

IGLESIA BAUTISTA EMMANUEL

A Baptist Congregation
in San Salvador, El Salvador



During the period of the partnership BRBC will endeavor to provide:

- Ongoing prayer support of IBE ministries.
- Financial support delivered to IBE through CBM.
- Regular congregational updates on the ministry of IBE.
- At least one mission team to El Salvador to work with IBE ministries.
- Promotion of the expansion of the partnership to sister churches and individuals.

IBE will endeavor to provide:

- Ongoing prayer support of BRBC ministries
- Regular updates to BRBC on IBE activities, ministries and opportunities.
- Reporting as required by CBM for the issuance of partnership funds.
- Regular updates to BRBC on the progress of projects receiving financial support from BRBC.
- One or more mission teams to Canada to work with BRBC ministries.

Iglesia Bautista Emmanuel, San Salvador is a Baptist Congregation that was founded in 1964. A few years later, in 1968 two members of the church were sent to seminary in Mexico.

The challenges of mission work within the country in the early 1970's as well as reflection on the reality of the gospel as well as further studies had a profound impact on the church. It resulted in a clear call to serve the poor, in fraternity as well as solidarity and justice.

To help show the youth an alternative to gangs, IBE runs a youth house called "Cal Pilpiill" that provides training in the arts such as music and painting, cooking and computers. It provides an alternate family to the "family" that the gangs provide as well as the opportunity for testimony/modeling of the gospel. In parallel, a school provides the official curriculum with the gospel as well as a strong emphasis on building a culture of peace to replace the current culture of violence.

In addition to the church in the capital city, San Salvador, IBE reaches out to the rural areas through twelve mission stations.