



# The Smith Family

Church planting in

# Argentina



Dear Pastors & Praying Friends,

April 9, 2010

## Joel's Health Update



Thank you for your prayers and support. During what was supposed to be two weeks off from treatments after a 4 day Chemo, Joel developed a fever, went neutropenic (his blood counts bottomed out), and had to stay in the hospital for another 4 days. **He recovered in time for his next 4 day round of chemo.** This time, though he made some visits to the hospital, he did not have to stay overnight! Joel goes on Monday the 12<sup>th</sup> for his next treatment. Please pray that Joel does not get sick and that there are no delays in treatment.

## Pregnancy Update



Jennifer is now 22 weeks along! It's hard to believe that only 18 weeks remain until her August 9<sup>th</sup> due date. We found out that **we are having a**

**baby GIRL!** We are still discussing name possibilities. Please pray that Momma and Baby continue to be healthy.

## Meetings Update



I may fire the guy who is scheduling my meetings! Last month took me to IL, MI, OH, PA, WV, KY, and TN. This month, I go to MI, FL, and NH among other places! **I will be away from my family 3 straight weeks.** Please pray that we handle being apart well.

## Tickets to Argentina



We are so happy to announce that we have **purchased our plane tickets for January 26, 2011!** I want to say a special thank you to Fellowship Baptist Church in Idamay, WV for providing the funds! We got a phenomenal deal- \$2016 -fare for Jennifer, Joel, and me.

Baby Girl will be added on later for a small fee. Right now, she doesn't have a name, birth date, or a passport. Please pray that God enables us to leave fully supported.

## New Car (Again)



God answered prayer and we were able to buy a 5 speed **2000 Honda Civic** after the 98 Accord was totaled. It's a great little car and I've been getting between 32 and 38 miles per gallon! Please pray for safety on the road.

## New Support Level



**Our current support level is 31% and rising!** Several churches have been voting to support us on the spot. Please pray for an average of 6 new supporters each month.

## Keep In Touch

Via facebook, twitter, our blog, website & email!



The Smith Family *Joshua, Jennifer, Joel, & Baby Girl*

*"But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus." Phil. 4:19*

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