

# BATTLEFIELD NEWS

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## **Understanding Unity**

By: Richard Dean

"I became part of this alliance in 2013. At that



Herman Parks of Alternate View and member board of directors WBCA

time, a lot of work was being done to bring about unity - all by one man. (see pg 4)

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**Pastor Sean Gray** 

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Pastor Roger Williams of Inner Fountain Ministry

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Pastor Joseph Essiful-Ansah

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**Pastor Timothy Merritt** 

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D Earl & Rock perform after dark

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Stacy Gray First Lady of Bethel Church of the Nazarene

Stacy Gray of Bethel Church of the Nazarene told the people at the Pastor (see pg 18)

# On Prayer 89 Call to Prayer (Part Two)

By: Mozelle Davis-Weeks

In Luke 11:1 one of the Talmidim (disciples) of Yeshua (Jesus) asked him to teach them how to pray. In response to this, Yeshua taught them the prayer that we call "The Lord's Prayer." In Mat 6:9 is this prayer in its entirety. In many English translations it begins, "Say this." Jesus was, however, giving them a model of how to pray, not something to recite. In Mat 6:9 we see, "Pray in this manner, 'Our Father who is in Heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. Your will be done on Earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us of our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one. For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory for ever" (ESV).

This brief prayer from the lips of Yeshua is not something for us to just recite. Even though there is nothing wrong with reciting it, let's not miss what the Lord was trying to show us using this model prayer. He was not just telling us to recite this prayer; he was showing us the essential ingredients that make the life of prayer work.

His prayer opens with adoration of the Father and reveals Yeshua's earnest desire to pray in accordance with the Father's will. In the scriptures we find the will of God in its entirety. From this we may safely conclude that our praying will be effectual only when stays very close to the will of God as we see it in his word. The youngest of the original 12 apostles was Yochanan (John). He was probably about 16 when he began to follow Jesus with his older brother Ya'akov (James). He was the only one that did not die a martyr's death and lived to be at least 90 years-old. As an old man, he did many wondrous things including being the pastor of the church at Ephesus, recording the book of Revelation and writing the Gospel of John as well as three epistles. In one of those epistles, First John, he confirms that closely adhering to the will of the Father in our prayers makes answers to prayer more likely. I John 5:14-15 says, "And we have this confidence in him, that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. And if we know that he hears us in regard to whatever we ask, we know that what we have asked him for is ours" (NAB).

How do we know when we are praying according to the Father's will? Our prayers are always in line with the will of God when we pray according to his word. Praying the word of God brings answers to the human heart directly from the heart of God.

The basis for all of the wonderful blessings we enjoy as children of the King (all the scriptural promises of answered prayer) is seen in the love of the Father for his children. The apostle John wrote, "Dear friends, let us love one another, for love comes from God. Everyone who loves has been born of God and knows God. Whoever does not love does not know God, because **God is love** (I John 4:7-8 NIV).

God loves you! There is no greater truth in the entire universe. Jesus said, "Ask, and it shall be given you, seek, and ye shall find, knock, and it shall be opened unto you. For everyone that asketh receiveth: and he that seeketh findeth; and to him that knocketh it shall be opened. Or

what man is there of you, whom if his son ask bread, will give him a stone? Or if he ask a fish, will he give him a serpent? If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children, How much more shall your Father who is in Heaven give good things to them that ask him?" (Mat 7:7-11 KJV).

The **power** as well as the **love** of God, through the Ruakh HaKodesh (Holy Ghost), will invade your life when you pray according to the will of God as we see it in his word. He is there to guide you and to sustain you. The Father's love is there to uphold you. Jesus, the word made flesh, indwells your prayer life and he ever lives to make intercession for you according to the will of God.

# Garden of Life



Wade Carey

"I'm just heading out to get a quick bite; then get a few things down at Lowe's in Athens. I have a few minor repairs to do on one of the houses around the corner from us this week. When I saw you guys as I was turning onto Old Swimming Pool Road, I just figured I'd stop by and deliver a message to Helen."

"Oh?" said Helen. "Do tell."

"Actually," Jerry continued, "this is a type of congratulations, you see, in Gen 3:16, we're told that God made child-bearing very severe, due to the curse on mankind; on account of Adam and Eve's sin. As a result, later in history – actually seventeen years ago – you went through quite a painful ordeal giving birth to Megan."

