



HE WHO PROMISED IS FAITHFUL...

Going into 2026 we wanted words to remind us of all that God had already done and that His promises would always be true. In searching for the “perfect” verse, we came across the words of Hebrews 10:23, “Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful.”

For us, the real beauty in those words is in the second part of the verse, “for he who promised is faithful.” We have seen that since our beginning in 2004, and we continue to see it.

When this organization started, we saw only the work that was right in front of us but didn’t know what the future would hold. Only God could do that, just as in 2026 only God sees what is to come.

Sometimes that is hard. We want to see the end of the story. We want to see the good that comes from the work that we put in. We want to see every promise fulfilled, preferably right now.

The picture above is such a good illustration of what we need to do when we want to flip to the end of this story and see how everything works out. We need to keep looking to the One who is always faithful.

The picture was taken on our last night in El Salvador with our second mission team. Everyone on that team scattered around the property and prayed over every part of it—the classrooms, the sewing room, the rooms where our team members stay.

Before we all joined together to pray, we got to see this beautiful sight—children who were part of our team and children who live there in El Salvador praying together. We don’t know the future of any of those children, but we trust the One they lifted up their prayers to that night. We trust Him enough that we point those children toward Him, knowing He will hear them. We trust that he is faithful. Always faithful. And we trust in the goodness that He will shine on our little hill in El Salvador.

SPRING BREAK 2026



As always, the word we live by is "flexible" because we never know what's coming next. After this spring break, we're happy to add another word: "faithful."

We often jokingly say to our mission teams: "When we say 'y'all come,' we never have any idea who God will send on a mission trip; but we are always so fortunate that He sends just who we need."

It's the truth. Until we get trippers' applications we have no idea what talents and skills our team members are bringing with them. Our 2026 spring break trips proved that God truly knows what we need better than we do ourselves and that He is faithful to deliver.

We started the trips with a huge need. The Salvadoran Ministry of Education told us that our kindergarten classrooms were too small and that four classrooms needed to be expanded before our next inspection.

Expanding the classrooms was not on our to-do list. We were already in the middle of a big kitchen remodel that needed to be done before our teams even got to El Salvador. The kitchen got done through an act of God and a lot of elbow grease, but the classroom expansion meant tearing down walls, building new walls, pouring concrete, and moving furniture and classroom decorations.

Of course, a mission trip isn't just about getting the physical labor done. We have evangelistic outreaches, home visits, and Bible studies. We needed groups who could do some serious multitasking.

Each of these teams came with a lot of unknowns--first time trippers on both teams and a bunch of high school boys on the second team. As always, God knew just what we needed. Both teams came in with the construction knowledge and strong work ethic that we needed to get things moved along. And, just as our energy was giving out, the second team brought the energy and strength that we needed to get the jobs finished.

Most importantly though, both groups were full of people who love Jesus and our students, ministered to our neighbors in Bible study, and took time to pray with and get to know our neighbors whose homes they visited. Both groups were full of good-hearted, humble people who came to serve and to put others before themselves.

And those classrooms? We're happy to announce that we moved our Kindergarten students into their new rooms on the last day of our second trip.

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We can't wait for you to open this newsletter and read about all the ways we've seen God's faithfulness at work in 2026. We have been blessed, and those blessings have allowed us to keep doing the work God has called us to. Here are a few things we're giving God thanks for:



We're praising God for the work accomplished on our spring break trips and the ongoing work that will be accomplished as we continue to grow our school.



We're giving thanks and praying for our student (the one you see on this page). He'll be representing our school and El Salvador at an international spelling bee in Panama!



We're praising God for His faithfulness and that He shows his faithfulness through people like you who join in Bright Hill's work and keep it going.

