

MARCH 2012

1. BIRTHDAY – JoAnna Thompson (1989).

JoAnna is a candidate for full-time missionary work in Brazil, and gives thanks for employment in the K.C. area, and a home with brother Andrew. She is working on her Powerpoint and other presentations for meetings in churches – eagerly looking forward to being fully equipped to go to Brazil as a full-time missionary. E-mail: jo_christoconquista@live.com. Skype: [joanna.thompson11](https://www.skype.com/user/joanna.thompson11).

2. Join the BOA VISTA BIBLE CHURCH in prayer each Friday night & before Sunday evening services – for a real, evangelistic outpouring, solid biblical life applications, greater missionary contributions, and to be a praying church. The church is earnestly praying for its pastor, John Harmon. In Araçatuba, São Paulo.

3. VIVENDAS DA SERRA – a large housing project. The David Thompson family is looking forward to working there this year with help from the Urbis church. Now meeting in homes, they could meet at a small school in the future. Near Vitória da Conquista, Bahia.

4. LAGOA DO TEMÓTEO, in rural Vitória da Conquista, Bahia – is doing very well with 40-50 in attendance. Different groups go out to evangelize each Sunday afternoon, with lots of visitors on Sunday night. Pastor Ivo (wife Natália) serves the Lagoa church, Estiva congregation with additional evangelism in Braço Seco & Bebedouro. **BIRTHDAY today—Rebeca Harmon. She is completing her Masters degree in nursing, and is teaching a class in nursing. Pray for her spiritual growth, and also for safety as she is on the streets at night in the huge city of São Paulo.

5. Pastor José Pereira is able to keep up with ministries as Director of the STBT seminary, and as a teacher, both on campus and a teacher in the extension classes. He is pastor of the Morada church. In Vitória da Conquista, Bahia.

6. The George Harmon's are emphasizing the increase in the Sunday School ministry, and have five new classes; about 200 now attend; Nice is in

charge of the Sunday School program. At the Araçatuba Bible Church.

7. Pray for JOHN & ANA HARMON as they meet the challenges regarding John's recuperation, as they continue their efforts at the Boa Vista Bible Church, and at the SBE seminary. They do have financial concerns. They are so encouraged by your love, prayers and support. E-mail: jcalwaysadvancing@hotmail.com.

8. Pray for 10 GPS Small Bible Study groups that have been started in Araçatuba by George Harmon, and praying for two more groups this year, and their leaders. In Araçatuba, São Paulo.

9. AWANA meetings, held almost every Friday and some Saturdays at most of our churches in both southern & central Brazil- a great ministry to children, reaching them & families for Christ.

10. David Thompson travels this weekend to Guriri in the state of Espírito Santo, teaching Evangelism and Missions in the extension class there.

11. MORADA CHURCH – is growing in the suburb where the STBT seminary is located -- with 115+ in S.S. Senior Pastor is José Pereira; the church is praying for a regular co-pastor. Missionary paid by the church, Edna Gomes, works with children, youth, and music. In Conquista.

12. GO & TEACH – during this new school year—March to December -- a team of 60 volunteers will teach Bible in different schools – both public and private- – reaching about 5,000 children for Christ each week Pray for God's direction for Rosi, the director of this vibrant ministry, and all teachers, schools, materials & preparation for classes. In Vitória da Conquista.

13. HARMONY CAMP—working with children, youth, & adults. “We continue improvement on the grounds, to build a climbing wall, to pay all impending property taxes, to have retreats for different groups, & to rent the facilities on holidays and weekends. We hope that the camp ministry becomes more self-supporting & able to have on-going funds for upkeep and improve-

ments, & that we can turn most of the administration over to Renato and Fernando Amaro.” Nathan Harmon is the camp program director, and George H. is the general director. In Araçatuba.

14. HAPPY FIRST BIRTHDAY (2011) -- Arthur, son of Daniel and Hadassa; grandparents John & Ana Harmon. Daniel is youth pastor of 200+ young people; is song leader, leader of home-cell Bible study groups at First Baptist Church; is Harmony Camp program director. Hadassa assists Daniel, and teaches English four days a week. In Araçatuba, S.P.

15. GOIANIA BIBLE CHURCH, in Goiás. Senior Pastor Valdeir (wife: Patrícia.) Pastor Elias (wife: Diva) continues to help in the active ministry, and is much involved with the construction of the on-going project of the new church building and 3-story Christian Ed building which may be completed this year. **This church is closely connected in heart and prayers with the founders (the Harmon's); both pastors are graduates of the SBE seminary.

16. BIRTHDAY today – Cristina Smith. She works in the music program and other ministries at First Baptist Church, alongside her husband, Duane; is the busy mother of Nathan, Michael and Jacob, and is secretary of the Brazil Inland Mission. In Waukon, IA.