"And you want to congratulate me for that?"

"I do. You overcame incredible physical pain back then. Since that time, you've given your very best to be a wonderful mother and role model for your daughter. For that, I tip my hat to you. Happy Mother's Day."

Helen hugged Jerry. Megan joined in.

"You've been such a blessing to our family," Helen said. "But do you want to know something odd?"

"What's that?"

"I don't even know your last name."

## **Children of Tender Love**

By: Jody Bennett

In Jinja, Uganda is the Tender Love Orphanage administered by Mr. Dominic Muggaga. There



Mr. Dominic Muggaga director of Tender Love are precious few people in the alliance who help support these children. The Battlefield News brings you closer to some of those children and urges you to call the Battlefield News if you will do even the smallest thing to help them – (706)499-7976. There are things that may be

junk to you, things you would give to the Goodwill, which, by the way, is not even a nonprofit organization any more, things you might even throw away, that would not be junk to them. There is a container at Unity on a



Mrs. Rachael Muggaga director of Tender Love Mission where you can bring those things that we may send to these children. It will not be there much longer, however, as we must send it. Act now, please.

There are many orphaned children at the Tender Love Orphanage in Jinja, Uganda. The director of the orphanage, at our request has sent us profiles on some of the children.



Gonza Tracy

Tracy is 14. She was born in 2006 and lost her mother to a heart attack a year later. She lived with her father, who died in 2008 due to alcohol abuse. With this, Tracy ended up in the hands of her paternal grandmother. The grandmother was incapacitated and could not do much for the family.



Tracy aspires to be a nurse.

They survived on the charity of the neighbors. We learned of her story and reached out to this lady and found Tracy, who is a sweet young girl. Her story changed and she is now under our care and is going to school.

We bring you a little closer to some of these children and urge you to send anything you can to help support them. Of course, **that means you have to go to page 7, take down some information and call.** You keep reading in the Battlefield News that you should get up and actually **do something**. The Bible does say if a man knows to do something and does it not, to him it is sin.

# The Lost Key is Found (Part Six)

By: Shane Haley

Ezekiel's dramatic vision has great meaning for us today. It impresses upon us the seriousness and importance of the commission God had for him. When we realize this, we begin to see how vital it is to clearly understand the whereabouts of the descendants of the ancient house of Israel in the world we live in today. When we understand their identity, we must share with them the contents of Ezekiel's urgent message.



Shane Haley

Ezekiel's message is one of indictment for sin, a call to repentance, and a promise of future deliverance and restoration. It is a message of dire warning of God's impending judgment, but it is also one of glorious hope for the future. In fact, it contains the only real hope at all for our nations, who have lost their moral compass and seem to have lost their way in the world. Beset with serious problems and challenges at home and abroad, our people lack the wisdom as well as the will to respond. America in particular, having fallen from the pinnacle of world power that was seen immediately after the Second World War, has seen increasing challenges in the post-war world. But far worse than the challenges on the world scene, have been the moral slide from within. In the midst of material prosperity, America is weighed down with absolute moral poverty! No one today (November 2020), can look at the things happening in America and doubt that there are challenges, possibly even catastrophes, that our leaders are not al all equipped to handle, challenges in the immediate future that our leaders and our people don't even dream of.

Please understand that, although no one can put a time on them, the catastrophic events prophesied in the Bible will almost certainly be seen in the lifetimes of most of us, and if not, certainly in the lifetimes of our children. It is only my **opinion**, but I truly believe that the Tribulation time is set to begin within the next ten years.

# Pass the Mic: Daniel (Part Five)



Herman Parks the Bible teacher

The terms "man of sin," and "son of perdition," both refer to the end-time leader we call the antichrist. He is also known as that wicked one, the beast, and he is known by several other names. Now, the apostle Paul teaches here that the antichrist will stand in the temple exalting himself above all those that are called God, or that which is worshiped. So that he (the antichrist) sitteth in the temple as God, Showing himself that he is God. Now, this is the reason that it is called the abomination of desolation. Almighty God said repeatedly in the Old Testament, "I will put my name here," speaking of the Temple Mount, speaking of Jerusalem,

and in particular, of the temple itself. God said that he would put his name there forever.

