

Missionary Highlight

Fabio & Johnna Muniz –

Central Fusion in France

They have been on home assignment for two months, from July 18 – August 30. They flew to Chicago to stay at home base where the girls and Fabio stayed while Johnna and her mother drove a 2,000 mile zigzag trip from Tampa, Florida through Alabama, Georgia, North Carolina, Virginia, Kentucky to Chicago. A trip like this highlights so much of the beauty of the United States. Lyrics from “America the Beautiful” and “God Bless America” come to mind.



Both Fabio & Johnna had different schedules in July to be able to visit the many churches that partner with them. Fabio went in one direction and Johnna went in another. This was in July. By August, they were together and traveled to Wisconsin, Michigan, Illinois, and Minnesota.

They have been thankful for the homes they stayed in, the meals that were prepared, the deep conversations they had and the prayers they shared. These meant so much to them.

While visiting the churches they shared their four principles that their ministry is built on and what they stand for.

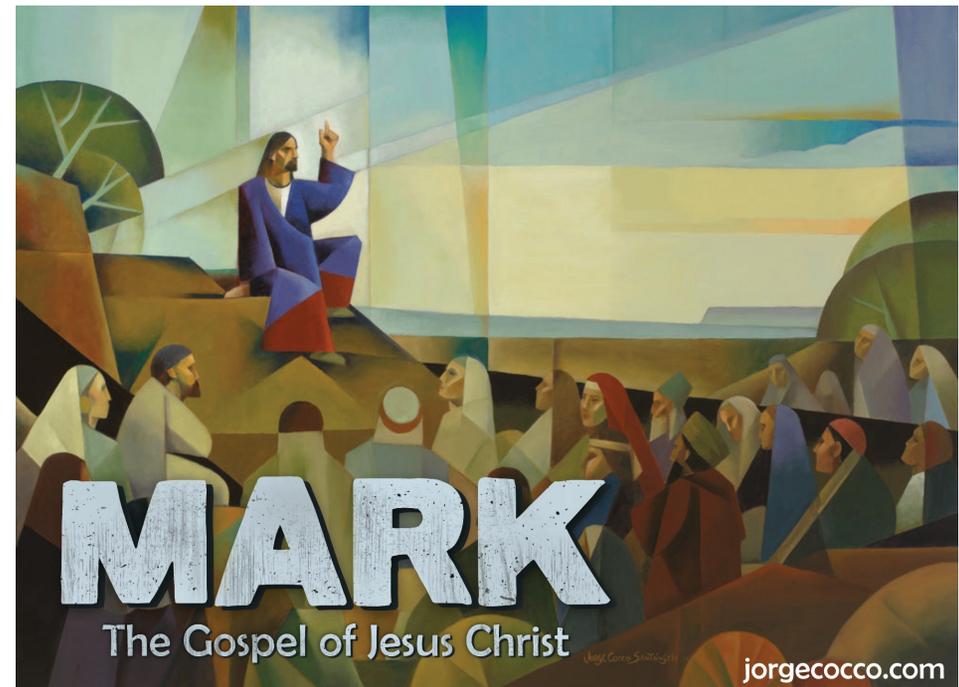
Prayer Requests:

1. Joining their teams as prayer partners.
2. Their financial needs – are in need of 8 more monthly partners and 2 churches.
3. Come visit in France – we love showing people what God is doing in Lyon, France.

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Weekly Events & Opportunities

- A Mother's Room (back of the sanctuary) and Nursery (downstairs) are available for **families with young children**.
 - **Prayer Walk** – There will be a prayer walk on Monday, August 22, at 6:30pm, starting at the flag pole at Falls High School. Please join us as we pray for our communities, students & teachers as they return to school.
 - **Safe Place for Children Volunteer Training** – there will be a light meal served so please let Stacy know if you are attending.
 - Wednesday, August 24; 6pm
 - Sunday, August 28; 11:45am
 - The **Leadership Team** has sent a letter to the ECC about their disappointment in recent business at the annual meeting in June. You can pick up a copy of the letter and an explanation in the lobby.
 - **Kid's Club at South Falls Apartments** – Wednesdays from 2-3:30pm; If you would like to help please contact Lynn Peterson.
 - **Save the Date** – Sunday, September 11 • Come try out a ministry 'team' at the Tailgate Party in the gym!! The different ministry teams include:

Christian Formation	Worship Arts
Kids & Family	Teens & Young Adults
Welcome/Fun/ Fellowship	Outreach
Media & Design	Maintenance
- Check out the bulletin insert for ways to join the team!
- **NOFW Walk for Life & Family Fun Day** – September 10 at 10am. There will also be a Backyard Party from 11am-1pm (\$20 suggested donation) with Bouncy House, Petting Zoo, Face Painting, Games, Puppet Show and more.

Jesus on Who is the G.O.A.T.

Mark 9.30-41

They went on from there and passed through Galilee. And he did not want anyone to know, ³¹ for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, "The Son of Man is going to be delivered into the hands of men, and they will kill him. And when he is killed, after three days he will rise." ³² But they did not understand the saying, and were afraid to ask him.

³³ And they came to Capernaum. And when he was in the house he asked them, "What were you discussing on the way?" ³⁴ But they kept silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. ³⁵ And he sat down and called the twelve. And he said to them, "If anyone would be first, he must be last of all and servant of all." ³⁶ And he took a child and put him in the midst of them, and taking him in his arms, he said to them, ³⁷ "Whoever receives one such child in my name receives me, and whoever receives me, receives not me but him who sent me."

³⁸ John said to him, "Teacher, we saw someone casting out demons in your name, and we tried to stop him, because he was not following us." ³⁹ But Jesus said, "Do not stop him, for no one who does a mighty work in my name will be able soon afterward to speak evil of me. ⁴⁰ For the one who is not against us is for us. ⁴¹ For truly, I say to you, whoever gives you a cup of water to drink because you belong to Christ will by no means lose his reward.