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## **August 2020 Report**

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## **Beach Street CHURCH OF CHRIST**

Dear brethren,

With the Lord's blessings, encouragement and promises we remain focused on the primary issues of our private and public lives – viewing, seeking, and setting our minds on things above. Yes, earthly distractions come in all colors, sizes, and challenges. We were threatened by Marco and Laura – but we were spared. We pray for the safety and wellbeing of all our brethren who are suffering from anyone of the present issues.

**Mexico City** – I made my way down to Mexico City as planned and returned safely. The Tacuba congregation welcomed me with much joy, giving kind attention to the Word. My lessons encouraged the church and one lady was restored. Difficult as it is, a good number was able to meet. The church remains alert and active despite all their past and present issues. COVID-19 has done harm to some of the members; one prominent faithful brother died from the virus. *Daniel Martinez* is doing a great work with the valuable help of his wife and teenage children. I will be returning to assist them sometime next year. Remember them in your prayers.

**Latin America** – I do not have much information to share with you on coming trips. Currently, travel to Cuba is not possible. Very few countries are opening their airports to US citizens – Costa Rica, Dominican Republic and Peru are three that look promising. There is a real spiritual need among the local churches in these countries. I will keep you updated.

All of you remain in our thoughts and prayers. We thank God for the fellowship we have with you and for your kindness towards us. We need and request your prayers!

In Christ, Ruben C. Amador