



# The Thorntons

## *Shepherd's Care Ministry*



*"Strengthen ye the weak hands, and confirm the feeble knees. Say to them that are of a fearful heart, Be strong, fear not: behold, your God will come with vengeance, even God with a recompense; he will come and save you." Isaiah 35:3-4*

May 2025

Dear Prayer Partners,

In March we were in the Iglesia Bautista Hillcrest in El Paso, Texas. Pam taught a 2-day ladies' conference which the ladies said was a real blessing to them. She also enjoyed teaching in Spanish again. I preached Sunday morning and evening services with many decisions being made during the invitations. Recently, the pastor wrote me saying that more people are coming back to the Sunday evening service because of the message from Hebrews -10:23-25.

In April we spent 2 weeks in Laramie, Wyoming to help a church which is without a pastor. I was able to meet with the men of the Pulpit Committee and give them guidance on the resumes that they had received. This church is running around 40 on Sunday mornings now. I preached both the Sunday before Easter and Easter Sunday. On Easter, they had around 60 in the morning service with 5-6 visitors.



Please pray with us that God would give this church a new pastor who is willing to work a part-time job since the church can only afford a partial salary. If you know of an Independent Baptist Pastor looking for a church to pastor, put him in contact with me. The people have a mind to work and are also willing to follow their new pastor.

Thank you for your faithfulness in giving and praying for us as we help the churches God leads us to. May God bless you as you serve Him in 2025.

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