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Mexico Sponsorship Program COVID-19 Update, November 23, 2020

We recently received another update from our partners in Mexico regarding the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic.

Like most states in the US, Mexico is working on phased re-opening after a long time in shut down. While the tourist area of Mazatlán, known as the Golden Zone, has been open and active for quite some time, the rest of the city has remained quite closed. At the end of October we received word that the feeding centers had finally been allowed to re-open! For the past month, children have been coming to the feeding centers every morning to have breakfast and enjoy their discipleship lessons. Because school is currently available only on television for these children, meeting at the feeding centers and having the loving care of the leaders, is the only live instruction they are receiving.

As mentioned in previous updates, many of the feeding centers have been reaching senior citizens as well as children during the pandemic. At one feeding center, Flores Magon, a group of seniors gathers every morning for Bible study and breakfast an hour before the children's breakfast time. The couple that runs that feeding center are senior citizens themselves, and have loved seeing this community time come together.

As with the early months of the pandemic, the number of people who need help is still very high, with unemployment remaining a huge problem. Our partners have also told us that while they are so excited for the feeding centers to be open right now, they are anticipating another shut down as cases rise during the winter, and they still need our support, both financially and in prayer.

The GO COVID-19 Relief Fund is a great way to continue to support our partners globally. They have been incredibly grateful for your support and prayers. If you are interested in donating to the Relief Fund, please visit our website at goonthemission.com/donate.

