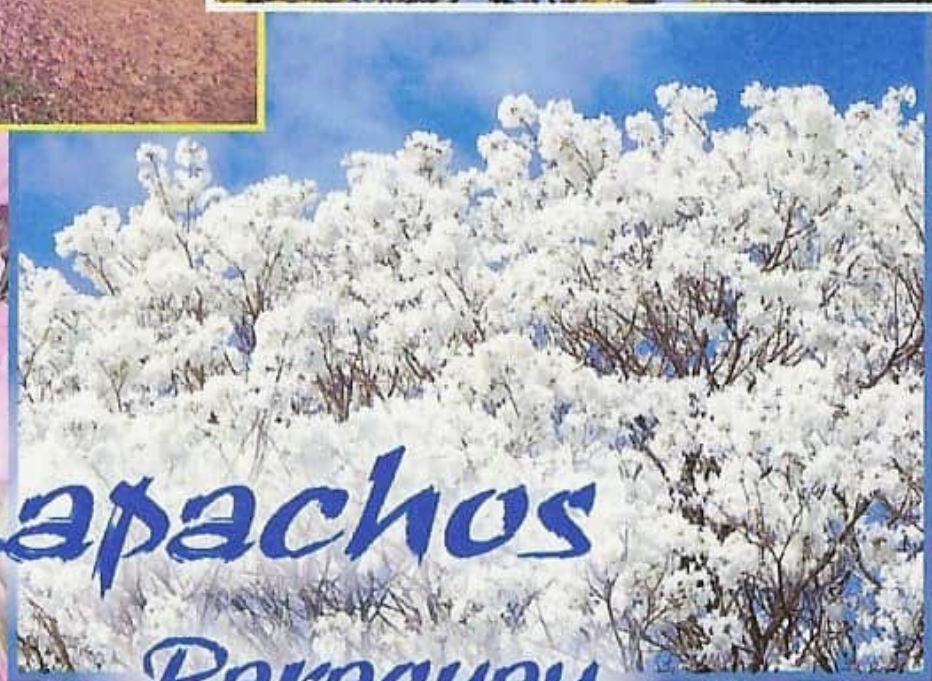
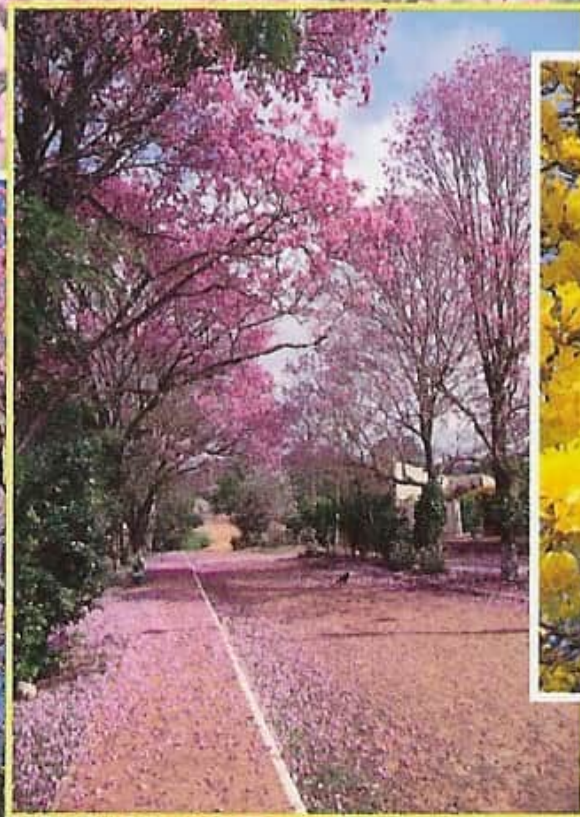


Paraguay

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Lapachos
Paraguay

Their Craftsmanship...



Their Dances...



