

The NAB Family

California to Texas...Quail Lakes Baptist Church demonstrated what it means to serve others in the NAB family of churches. Read the story below.

We, the Anderson Road Baptist Church and Pastor, are eternally grateful for the service, fellowship and friendship shown by the Pastor and people of Quail Lakes Baptist Church. A few months ago, I was contacted by Bro. Hernando from QLBC about their Go project which the church had developed and executed with several churches in the Stockton, California area. This project brought volunteers from QLBC with underfunded churches who needed renovation, cleanup, repair work done on and around the church edifice. The work was done with goal of not only refreshing the church physically but with the intention of those that went (Go) to volunteer, grow from the experience and also allowed a fresh look of the church to the community. The vision grew to the



ministry wanting to commit to providing the same service opportunity to other NAB churches outside of their current area. Over the past few months I have corresponded with the team to set up for them to come all the way to Houston, Texas to help our 50-year-old church with some repairs and improvements. I am a new Pastor to Anderson Road Baptist Church and sought to benefit from this experience two-fold. First to help give a "new" look to an existing church in a growing neighborhood and secondly to be exposed to the NAB and its people.

So, on December 4th, the team came in and started working immediately. Their work ethic was great, but I was more impressed with the love shown and fellowship we encountered with them. They cut down trees, mended fences, painted and upgraded shed, painted church inside and out, build a sound booth, upgraded lighting in sanctuary and security lights outside, painted classrooms, upgraded kitchen with countertops and microwave, and so much more! They worked early mornings and late nights to get it all done by Saturday, all the while the people of ARBC loved sharing with them and feeding them (that is a story within itself). And Sunday morning they shared testimonies and stories during our Sunday School hour and then worshipped with us during our service. Words cannot express what this has meant to us to experience this level of grace from God's people, and it will not be forgotten in the life of this church. Thank you, Pastor Marc, Grant, Hernando and team, for all you have done and continue to do! Until we meet again.....Pastor Brent James.

