



Kid's Kaleidoscope

Country of the Month Spain

Eurasia



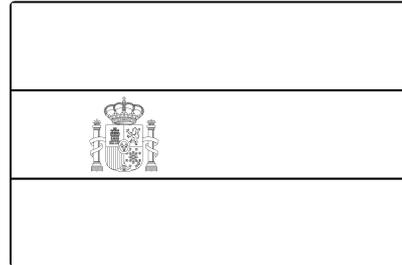
CONVERSATION CENTRAL

How did God answer the prayers of the Zaragoza church in Spain?

What are some ways the church family in Zaragoza are reaching out to their neighbors where their new church building is located?

This story talks about a church who went on a mission trip to serve others in a different country. Sometimes God calls us to serve others in a different country, but He also calls us to serve our neighbors right where we live. Can you think of some ways your church is serving those who live in your community?

COLOR THE FLAG



The flag of Spain has two red horizontal bands and a bright yellow center band. Created in the 18th century, it symbolizes strength and resilience. The coat of arms located on the left side in the middle band has the Pillars of Hercules and a crowned shield.

MISSIONS TEAMS

In our story we learned that a group of people traveled to Zaragoza to help transform an old welding shop into a church. This team of people were part of a Nazarene Missions Team. Being part of a team means you have to work together. Each person brings their own unique gifts and talents, working together, helping each other, and learning from each other. This is what makes it possible for a team to achieve its goal: in this case, serving the Lord through building His church in Spain.

Below you will see different icons. Each one represents a way that Nazarene Missions Teams can serve others. Connect the icon with it's name (answers are on the last page). Then talk with others about what each one means and how you could serve in your community. God has given you gifts and talents. How could you use them on a missions trip?



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What does church mean to you? Is it a place you go on Sunday to sing and learn more about God? Is it a group of people you gather with to talk about God and life? Is it God's house?

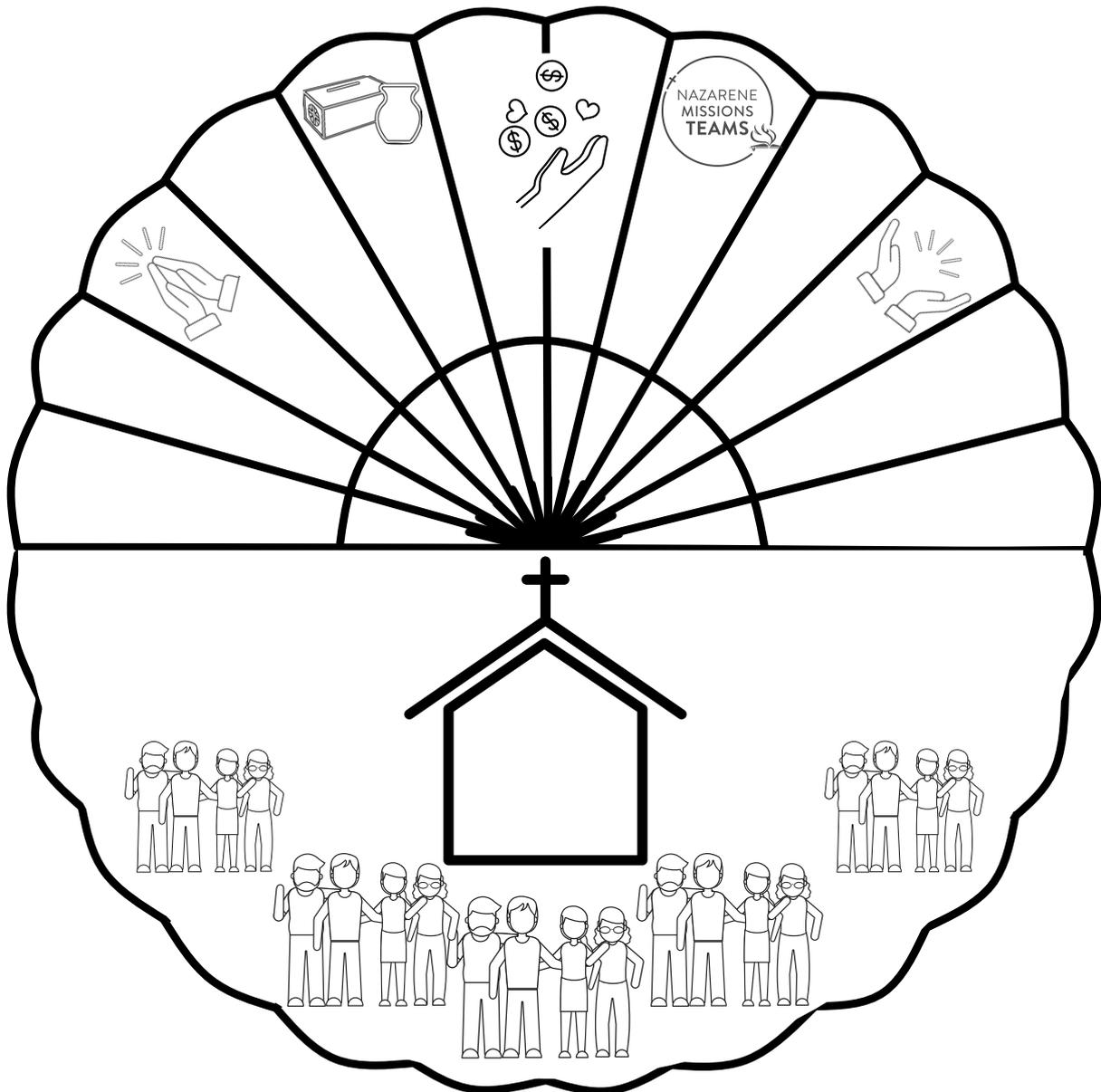
It can be all of these things and more. You and I are the Church; God lives in us, and everywhere we go, we can share his love and talk about who He is.

