

THE BLESSING BULLETIN

April 23, 2026

DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that I write a weekly blog? Some blogs are simply about my daily life. Other times, I share things that God has been showing me through His Word. You can go to

www.theblessingfl.com.

There are three lines at the top of the website. If you click on those lines, you will see the option to choose blog. Click on blog. It will take you to my most recent post. You can go back and read past posts as well. Happy Reading!!

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ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

No cake, balloons, or special decorations are on the agenda for May 1st. However, it is a special day! The Blessing officially opened on May 1, 2025. That is an anniversary worth celebrating!! God has provided time and time again through an incredible group of individuals and churches that form The Blessing team. Thank you for allowing me to be the hands and feet of Jesus as we minister to those serving all around the world. The Blessing wouldn't be possible without your dedication. Happy Anniversary!!

ENCOURAGING THE ENCOURAGER

Much of my work with the Blessing involves encouraging my guests. God has graciously provided various means of encouragement for me as well. After months of searching, God led me to a local church at the end of October. In January, I decided to join a small group. Only God could have placed me in a group of ladies led by a NATIVE FRENCH SPEAKER. It's great to not only have a church home but also be able to speak in French with a local.

Last week, I attended a Favored Women Conference just about a mile from my home. It is a weekend that includes times of corporate worship, Christian concerts, and special speakers. It was so encouraging to join thousands of ladies who serve the same God.

April has also been full of visits from family and ministry partners. After more than 20 years of living in France, it is so incredible to be able to spend time with loved ones IN PERSON. Isn't God so very good?!!!

HOW CAN I HELP?

FINANCIAL PARTNERSHIP - We are praying that God would prompt new people to join our team. This allows us to continue to offer stays at no cost.

PRAY DAILY- I cannot do this without prayer!! There have been many times during a stay that God has used your prayers to direct my words and actions.

SHARE- You know people that I do not. Whether posting on social media or simply passing along the information, it allows those who need it most to find out about the opportunity to visit the Blessing.