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Dear Praying Friends,

We were so pleased with the way God blessed the **Rockwood United Worship** event! There were many challenges but even more blessings. It was, by far, the largest (about 500 attending) and most diverse gathering of believers in Rockwood's history to join together for collaborative worship. **Over 50 people responded to the invitation of Luis Palau...15 who accepted Christ for the first time (one of them an 82 year old man!)...19 re-dedications...and another 19 requesting spiritual follow-up!**

In addition to Palau's anointed preaching, the **corporate worship** was passionate and powerful, the short **vision-casting messages** by Pastors Pedro Gonzalez and Pastor Vance Hays were inspiring, the M.C. (Pastor Bennie Moore) did a fantastic job, **the Lord's Prayer** said out loud all together in **Arabic, Russian, Spanish, and English** was very unifying, and the **closing prayer** and exhortation by Pastor Yuriy Bigun (in Russian and English) was encouraging. Additionally, over \$1,200 was collected in the offering to give to a local organization that provides food, clothing, advocacy, and other services to the poor.

I will close this update with many thanks for your prayers on our behalf and the words of the one of the pastors who attended...

"I am reflecting on the taste of heaven I enjoyed last night as THE church in Rockwood gathered under one roof on the As Is Church campus to worship the One true God. Over 50 decisions were made in response to a message by Luis Palau. Many tribes and nations encountered eternity in a beautiful way. Praise to the Lord for His mighty works as He tore through the walls of race, 'religion,' and the barriers of church walls."

Thanks again for continuing to stand with us through prayer!

Grateful,

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