



Mexico Conference Celebrates 100th Anniversary in 2020

The first pastor in Mexico was Minister Refugio Ojeda from Saltillo, Coahuila. According to the history of Church of God (Seventh Day) in Mexico, brother Arturo G. Tabel (missionary) was going to Honduras from the US. As he traveled to this place in 1920, he brought with him a lot of tracts or brochures and left some in all the places where he stopped. One brochure in Spanish was titled *What the Church of God Believes and Why*. Published in 1917, it listed the Church's forty points of faith, written by Andrew N. Dugger. The brochure got into the hands of Brother Ojeda, and evangelism started there.



Minister Refugio Ojeda, one of the founding pastors of the Church in Saltillo Coahuila (1925)

The city where the Church started is called Saltillo, Coahuila. Between 1920 and 1921 the first mission of the Church was formalized.

The celebration of the one hundred years will take place in the Arena Monterrey on July 18, 2020, in Monterrey, Nuevo Leon.

Mexico at a Glance

- Church president: Israel
 Delgado
- Churches: 899
- · Baptized members: 35,471
- Districts: 17
- Church headquarters: Cuernavaca, Morelos



First baptisms performed by Minister Roman R. Sainz, Saltillo, Coahuila, Mexico (1938)





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