people worshiping on Sundays at "Rey de Reyes" Presbyterian Church.
- We have a monthly outreach event in our church through which visitors have attended our worship services.
- "Rey de Reyes" Presbyterian Church now has a website: www.ReyDeReyesMadrid.com and social media pages on Instagram and Facebook. Through these pages people were able to find out about our church and now they regularly attend.













"It has always been my ambition to preach the gospel

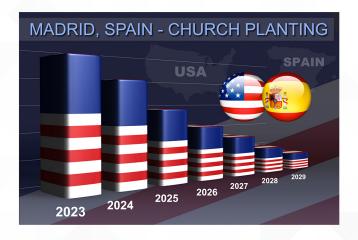
WHERE CHRIST WAS NOT KNOWN,

so that I would not be building on someone else's foundation."

Romans 15:20 -

FUTURE LOCATION FOR "REY DE REYES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH"

During this past year, we have been thankful to rent space from a Brazilian church near downtown Madrid. As our church plant grows and as we look ahead to new strategies for our church plant to reach the unreached, we are in the process of looking for our own building to rent. Please pray that God will lead us to just the right place to rent in a good, visible location. Once we begin to rent our own building, the monthly rent fee will be much higher than what we are currently paying. The below graph shows the decreasing strategy for paying the rent beginning with 100% of US support (\$2,500 per month). Throughout the following years, "Rey de Reyes Presbyterian Church" will gradually resume the responsibility of paying the full rent fee.



PLEASE PRAY

• FOR THE SPANISH PEOPLE, less than 1% (only 0.5%) consider themselves Evangelical Christians.

(Rev 7:9-10)

• FOR THE GROWTH OF OUR PRAYER TEAM:

We would like to invite YOU to join our prayer team, to faithfully pray for our church planting ministry in Madrid.

(Phil 1:3-6)

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTNERSHIP

If you would be willing to pray regularly, or make a contribution, or start sending a recurring donation, or consider coming to Spain yourself, please let us know. Thank you!

"Our vision is to plant a missional and multicultural led congregation among young professional families in Madrid."