GPA Missionaries Overseas Dominican Republic: Witnessing with CARP members

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Going into the first day of the first full week here in the DR, we had our outlook set on helping support the Santiago community by going out witnessing with the CARP members. We went witnessing in many places, from universities to the people walking around downtown to the people in businesses. The one thing that really caught everyone's attention was how friendly the people of the DR are and how open they are to just talk to anyone. Many of us had an amazing experience witnessing on the first day and want to have stronger determination to connect to God's longing heart for the people of the Dominican Republic.



Our leader, Pastor Francis Marsal, met a brother named R. Charles during witnessing in the Dominican Republic college campus. His uncle is Pastor Robes Charles from the Parish of St. Clement in Ft. Lauderdale, FL. He is the pastor that took care of the funeral of the Haitian President who was

assassinated last July. It is amazing how God works through prayer.

Here is a testimony from R. Charles:

"I pray every day Pastor Francis to have better communication with God, in order to have a better future. Last night before going to sleep I prayed to God to bring me good news Today, and the good news is you Pastor Francis. I thank God for listening to me and also for giving me the opportunity to meet you today. Sincerely I really want to have a better connection with God in my life, and I also hope with all my heart that we will see each other again Pastor Francis."



On the college campus they found six students who were so excited to learn more about CARP. They came directly from the college to the Santiago Church Center and received a lecture from the National CARP Leader of the Dominican Republic, Carlos Hernandez, about an introduction to CARP.

