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Melek Solano Dueno was born on 04/01/2024 to one of our Moms, Omayra Dueno Nieves. This week Omayra called to ask if we could baptize Melek. What an honor! On October 6 Melek will be baptized at Shalom Lutheran Church in Pinckney, MI at the 10:45am service. Pastor Sergio Vargas will be performing the baptism as we celebrate what God is doing. We thank Sergio for helping this Spanish only family hear God's promises in Holy Baptism in their own language and we thank Shalom for hosting us.

WHAT ONE OF OUR MOMS HAS TO SAY ABOUT US

In a recent Facebook comment on a post our head Doula had made on our Facebook page, one of our Moms at the Luke Project 52 Clinic of Flint said, "God is so good!!! I can absolutely say that all of you at the Luke project played a pivotal role in my surrendering my life to Jesus and becoming the mommy I thought I'd never be able to be. I think about you all so often. I'll never forget some of those conversations in the doula room with you ladies and feeling Jesus holding me so tight in there. Those were some of the safest moments I've ever experienced in my whole life. God bless you and everyone at the Luke project, you all helped save me and baby." Those of you who volunteer at the clinic or provide financial support to us make things like this possible.

SEPTEMEBR NEWS

- On September 6th the Board of Directors of the Luke Project 52 Clinic of Flint met with Aimee Godfrey, the Director of Catholic Charities to discuss how we can best collaborate to extend our efforts to "save babies, change lives, and help parishes build community". Aimee will be sharing with us in the near future a proposal from Catholic Charities perspective on how we can move forward together for our Board to consider. Keep this process in your prayers.

- In addition to our meeting with Catholic Charities we also met with the pastor and key supporters of a church considering adopting and funding the Luke Project 52 Clinic of Flint as one of their ministries in their vision of being witnesses in Judea, Samaria, and to the ends of the earth. Those conversations are ongoing. Keep this process in your prayers as we explore paths forward for long term sustainability of this ministry we began in September 2021. Three year anniversary of our efforts to "save babies, change lives, and build community for Christ!"