



Seventeenth Annual
Shalom Scholarship Lunch
World Communion Sunday

October 4, 2015

This is the 17th Shalom Scholarship Lunch!

Calvary Baptist held the first lunch in the spring of 1999 – Roberto Reyes has been Head Chef for each of the Shalom Luncheons.

We are deeply grateful to Roberto Reyes once again this year for coordinating the delicious meal, for all of his support of the Shalom Scholarship and his loving kindness expressed through his art of cooking for our Shalom Scholars in El Salvador from 1999 to the present! We also thank his team of cooks who always accompanied him in this human and Christian cause.

This year, many thanks to our 2015 Chef, Cooks and Helpers!

Roberto Reyes
Jose Nelson Duran
Anabel Cruz
Délida Girón
Juan Cruz
Jose Gonzalez

Our Gratitude

To Eugenia Reyes and her team for the arrangement of the tables.

To Teresa Blessing, for sharing with us your beautiful voice singing “Because He Lives” by William J. Gaither.

To Carlos Rubén Ramírez, friend and builder with his voice and his teaching of a new El Salvador, by singing accompanied by his guitar, “Gracias a la Vida” of Mercedes Sosa and “Que vivan los Estudiantes” of the Guaraguaos.

PROGRAM

Welcome and Opening Prayer Joe Glaze

“Because He Lives, Porque El Vive” Teresa Blessing

Meal

Gracias a la Vida by Mercedes Sosa

Que Vivan los Estudiantes by the Guaraguaos

Carlos Rubén Ramírez

Report of the 2015 Calvary Delegation to El Salvador

Introduction Carol Blythe

Context Jessica Lynd

Shalom Baptist Church / Iglesia Bautista Shalom Sandi Auman

Church of the River of Living Water Joe Glaze

Shalom Scholars Lu Shan & Sue Smith

Benediction Edgar Palacios



Thank you for your generous support of the Shalom Scholarship. This scholarship helps dedicated and deserving students in El Salvador attend college. As you will hear from our presentations, these students face many challenges. Yet they radiate a hope and commitment to serve others that is so inspiring.

Please make checks out to Calvary Baptist Church and indicate on the memo line the gift is for the Shalom Scholarship. If you would like to make a credit card donation, please talk to Paul Rosstead. You can also give online at www.calvarydc.org/give/ and select Shalom Scholarship in the pull-down menu for Donation designation.

A Bit of Information –

Xochitl Palacios, Pastor Edgar's daughter, acts as our eyes and ears with the students. As a volunteer, she counsels them, offers loving support and distributes the funds to the students. We are so grateful to Xochitl's ministry which means every dollar you give goes directly to the students!

A bit more information!

You can also support the Shalom Scholarship today by buying fair trade coffee, fair trade olive oil or Salvadoran crafts. And -- watch for the Shalom Scholarship Shoppes where you can buy delicious baked goods and support the Shalom Scholarship

Thank you, Thank you, Thank you
for your generous support of the Shalom Scholarship!!

"What you do for my children in El Salvador, you do for me"
Matthew 25:40 (paraphrased)

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