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OUR MISSIONARIES TO THE HISPANIC COMMUNITY IN OUR AREA



.Pastor Henry and Ruthie Witte served in Venezuela from 1980 to 2003 and then in Panama from 2003 to 2007. After studying a year in the Missiology programs at Concordia Theological Seminary, Pastor Henry received a call from Iowa District West to serve as missionary at large to the Hispanics in the Siouxland area. Later he was called to help Concordia Lutheran Church in Sioux City on a part time basis along with continuing the ministry to the Hispanics.

He is a 1979 graduate of Concordia Theological Seminary in Fort Wayne, Indiana. His wife Ruthie graduated from Concordia Seward in 1975 and taught in Austin Texas from 1975 to 1978. After the wedding in August of

1978 she accompanied Pastor Henry to Fort Wayne for his last year of study and then to Venezuela. Ruthie presently substitute teaches in South Sioux City, Dakota City, Winnebago, and Sioux City. She also plays organ for several churches and helps with the Hispanic outreach. The Wittes have four children, Paul (wife Francesca), Peter, David (wife Helen, daughter Maila), and Esther (husband Brock).

Their outreach to the Hispanics has included English classes, citizenship classes, VBS programs, Bible studies, worship, quilting, and special festivals. They have invited Hispanic friends to the different outreach activities of the local congregations and have used members from these churches to help with their programs. They hope that the Hispanics, especially the children who speak English, will feel welcome to participate in any of the local congregations in the English or Spanish activities.

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