

AVILA, SPAIN



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A Mission Partnership
Opportunity for the Churches
and Members of the
Chilhowee Baptist Association

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Every Church
Bringing All the Gospel
to Every Community

OUR MISSION

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KINGDOM COOPERATION

Cooperating & celebrating with others for the advancement of Christ's Kingdom



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OVERVIEW



The Buen Pastor Church in Avila is a six year old church plant of the Buen Pastor Church in Madrid.

A year and a half ago, Pastor Giorge Sanchez started traveling once a week to conduct Sunday services.

The church is currently averaging 40-45 each Sunday with several people awaiting baptism.

Since 2023, the CBA continues to send mission teams to partner with this church.

The CBA will return in 2026 with teams for VBS, English camp, and a sports clinic.

The Buen Pastor Church in Madrid (averaging approx. 175 in attendance) is committed to supporting the church plant over the next several years until they can stand on their own. The investment is approximately 17,000 euro a year.

Pastor Giorge and his family migrated from Cuba several years ago. With over twelve years of pastoral experience, **God recently confirmed Giorge's calling as pastor of the Avila church.** The Sanchez family is walking in faith and excited about this new season of life.

Pastor Giorge and his family will need to move soon to be established in Avila and enroll their daughter in the school system. **God is already at work**, as the Sanchez's have been made aware of an apartment available before it goes on the market with no additional fees. **Pray for the Sanchez family, and consider how you can support this gospel work in Avila.**

Dear Brother Jim:

My family & I are very grateful to you & the rest of the brothers who have agreed to give this offering, allowing us the opportunity to live in Ávila. God has answered prayer through you. The Lord has called us; we are instruments in His hands to preach the good news in this city. The brothers in Ávila are very happy with this news. A big hug in the love of Christ.

Pastor Giorge Shanchez



CBA Team with the congregation of Iglesia Bautista Buen Pastor Avila

GOALS



Establish funding for three years to support a full-time pastor for the Buen Pastor Church in Avila, Spain



Send mission support teams over the next three years to the church plant in Avila



Provide monthly prayer updates to support the ongoing gospel work in Avila



Ministry Plans

Strategy	Description	Anticipated Outcome	Timeline
ESL (English as a Second Language)	Host ESL classes to expand the outreach of the church by developing lasting relationships	An ongoing outreach to the community	Ongoing
VBS (Vacation Bible School)	Annual VBS to establish biblical learning & understanding	A growing base of family outreach and discipleship	Year 1 - Year 3
Sports Clinics	Host a variety of sports clinics as an avenue for evangelism	Building relationships with students and area sports leaders	Year 1 - Year 3
Discipleship	Host various discipleship growth environments	Growth opportunities for Christians of all ages	Ongoing
Leadership Development	Host leadership and pastor enrichment clinics	Development of a leadership pipeline to assist the growing church	Year 2-3

TIMELINE

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August 2025

Partnership

Begin partnership with first 6 months of support (\$12,000)



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Aug - Dec 2025

Support

Secure monthly funding commitments from churches, groups, & individuals



Summer 2026

Sending

Send teams to support the Avila Church (sports, ESL, VBS)



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Summer 2027

Sending

Send teams to support the Avila Church (sports, ESL, VBS)



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Summer 2028

Sending & Evaluate

Send teams to support the Avila Church (sports, ESL, VBS)

Evaluate church ministry status & discuss possible partnership extension

FUNDING

\$24,000

(Annual Funding Pledged from CBA for Three Years)

\$21,000

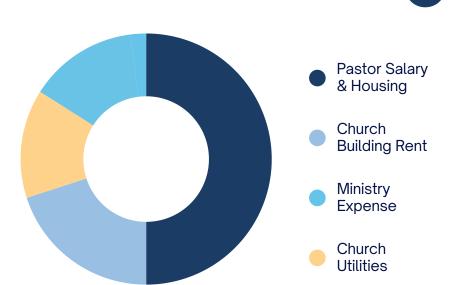
(Annual Funding Pledged from Buen Pastor Church in Madrid)

Budget Breakdown

Chilhowee Baptists will provide for the pastor's housing, utilities, and salary supplement (\$24,000 annually until 2028)

Buen Pastor Madrid will provide utility expense and rent for Buen Pastor Avila (\$21,000 approx. US dollars)

Buen Pastor Avila will provide ministry expenses and pastor salary supplement (\$7,200 approx. US dollars)



\$300

One Church @ \$300/Month for three years (\$3,600 Annually)

\$200

Two Churches @ \$200/Month for three years (\$2,400 Annually)

\$100

Three Churches @ \$100/Month for three years (\$1,200 Annually)

\$75

Five Churches @ \$75/Month for three years (\$900 Annually)

\$50

OMMITMENT

Six Churches @ \$50/Month for three years (\$600 Annually)

\$25

Seven Churches @ \$25/Month for three years (\$300 Annually)

\$10

Eight Churches @ \$10/Month for three years (\$120 Annually)

\$10

Seven Individuals @ \$10/Month for three years (\$120 Annually)

(32 Churches/Individuals Needed)

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Ministry Opportunities



ESL Camps

ESL (English as a Second Language) is a popular & effective outreach tool



Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School draws children & families from outside the church



Sports Camps

Sports camps are popular in Spain and specifically draw younger generations



Leadership Development

Leadership training & development for the church in Avila

Trip Information

Estimated Cost: \$2,700 (8-9 day trip)

Multiple lodging options are available. Options listed below are proven to be welcoming to our groups. Multiple sightseeing opportunities are available as your team serves in Avila and in Madrid.

AIRFARE	American Airlines has direct flights from Charlotte, NC (\$1,400 - \$1,800)	
LODGING (AVILA)	Anitka Snoga Hotel (Calle Reye Catolicos 22, 05001 Avila Spain, 34 920 21 13 86) 2-3 Bed Rooms (0.7 miles from the church, 10 min. walk)	
LODGING (MADRID)	Roisa Centro (San Bernardo 87 28015 Madrid) Multiple bedroom arrangements Apartment-style Lodging Centrally located Metro is 1 block away	
TRANSPORTATION	In Country, expect a lot of walking Option 1: Rental Vans (\$700 est.) Option 2: Train to Avila (the Metro system in Madrid is excellent, multiple-day passes are available)	

COMMITMENT FORM

Seek the Lord and his desires for your church. God may lead you to partner with his work in Spain, whether through giving, going, praying, or sending.

Name / Church Name		
Key Contact		
Name: Cell: Email:		
Pledge Amount		
Monthly Amount: One Time Gift: Other:		
Would you be interested in a mission trip to assist the Church in Avila?		
Yes Not At This Time		
Areas of Interest		
Sports Clinic ESL Classes VBS		
Additional Comments & Questions		

Complete this form online:



or

Return this form to the Chilhowee Baptist Association:

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