In Zaragoza, Spain, there was a need for a physical space where people could gather and worship God. They needed a church building, and now they have one. Do you know how that happened? It's because of the Church: God's people, coming together through prayer, Alabaster offerings, faithful giving, and a Nazarene Missions Team. An old welding shop has been turned into a church building. Prayers have been answered. Praise God! Now, this church building is being used to bless people in the community who don't know Jesus. God's love and Word are being shared in this place and His Church is growing.

The Kaleidoscope today looks like a fan, or "abanico" in Spanish, the main language spoken in Spain. The "abanico" is a cultural icon in Spain. It not only keeps you cool, but it is also associated with a very traditional dance called the "flamenco." When you use a fan, there is always motion, a movement. As you color your Kaleidoscope today, think about how God is moving and at work in Spain. He heard the prayers and moved His people to give and to go so that the church building and family in Zaragoza could grow.

How is God moving in your church and community?

If you can't think of an answer, keep your eyes and ears open. God is always moving and working!



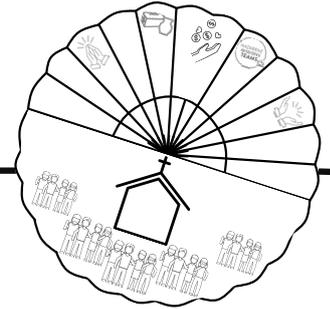
"All of you together are the body of Christ. Each one of you is a part of that body."

1 Corinthians 12: 27 (International Children's Bible)



Torrijas

Spanish Style French Toast



Torrijas have passed down for generations. This dish is usually made on cold days, but they are also one of the most frequently cooked desserts in Spanish homes during Holy Week.

INGREDIENTS

- 1 liter or about 4 cups of milk
- 1 orange
- 1 lemon
- 1 stick of cinnamon
- 1 long loaf of 2–3 day–old bread
- 3 eggs
- 44 g or 3 Tbs of Sugar
- 15g or 1 Tbs of ground cinnamon
- 300 mL or 1 ¼ cup of sunflower or olive oil



PREPARATION

1. First, add milk to a small pot, then with the help of an adult, cut some orange and lime peel strips and place them in the milk. Add the cinnamon stick.
2. Next, heat milk on the stove while stirring until it begins to boil. Then cover with a lid and remove from heat and let cool.
3. Again with the help of an adult, cut the loaf of bread with a serrated knife into slices about 2.5 cm or 1 inch thick. Remember it is best to use 2–3 day–old bread. If you use fresh bread, it can fall apart when dipped in milk.
4. Ask an adult to heat the oil in a frying pan over high heat.
5. Then, remove the citrus peels and cinnamon stick from the milk, add eggs and whisk together.
6. Add cut bread one piece at a time to the egg and milk mixture; using a fork, dunk each side. Be careful when taking the bread out of the egg and milk mixture; it may fall apart if it is too soft.
7. Add the bread in small batches to the hot oil and fry on both sides. If you see the oil makes a lot of bubbles, lower the heat. Cook until golden brown on both sides.
8. Prepare a plate with paper towels and place fried bread on it to soak up excess oil.
9. Once all of the bread has been fried, mix the sugar with ground cinnamon together in a bowl and dip warm fried torrijas in the cinnamon sugar. Be sure to do this on both sides!
10. Serve the Spanish torrijas right away and enjoy. They are tasty as a snack with milk or coffee.

ANSWER PAGE



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