Now, since God said, "I will put my name there," Satan wants to displace God, and put his name there. When the antichrist commits this blasphemous act, that will be the abomination of desolation. The institution of the Palestinian-Israeli peace agreement, begins Daniel's 70th week. This means, God will resume his plan for the Jews, for the next 7 years. However, it does not mean that he will turn away from the Gentiles. There was a Jewish and Gentile church together after the 69th week was fulfilled. There will still be a Jewish and Gentile church together during the 70th week. So, God did not leave the Jews completely once the 69th week stopped. He also will not leave the Gentiles completely once the 70<sup>th</sup> week begins, at the signing of the Palestinian Israeli peace agreement.

So, how would we know that the agreement that is signed is the one that will trigger the final 7 years? First, it will place the Temple Mount under a sharing arrangement. Second, it will allow the building of Israel's Temple on the Temple Mount, without disturbing the Dome of The Rock and the Al-Aqsa Mosques.

Here is the proof: Revelation 11:1-2 says, "And there was given me a reed like unto a rod (in other words a long strait measuring stick): and the angel stood, saying, 'Rise, and measure the temple of God, and the altar, and them that worship therein (i.e. the part where the people worship), but the court which is without the temple leave out, and measure it not; (Why?), for it is given unto the Gentiles: and the holy city shall they tread under foot forty and two months." God told John to measure the Temple and the people who are worshipping there. Now, this happens 3 ½ years before the battle of Armageddon and the second advent (coming). So, here we have evidence that the Temple Mount is going to be under a sharing arrangement.

John was told to measure the Temple and those that worship therein. Do not measure the outer court, which will continue under Gentile control. The Dome of The Rock, and the Al-Aqsa Mosque, those are Muslim shrines that are located in what would have been called the outer court of the Jewish Temple. So, God said not to measure that. Now, here is what is going to happen. This will also allow Jews to stay in Shomron (Samaria). There are 850,000 Jews living in that area right now. They are going to be allowed to stay there as part of the Israeli-Palestinian peace agreement.

This is illustrated in Mat 24:15-21 where Jesus said, "When you see the abomination of desolation spoken of by the prophet Daniel, standing in the holy place (let the reader, understand), then let them who are in Judea flee into the mountains. Let the one who is on the housetop not go down to take what is in his house, and let the one who is in the field not turn back to take his cloak. And alas for women who are pregnant and for those who are nursing infants in those days! Pray that your flight be not in the winter or on a Sabbath. For then there will be great tribulation, such as has not been from the beginning of the world until now, no, and never will be" (ESV).

Jerusalem shall be under the control of Israel, but the final status of Jerusalem will be left unresolved. We see this from Zech 14:2, where it says, "And I will gather all the (see pg 4)

# **Anointed Hands Medical Services**

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# All Lives Matter (Part One)

By: Cameron Webb

Battlefield News Note: Last month we published a letter from an incarcerated brother in Christ. The following is from a teaching he presented to other believing inmates at Walker State Prison.

**Scripture focus:** Genesis 1:27, "God created man in his own image; in the image of God he created him; male and female, he created them" (ESV).

We are going to look at scripture that tells us what makes all life matter to God the Father and creator and why it should matter to us. Our relationship to God is to be the foundation for all our relationships.

I received a correspondence from a Bible study mentor just days ago. He shared with me a Greek word for "man." Anthropos is that Greek word, a generic term meaning "mankind." It speaks of the solidarity of the species (species is both singular and plural; there is no such word as specie), the common humanity that we all have. This breaks the barrier of race. It breaks the social barrier as well. All men are on one level before the cross. For those who have not been saved by the blood of Christ, that level is sinner. I was a sinner. Whoever you are, if you do not belong to the Lord, you are a sinner in God's sight. Understand that I do not say that I never sin, but I do not live in sin. A sinner is one who lives a life of sin.

I don't know how many of you even watch TV, but there is a commercial where two little boys, one black and one white, both around three-years-old, were about ten feet from one another. When they saw each other, their faces lit up with smiles and they ran to one another. They were doing the classic kid-run — you know, stutter-stepping — and it looked like they were about to fall with their arms outstretched to one

another. When they reached each other, they embraced like long lost brothers being united for the first time since being separated. But that was not so. They were <u>not</u> long lost brothers or any kin at all. They were not even of the same race. None of that, however, seemed to matter to them. At that point in their lives, they only knew three things: friends, love and play. They had no knowledge of racial bias or discrimination. These things must be taught.