17. VILA AMÉRICA, in Vitória da Conquista, Bahia – attendance of about 40. Pastor José Augusto, a graduate of STBT, was officially installed on January 28 -- (wife: Dayane and small daughter Ester). A regular Sunday School will begin on February 5th.

**This weekend Professor Edna Reis travels to teach in STBT extension classes in Cabralia--Harmony of the Gospels, and Pastor Pereira travels to Ribeirão do Largo to teach Basic Doctrines.

18. TAIÓBEIRAS, Minas Gerais, with Pastor Dionísio -- excellent in evangelism and discipleship, plus a radio ministry. The church building is packed for every service! Plan for 2012 -- the church has decided to remove the old church building and parsonage, and re-build.

****Additional preaching points: Fazenda Côco, Lago Grande, Marruás, & in the suburb of Bairro Planalto.**

19. NEWSPAPER EVANGELISM. Pray for effective evangelism in the city newspaper ministry in Vitória da Conquista, Bahia. Pastors Hartman, Pereira and David Thompson and teachers from the STBT seminary contribute to writings in the local newspaper.

20. Nathan and Ana (Cubas) Harmon – serving the Lord at the Araçatuba Bible Church, where Nathan is also Youth Pastor. He is the program director at Harmony Camp, and also teaches English, and teaches at the SBE seminary. He is preparing for ordination this year. In Araçatuba.

21. Pray for the children of DAVID & DEBBIE THOMPSON. JoAnna is an accepted candidate of the BIM, preparing for full-time missionary service in Brazil, and needs wisdom in building a support team. She uses her talents as pianist at church, and teacher in Awana. Jonathan needs prayer as he studies 6th grade in home-schooling with his mother, Debbie. Andrew lives and works in Belton, MO; teaches in Awana, and helps in security at the church. SKYPE: [ddt1984](https://www.skype.com/user/ddt1984). E-mail: daviddebbie3@yahoo.com.

22. Pray for Pastor Isaiás and family holding regular Sunday evening meetings at the Armindo Gomes camp property; are property care-takers; and do visitation in the community. In Vitória da Conquista, Bahia.

23. Tomorrow several professors are traveling to teach intense STBT extension classes this weekend: Pastor Hartman to Taiobeiras; Pastor Gabriel to Rio Pardo de Minas; Professor Rosemary to Montes Claros -- all in the neighboring state of Minas Gerais.

24. In JANUÁRIA, Minas Gerais -- a filial of the Montes Claros church. The growing congregation has 20+ members: there have been many decisions for Christ. Pray for a regular evangelist there! **Pastor Wandaick visits when possible; local deacons hold regular meetings, three times a week.

25. CALVARY BIBLE CHURCH -- doing very well with Pastor Hartman (wife: Sued), and Assistant Pastor Gabriel (wife: Carla). Both pastors teach in the STBT seminary, and travel to teach STBT Extension classes. In Vitória da Conquista.

26. Continue praying for training for leaders in the ARAÇATUBA BIBLE CHURCH, and also for challenging the church toward a real revival in evangelism and discipleship. In Araçatuba, São Paulo. Pastor: George Harmon.

27. Debbie Thompson is active in ministries with the women at the Urbis I church, directs the music program, and home-schools Jonathan. Her good ideas and suggestions are a source of blessing to church, ministries & family. Pray for both David and Debbie as they disciple more couples during this term. E-mail: daviddebbie3@yahoo.com. SKYPE: [ddt1984](https://www.skype.com/user/ddt1984).

28. A SCHOLARSHIP program will be set up in 2012 by the Theological Bible Seminary in Vitória da Conquista. The “Pastor Nogueira Scholarship Fund” is to honor a beloved pastor in the Conquista area who has supported the Seminary since 2001, and is known for his teaching in the area..... We are relying on God to help students with financial needs.

29. BIRTHDAY—Tim Harmon (1981). Tim plans to marry at the end of the year.... Other children of George & Nice Harmon: Évely will be married in June 2012. Pray for Mélanie and her future. Nathan is married, and a youth pastor. All children teach English. In Araçatuba, São Paulo. E-mail: pr_georgeh@hotmail.com,

30. ESTIVA, in rural Vitória da Conquista, Bahia -- about 40 attend; God is blessing. Pastor Ivo (:Lagoa do Temóteo church) is in charge of this ministry – in visitation, evangelization and discipleship. Pray also for preaching points in extremely poor rural areas Bebedouro and Braço Sêco.

31. George Harmon continues in prayer for a regular radio ministry in Araçatuba, São Paulo, to extend ministry to people in their homes.

MARCH PRAYER CALENDAR 2012

*“Trust in the Lord with all your heart,
And lean not on your own
understanding;
In all your ways acknowledge Him,
And He shall direct your paths.”*

Proverbs 3:5, 6

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