

Youth Camp 2025 - Disciples

"This was the best week of camp ever!" That was the testimony we heard repeatedly in the days following our annual youth camp. This year's theme, "Disciples," centered on what it truly means to follow Christ. Our main speaker, John Moncada, a young church planter in Santiago, challenged and encouraged the campers throughout the week.

Young people from across Chile—traveling from both the far north and deep south—gathered for this special event. God worked in incredible ways: five young people placed their faith in Christ, several committed their lives to ministry, and dozens made the decision to follow Christ wholeheartedly. Praise the Lord for all He did!

Visiting the Vallenar Church Plant

Vallenar, a mining town in the Atacama Desert—the driest desert in the world—is home to a growing church plant that was established by a northern Chilean congregation led by the first pastor we trained for ministry. They sent Bastian Chacama to lead this new church plant.

In late January, Lori and I had the privilege of visiting the church for the first time. It was incredibly encouraging to witness firsthand how God has been working in such a short time. Please continue to pray for Bastian and this young church as they reach Vallenar with the gospel.



Expanding the Reach of Our Training

In 2025, Chile Baptist College will significantly expand its online training program. **Beginning March 10th, we will offer a variety of online Bible college courses designed to equip men and women for ministry.** This expansion will enable us to serve even more churches throughout Chile and Latin America. If you know someone interested in ministry training in Spanish, please connect them with us. We would be glad to provide more information and help them take the next step in their preparation for serving the Lord.

Other Important News:

- Would you like to visit Chile this fall? Travis Snode will be leading a trip to Chile from October 20-28, 2025, with 20 available spots. If you're interested in experiencing firsthand what God is doing here, contact Travis for more details at travis@visionmissions.com.
- 2. Lori and I will be back in the States this spring, and we have several open dates available to update your church on the work in Chile. If you'd like to schedule a time, please reach out to us.
- 3. February 1st marks our 20th anniversary in Chile! After spending two years in Peru for language learning and ministry training, we arrived in Chile on February 1, 2005. As we reflect on these two decades of ministry, we are overwhelmed by God's faithfulness. **To God be the glory!**