Divisions of Paraguay



Paraguay



Population (2023): 6,861,524

**About 3.5 million in greater
Asuncion area**

**Gross Domestic Product (2022): \$5,579
per person**

**Languages: Guarani (indigenous language)
Spanish**

**Religion - Catholic - 90%
Protestant: 7%
Other: 3%**



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Project Paraguay Foundation

El Renuevo (Luque)



**Pastor Roberto
Maureira**

Project Paraguay partners with the pastors and elders of the El Renuevo, Barrio Parque, Pura Vida, Ebenezer, and La Roca Churches to:

- **Build and renovate churches**
- **Support Schools and students**
- **Support Clinics/Provide Medical Outreach**
- **Plan for the future of the work in Paraguay.**

Barrio Parque



**Pastor Miguel Diaz
and Pinchi**

2025 Budget

Church Planting & Outreach	\$35,974
Barrio Parque School	\$17,740
Mission Trips (including supplies, construction, meds)	\$12,000
Medical Assistance	\$750
Seminary Scholarships (new Pastors)	\$4,000
Diaconal/Mercy Ministry	\$1,200
Management & General Expenses	\$2,312
Fundraising Expenses	\$2,250
Total Annual Budget	\$76,226

- **Organized 1996 by HPC to support church planting**
- **Made independent foundation in 2014**

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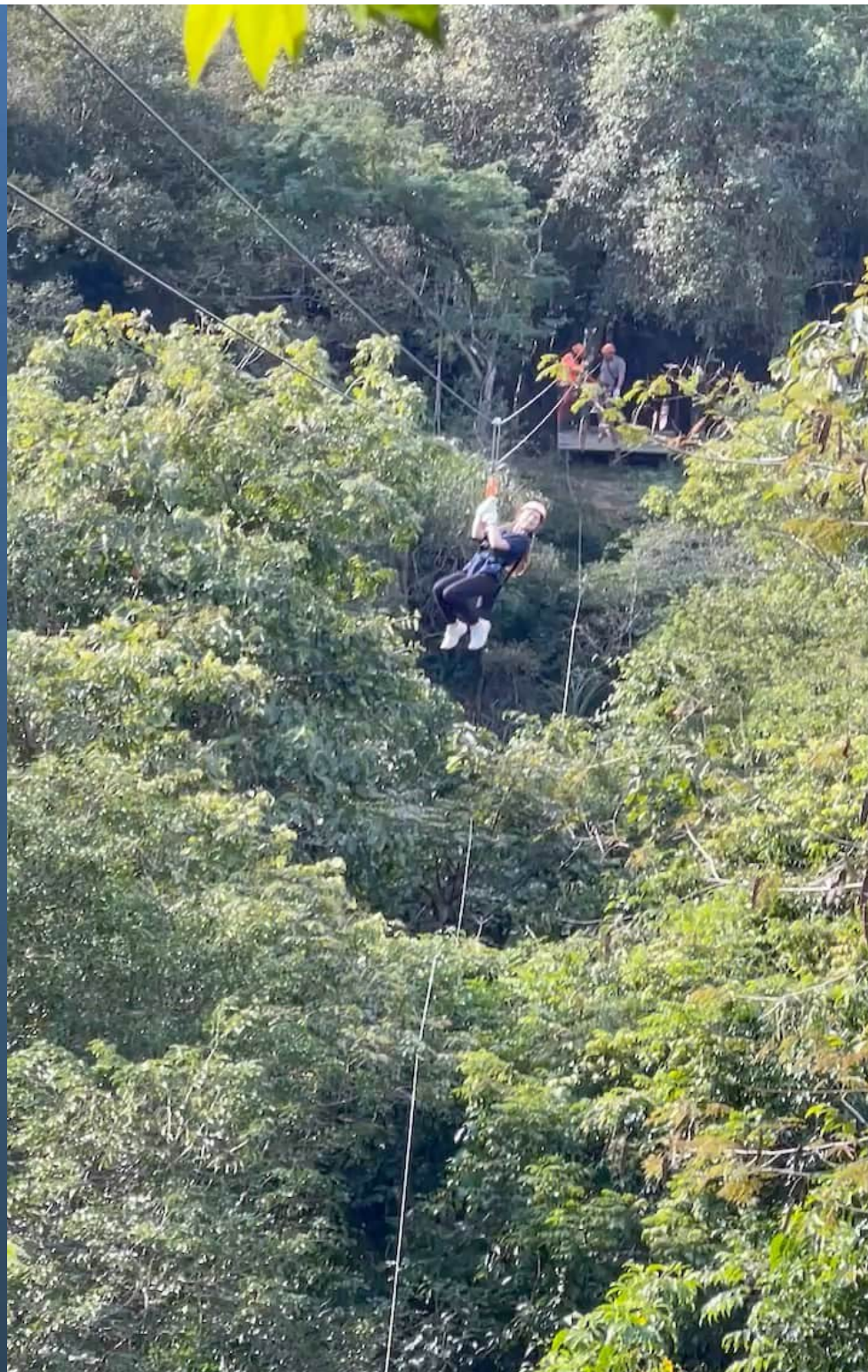
Mission Trips





































