

November 11-12, 2011	Church Officer Retreat: St. Francis Prayer Springs Retreat Center
December 25, 2011	Carl's Send-off/Commissioning Sunday at ORPC; 1 service at 10:00 a.m.
December 31, 2011	Flight from GSO to Tuxtla – 2:45 departure (1:15 check-in)
January 2 – February 17	Education: Spanish Immersion Classes in San Cristobal (7 weeks) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 5 hours per day of private instruction</li> <li>• Room and board with a local Mexican family</li> <li>• Weekend worship and cultural immersion in San Cristobal</li> <li>• (Jan 14-15 in Tzelhala for Tzeltal Elder Training)</li> </ul>
February 20-25	Mission with Tzeltal Synod– Ocosingo - Curriculum Development
Sunday, 2/26 – Sunday, 3/4	Mission with Tzeltal Synod – Ocosingo; Coordinate Mission trip, including Utlely family, to prepare for the Clinic Dedication on Friday, March 2, 2012
March 5-March 24	Education: Private Spanish Immersion Instruction in San Cristobal (3 weeks, 5 days a week) Saturday – Sunday in Ocosingo for Spanish Mission Church work
March 25-29	San Cristobal – Break – prepare for Silent Meditation Retreat
Monday, 3/29-4/9	Worship: Silent Meditation Retreat in Guatemala City, Guatemala
4/10-13; 4/16-17	Mission – Ocosingo: Tzeltal Curriculum Development
4/18, Wednesday	Farewells in San Cristobal
4/19, Thursday	Return Flight to North Carolina
Sunday, 4/22-Sunday, 4/28	Sunday morning at ORPC, John Elam preaching, followed by Writing and Reconnecting with Family week in Sparta, NC.
Sunday, 4/29	Back in Worship with ORPC (Youth Sunday)
Wednesday, 5/16	Begin weekly Spanish Bible study/reading with Hispanic partners: Lemuel Garcia, Rosa Miranda, Alfredo Miranda, continuing to move toward fluency and a point of being able to teach a local Bible study in Spanish
Sunday, 5/20	Fellowship Meal – Carl reports to the Congregation @ 6:00 Fellowship Meal to present overview of experience
Wednesday, 5/23	Weekly Spanish Bible reading/study continues
Friday-Saturday, 7/20-21	Mission Committee Retreat with Hispanic Ministry Enabler and Mission General Presbyter of Salem Presbytery - Envision ORPC and Hispanic ministries

**Sundays on Sabbatical (16 total)**

January 1	
8	March 4 (Lent 2)
15	11 (Lent 3)
22	18 (Lent 4)
29	25 (Lent 5)
Feb. 5	April 1 (Palm Sunday)
12	8 (Easter)
19	15
26 (Lent 1)	

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