

Hillside United Methodist Church

June 5 to 12 - 2010
Mission Trip
To Rincon Grande, Olancho -
Honduras



Last Year's Group. 2009

Newsletter Subtitle

Month Year

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ.

We are approaching our final trip to the small village of Rincon Grande. This will be the fourth trip and usually we move to a new village to help after four trips. This will be a special trip for many in many ways. For me it marks some very eventful times in my life. My son Austin (to the left) talked me into going with him during his spring break 5 years ago. Actually I tried to buy my way out of going by offering a new snowboard to use skiing. But Austin has the spirit of the Lord riding on his shoulders and he would not be swayed. Austin has grown up in ways that I thought was lost to this generation. His commitment to help others renew my faith in God, Jesus, the Church and our future.



When we first came to this village they did not have floors in their house. Just dirt so in the rainy season parasites could get into their skin, food and affect their overall health. Now many houses and rooms have cement floors

poured by the gringos!

They did not have a place to go to the restroom, just the woods outside the door of thier small house. Many have nice Latrines in small sheds. Many house did not have roofs but now do. They have a school that we paid to have built so that they could have a government teacher year round. We built chairs, benches, tables for them.

But most of all we showed them that we care because they are our family in Christ. That they are not alone in the world.

The friends I have made in the past three trips over four years are people I can truly say are "My Friends". So for those who are new this year you will be blessed in ways that will carry you through tough times ahead.

I look forward to serving with all the team members this year and reporting back daily on our experiences.

Mark Mozley

PS. forgive any spelling errors.



Our Leader Tom Schnepf

Tom has been our leader for the past 7 to 8 years in Honduras. He is loved by all. He puts many many hours of work in on this Project starting the week we get back until next year.. Just as equal in the amount of time and work in making this trip happen is his lovely wife Pat (not in the picture). So if you see Pat at Church tell her thank you.

4:00 am comes Early Saturday.



Keep us in your prayers as we start our travel this Saturday morning at 4:00 am. It will be worth it.

We are packed!



Just a few tools and we are



These Two Best Friends since High School Will be Back!

Dena and Teresa will be back again this year. Hard working and full of laughter. They will keep us all going.

The People of Rincon Grande



These people stop working to so that we can help them. It is a huge commitment to put aside a week of work!

How much has she changed in a year?

ready to go!

Chris Furderer



My follow Mud hauler. I tell you the truth, Playing in mud is much easier than working in mud!

Look for our updates



Every day we hope to get an email update out. Please don't worry if we don't. Access to the internet is limited.



Last year we added on rooms, floors and a tin roof to her house. I pray she is safe and can't wait to see her again this year.