Kids just want to love and be loved and play with their friends in solidarity. When I was a kid growing up in Detroit, the neighborhood was black and white and we played in one of the vacant lots. There was always someone in our circle of friends who had one near his house and it became our playground that day. We would play our hearts out, loving each other as children do. We played into the evening and ended up lying in a pile together, exhausted from a good time.

It was all good in the hood until somebody was introduced to racism and brought it around. None of us is born with any sort of racism. Racism and hatred are learned behaviors. It is well known that in the early stages of life morals and values are shaped and formed. Unfortunately, some children become adapted to the morals and values of godless people. Anyone who says they know God and teaches hate or separation of mankind (segregation on account of race), that person is a liar according to the word of God. I John 4:8 says, "Anyone who does not love does not know God, because God is love." I John 4:20 says, "If someone says, 'I love God,' and hates his brother, he is a liar; for he who does not love his brother whom he has seen, how can he love God whom he has not seen?"

I have some good news for you: in the good news of the Bible, God tells us what makes a man's life matter. After all, In Ps 139:14 David said we are fearfully and wonderfully made. Everything that God made was good (Gen 1:31). Our focus scripture, Gen 1:27, tells us we were created in the image of God. Ps 8:5 tells us we were made a little lower than the angels. Acts 17:26 says he made from one blood every nation of men. That one blood can be traced back to Adam and we know the story of Adam and Eve in the garden. Their sin makes all mankind born into sin and without Jesus Christ, all men are sinners.

## Pass the Mic: Daniel

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nations against Jerusalem for Battle; the city shall be taken, and the houses plundered, women ravished; half the city shall go into exile, but the rest of the people shall not be removed from the city" (NAB). Please understand this because it is really important: this shows us that during the battle of Har Megiddo (Armageddon) half of Jerusalem will fall. Now, what does that tell us? It means that all of Jerusalem was under Jewish control until this time. When the peace agreement was signed, the one thing that the Jews will take a stand on is surrendering control of Yerushalayim (Jerusalem). They will not do it. They are going to control Jerusalem completely during the final seven years. Finally, the world government is going to come down against Israel, to force her to surrender East Jerusalem to the Palestinians, for their capital building. Everything is going to fall right into place.

Grace and peace be unto you, from God our Father and from the Lord Jesus Christ. Let it be so.

## Dejas Atras el Pasado



Else Diaz (L) translated for the first lady of Aliento de Vida I.

Nuestro propio pecado puede ser la causa de nuestro mas profundo dolor. Cuando escogemos creer en todo lo que Jesús hizo por nosotros en la cruz, El nos perdona todo lo que haya en nuestro pasado de una vez y para siempre.

Sin embargo el no borra todos los recuerdos de nuestra vida anterior; El hace algo aún mejor nos libera de ser un producto de nuestro pasado, y nos ofrece nueva vida en el.

Sin embargo debemos escoger aceptar esa restauración y dejar a un lado la vergüenza, la culpa y el dolor antes de poder disfrutar de nuestra nueva vida en Cristo Jesús. Hebreos 9:24-28

Rosa Loyless La Profeta

M.E. Aliento de Vida

Our own sin can be the cause of our most profound pain. When we choose to believe in everything that Jesus did for us on the cross, he will forgive what is in our past, once and for always.

After all, he doesn't erase all the remembrances of our previous life; better yet, he liberates us from being a product of our past and offers us a new life on him.

After all, we should choose to accept the restoration and place to one side the shame, the fault and the pain before we can enjoy our new life in Christ Jesus. See Hebrews 9:24-28.

Rosa Loyless the Prophetess

# **Easy Greezy Chriztianity**

By Greg Brockman

Greg Brockman, author of Talisman Christianity

Elijah challenged the prophets of Baal that which ever god answered with fire, then he is God. The prophets of Baal danced around and acted silly. Then, when they were finished, Elijah poured water over the offering to be burned with fire. Why? He wanted to leave no doubt. If Yaveh was God, then he could burn up the offering and the water and there was nothing in the power of man that could stop it. The application is this: After being told we would never have another baby, God enlightened me with this story, and instead of asking for one baby, I asked for two; I got twins. My wife Crystal would need a womb if we were going to have a baby; so I began to pray for a baby. Not long afterwards, our daughter Josalynn came into our lives.

