

meet the **MULS**



PANAMA



their story

Juanpi is from Argentina and Celia is from Panama. They met at the Word of Life (WOL) Bible Institute in Argentina. They married in 2006 and immediately began working with WOL Panama. In 2008, they moved to the northwest province of Chiriqui, near the Costa Rican border, and launched a WOL ministry there. After nine years of living in Chiriqui, they moved back to Panama City in order to help the WOL staff with their children's program. They still minister in Chiriqui, but now from a distance.

During the school year, Juanpi and Celia lead Bible Clubs and minister through evangelistic drama productions. The goal of the Bible Clubs is to disciple the youth to be strong, biblically-sound leaders. Juanpi and Celia also visit schools in the area, presenting the Gospel in the elementary schools through puppets and in the secondary schools through dramas. They are presently members of a Chinese church, made up exclusively of young people, which allows them even more opportunities to minister to the youth of Panama.

During Panama's summer season, January through March, the Muls drive dozens of children and teenagers from their previous church in Chiriqui six hours to the WOL camp facility so they can attend a week of camp. During camp, Juanpi and Celia lead all of the programming, including the games and competitions.

The Muls have a beautiful daughter, Emma, who was born in March 2016.

prayer requests

The Muls praise God for a successful youth leaders' retreat. It blessed the Muls' life and was a blessing to the leaders as well. Praise God for the Muls' committed youth leaders!

Please pray for the economic situation of Panama. Many big companies are closing, resulting in a lot of layoffs. Pray for the families in the Muls' church who are now unemployed. Ask God to provide for their needs and increase their faith in Him.

Summer camp starts in January. Pray for the Word of Life team as they are planning the details now. Pray for unity and teamwork in their preparations and that God will be glorified in all their efforts.

Pray specifically for Juanpi and Celia's responsibilities for camp season:

- Directors for the week of Children's camp.
- Recreation for all the weeks of camp.
- Travel (six hours) to their former city, Chiriqui, to bring many youth to camp.

Pray for health, stamina, wisdom, patience, safety, and joy as they carry out their duties. May they do it all as unto the Lord!

Pray for the Muls as they train and disciple youth through their other ministries:

- Youth Leaders at a Chinese Christian Church.
- A children's program in the Chinese school called Olympics.
- A Bible Club in a very impoverished and dangerous area called Alcance.
- Oversee the Bible Club and young adult meeting in their former church in Chiriqui.

Continue to pray for the Muls' financial support, that God would raise up many new financial and prayer partners. They are currently at 63%.