

# John & Ronda Lennon

## Missionaries to Ecuador

WINTER 2018

Dear Friends and Family,

God has given us a new year to serve Him for which we are grateful. As we look forward to what awaits us, we want to take a moment to reflect on God's goodness the later part of last year.

In our last prayer letter we mentioned the blessing of planting a church with a missionary church planting team. It is our joy to report that the Iglesia Bautista La Primavera of Cumbaya, Ecuador formally organized in October and 26 people became the charter members. This church plant has been a collective missionary effort for several years. We praise God for the current church leadership as they move forward in their next steps of maturity and growth.



**John preaching at his home church's 60th Anniversary**

One of the great heritages that we have as a missionary couple is the blessing of our home church, the Central Baptist Church of Portsmouth, Virginia. During the fall our home church celebrated it's 60th anniversary of ministry in Portsmouth. John was invited to speak and give the message on that special day. Throughout the years, many members of Central have left the shores of the U.S. to share the Gospel on foreign soil. We are grateful to be numbered among those that have given our lives so that the Word of God may be preached among the nations of the world.

At the present time, we are on furlough and will be traveling throughout the U.S. during 2018 to give a report of God's faithfulness these last 5 years in Ecuador. We look forward to seeing many of you and renewing relationships. Your prayers and support allow us to make a difference in peoples lives with the Gospel on your behalf in Latin America.

Love and Prayers,  
John & Ronda Lennon

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Gospel

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