I fell through a deck last year on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July. My back had already been injured years

ago, (12 bulging disks, arthritis, pinched nerves and a disk that is actually pushed through a vertebra and is touching another disk) but after the deck accident I was in pain. I never thought I would work again really. I kept asking God to heal my back and finally, God said "I can't heal your back because you haven't forgiven them" (the company I worked for when I first got injured).

After all that, I finally told God, "Okay, I'm going back to work in pain. The first day back, I was in pain big time. On the second day back there was no pain. I have not been in any pain now for over two months. For the first time in 20 years, I have not been in pain.

My point is this: We, as humans, try to make things easier for God. That is one reason that too many "salvations" some preachers talk about are just not real. "All you have to do is..." [then they name whatever it is, like 'Get down on one knee and confess every sin' or 'repeat after me' or some other thing the person has to do]. Done that way, it all depends on us. That's how you can tell it's not real. Jesus said "ye must be born again." To be born again means that your human spirit is brought back to life, it is born and you become a three-part person in the image of the triune God. You become a spirit, a soul and a body, just as God is Father, Son and Holy Spirit. After you are born again, then you begin to do things like as described on Rom 10:9, where it says "If you confess the Lord with your mouth and believe in your heart, you will be saved." That scripture is not a formula for salvation; it is the fruit of salvation. A person who is born again confesses Christ and believes in their heart.

It is our attempt to make things easier that has made the church so weak. "If you will just do this or do that then...." Any formula that takes the active work of the Spirit of God out of it and can be done by man, can then become a talisman. People call on the name of Christ because they believe it will help them. People are told to confess and believe like its a lucky charm. Heck, the truth is, it can turn right into charismatic witchcraft. "If you will just nod your head..." "If you will just raise your hand..." "If you will just give your money... There was a time during the dark ages when the priests would say "if you will just take communion ..." "If you will just say 25 Hail Marys ..." "If you will just give money..." See the similarities?

Jesus said to his disciples, "Can you not pray for one hour?" He did not try to make it easier. I used to go about praying the sinner's prayer with people, then would marvel at how there was no real change in their lives (and I'm not saying it never works, God is gracious and good, but look at the weak, non-essential church we have today and show me all the great "fruit." There are more fruits than fruit).

God reminded me that I did not say a prayer, but rather I prayed for several weeks in the midst of drug addiction, "Lord, if you are real, I need your help." I would say that every day. After several weeks, suddenly, Jesus showed up and set me free. It was something <a href="hete">he</a> did, not something I did. That was almost 27 years ago. I honestly do not mean to offend or to challenge anyone's ministry tactics. Please, do not try to live by my convictions nor anyone else's. But, we need to stop trying to do it all ourselves. We need to stop selling God short. <a href="hete">He</a> is able, but he is not a microwave. He's not a fast mover

most of the time. He wants us to be serious about things like this. If we really want it, then he shows up. John the Baptist said to the Pharisees, "... bring ye fruits worthy of repentance..." In other words, prove you mean business. Elijah proved he meant business and God consumed the sacrifice with fire and even licked up the water with the flames.

Call on the name of Jesus, but don't stop; keep calling on him until he answers. Then you will know. Then you will be changed. Then it will not be you managing your sin but it will be him delivering you from it. So Be It

# **Understanding Unity**

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I might've told somebody in 2013 that I did not see this unity thing working. It is 2020 and I do see it working. Many are working toward it; not

Nevertheless, I know that serving the God we claim in any capacity is like riding a bicycle up hill; when you stop peddling, you will not go forward for long at all. I have seen churches come into this alliance and I have seen them close down, drop out, or otherwise leave. In order for the alliance to grow, the numbers coming in must be greater than the numbers going out. For this reason many more must begin to actually do the work, not just the few who are doing it. It is wonderful to show up at the seven-day revival and speak. People who do this are needed, but without people to scout other real churches and speak to them about standing with us, the alliance cannot grow, and therefore, may not be around in ten **more** years. It is so obviously God's will for us to be in unity, but it is not going to happen by itself; it requires work. We must all stop expecting some one else to do things, and step up ourselves. Be one of those people like Rick Hempton, Jody Bennett, Missy Iler, Donese Mercaldo, James Mays, Allen Stevens, and James Walker, who have gone out there and done it. If you don't know how, you have to break down and get the number from page seven of the Battlefield News and call it. I promise it will be worth it. You will be recognized, both here and in the kingdom.

