



A fun and easy way for kids to learn about missions.

Hello Parents,

This week, we travel to the desert of Brazil. This may not be what you picture when you think of Brazil, famous for the Amazon River and rainforests. Yet, in the northeastern part of the country, the dry, brown landscape is dotted with cactus, and without rainfall for much of the year, water is hard to come by.

In this episode, your kids will meet Pedro De Lemos, whose daily routine involves walking up and down a steep trail to collect water from a dirty lagoon. They'll also see how Maranatha has been helping people like Pedro across this region.

We hope your kids will understand that lack of clean water is not limited to one continent, but a worldwide issue. And it's a problem that we can work on together.

Pre-video Discussion Questions

- What facts do you know about Brazil?
- Do you like when it rains? Why or why not?

VIDEO

In today's video, see how people in Brazil struggle to find clean water, and how Maranatha is helping.

Post-video Discussion Questions

- Would you rather have to pay so much money for clean water that you couldn't afford food, or would you rather drink dirty water from a pond?
- How is clean water helping people make new friends in Brazil?
- In the Bible, there is a story where Jesus performed his first miracle at a wedding celebration. The hosts were almost out of drinks which would have been a very embarrassing and sad thing. Jesus showed love to them by making more drink out of plain water, which made the party hosts and the families there very happy. People continued to celebrate and enjoy getting to know their neighbors. This is similar to what is happening in Brazil where people are running out of clean water until a new well is drilled. The communities here are so happy with the clean water that they enjoy coming to the church and getting to know the Adventist church members who are sharing this water with them. They can tell the church members care for them and want to be friends with these caring church members. What is one thing you could do to show your neighbors that you care about them?

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Prayer Points

- People in Brazil who don't have clean water.
- Ask kids what they would add to the prayer list.

Did You Know?

- The official language of Brazil is Portuguese.
- In many countries, water is pumped out of a well by pushing down on a handle over and over. In Brazil, water is pumped out of a well using electricity and a small machine that brings the water to a storage tank. A faucet on the tank can be opened and water will flow out effortlessly.