History of El Renuevo Group of Churches



Current Status:

- **5 Churches: El Renuevo, Ebenezer, Barrio Parque, Pura Vida, La Roca.**
- **Parque School**

- **1997: Joel Acevedo and family move from Chile to Paraguay.**
- **2001: El Renuevo organized.**
- **2006: Barrio Parque church planted.**
- **2007: New Pastor: Roberto Maureira**
- **2012: Third church plant, “La Roca.”**
- **2014: Pastors and Elders ordained.**
- **2014: Establishment of Project Paraguay Foundation.**
- **2017: Purchase of land for “La Roca.”**
- **2020: Ebenezer Church joins the El Renuevo group of Churches.**
- **2021: Medical Fairs/Permanent Clinic at Ebenezer. Ordinations.**
- **2022/23/24: Medical Fairs, indigenous outreach and construction at La Roca.**
- **2025: 18 member Missions Team from 8 churches touched all 5 churches with medical fairs, VBS’, Construction.**







Barrio Parque Church



Pastor Miguel Diaz
Community
Church of Parque

Luque / Parque, Paraguay



Guaraní Migration to Urban Centers

Causes:

- Seeking work and/or educational opportunities
- Displacement: expansion of large farms, deforestation, ranching, pesticides, flooding
- Medical Treatment



Mbya Guaraní and Ava Guaraní

- Nearly 1/2 can't read at a 2nd grade level; 2% reach high school
- Most follow ethnic religion/shamanism
- Among the most poverty-stricken sectors of Paraguay
- The Mbya are considered an unreached people groups.
- There are no evangelical congregations in any of the urban communities



























La Roca Church



Singing/Preaching using new foundation



Teaching the children



Crafts



Site of "La Roca" church



Story time

















Pura Vida Church













Ebenezer Church









**LOS NIÑOS
SON IMPORTANTES
PARA JESÚS**







Project Paraguay Praise/Prayer Needs

- **La Roca:**
Repair of parsonage and funding to start new sanctuary.
- **Ebenezer:**
Sanctuary Expansion Project and Establishment of a Seminary.
- **Project Paraguay:**
For expansion of interest and volunteers from other States such as Illinois or Tennessee.

2026 Trip Information

- **Ministry Window Dates: July 9–21, 2026.**
- **Total Cost: Airfare (possibly \$1,200) + Food: \$300 + Materials/Resources/Transportation: \$600.**
- **Deposit Payment: \$100, preferably by April 15, 2026.**
- **Airfare Purchase: Preferably before end of April.**
- **Due Date for PP Funds (\$900 total): June 30, 2026.**
- **Trip Purpose: Construction at La Roca and/or Ebenezer, set up medical fairs, and outreach/educational/ fellowship activities at various churches. Shopping/tourism and/or nature hike at Eco Reserva Mbatovi.**

Ways to Help

- Mission Trip.
- Become a Child Student Sponsor.
- Student scholarships.
- Mercy Ministries Support.
- Land/Construction Purchase.
- Pastoral Support.
- Medical Fund.
- Church Planting.

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