



Jan 2025 Tiffany Bacon

## Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

January went by quickly. The beginning of the month, I made my way back down to Honduras after the Christmas season. Upon arriving, our church had a group from Kentucky helping us prepare for school, work on the church building, and be wonderful servants during their stay. This meant that I was immediately full swing into work. There was a lot of time to answer questions, prepare my classroom, and enjoy some Christian fellowship with other believers. Our church also had the chance to start Bible club back up and that was a fun time! We had around 20 children come out to hear the Gospel, play games, and sing songs. This made Sunday morning have a lively energy going into church service that day.

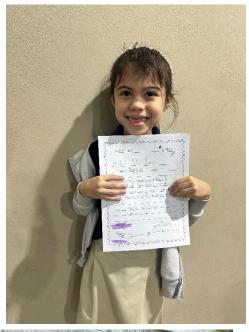
School was in session on the 6<sup>th</sup> and it was a quick transition back into our normal routine. Students came back to school with stories from Christmas, smiles, and of course a lot of energy. Over Christmas break, I exchanged letters with a teacher from Nashville, TN. My students received letters from her children. They enjoyed reading about the other children in the world. We started learning about Jesus and His miracles while on earth and what a blessing to hear little minds recall the stories that they have been taught. First grade really enjoyed the story of the paralyzed man being brought to Jesus through the roof!

While starting second semester, there seems to be a closeness around Hope Christian Academy. Yes, there are challenging moments as the students are more comfortable with teachers and each other now, but first grade has had moments where I just had to stop and say "Do we need a moment to laugh together?" What fun! During recess, I have noticed a bigger bond between my students- they're starting to play together as a class, they are full of hugs, and even welcomed a new student, Zueleth into our room.

The last weekend of January, the English staff of HCA traveled to a conference to hear Evangelist Dave Young with other Honduras missionaries. It was a great time of refreshment, fellowship, and relaxation as we spent time hearing God's Word in English. Thank you for your prayers! -Tiffany Bacon















## **PRAYER REQUESTS:**

- 1. School Families will attend church
- Health of HCA staff, sickness is still going around
  Matteo (first grader) withdrew from school. Pray for our class at this time and Matteo's family as they are struggling financially.