# **Spiritual Family Hospital**

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at the last night of the July 2020 revival. "We don't have the same blood father, but we do have the same Heavenly Father. Let's all do an exercise: everyone yell 'hallelujah!' There now! Did it sound black? Did it sound white? No, it sounded Jesus!



Front door of Living Hope Christian **Fellowship** 



Hosting Pastor Allen Stevens in the sound



Sandra Presley brought the music.



Rabbi Rick Sipe of Ruach Adonai Alai calls the people to worship with the shofar



Pastor Larry Percifield is MC.

In John17:20-26, we see what it means to be part of the same family. Most of you remember 'reach out and touch someone.' Right now I want you all to stand, reach out your arms and physically touch those on either side of you.



People stood, spread their arms,



reached out



and touched someone

"Jesus said, whosoever will, let them come. Heaven, the kingdom of God is also supposed to be in our minds and hearts. I don't want to get into talking about color. Do I hate or talk badly about this man," Pastor Sean said as he placed his hand on a bald man, "because 'everybody is supposed to have hair? We try too hard to pick who we want in the church. This is a spiritual hospital. I know a man named Jesus...



The reverend Joseph Finney of Unity on a Mission read Ps 91 and opened in prayer. (see pg 6)

# **Anointed Hands Ministry and Healing** Center

It's not your regular church service



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Wednesday Bible Study 1930 (730pm)Isaiah 61:1-3

#### **Inner Fountain Celebration**

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The sixth day was celebrated at Inner Fountain Ministry with Pastor Roger Williams.

"We are here to celebrate ten years of the WBCA," Pastor Roger Williams told the people at Inner Fountain who came to celebrate the tenyear anniversary, "to pray for the nation and for the Whole Body of Christ Alliance. Little is much in the kingdom of God."



Celebrating ten years



Eric Johnson of War Hill South brought the worship music.



People in worship

After the worship, Pastor Roger Williams introduced what he called Chain Prayer. Not everyone prayed, but Pastor Roger began, it went to Rick Hempton to pray, then to Eric Johnson and to James Mays. More prayed as well.



Eric and Donese pray



Pastor Roger Williams



The rev James Mays of Sons of Light prays



Rick prays



Pastor Roger anointed and prayed over Eric.



Prayer over and anointing of James Mays, new member of the board of directors of the WBCA



Pastor Roger prayed over Donese Mercaldo "She is a praying woman, Lord, She prays until no more words come out of her mouth. Grant her the request, Father.'



The reverend James Mays prayed. "Somebody in here is going through something, but God says it's gonna be all right."



Prayer over Pastor Roger



James Mays closed out by singing and rapping It's Already All Right.

# **Spiritual Family Hospital**



Jeff Ortiz of Kingdom Life spoke on unity in the body of Christ.



Wanda Stevens conducted the Battlefield News offering.

"In  $V_{20-21}$  he said, 'I don't just pray for them, but for those who will believe... ...that they all be one in us that the world may believe you sent

"V22 says we have the glory of God. It is so he will be magnified to unholy folks. Y'all in the church, can't understand sinful folks, right? Well Rom 3:23 says, 'all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.' I John 1:8 says, 'If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.'



Joseph Finney worships God as the Bethel Praise Team: Kinte Cobb, Stacy Gray and Shyvaughn Cobb bring worship music.



"A lot of people broke their promises," Shyvaughn Cobb, "but you are a waymaker, a miracle worker, a promise keeper and a light in the darkness. My God, That is what you are. You never stop. You never stop working. He never stops working. Whatever you're going through, he never stops working."



People in worship



Phil Bryant of Living Hope conducted the communion.



Sharon Bryan of Living Hope conducted the love offering for the main speaker.

"In  $V_{23}$  Jesus prayed that we all become perfectly one so that the world may know that you sent me and loved them even as you loved me. The feet cannot say to the leg, 'I don't need you.' We need one another and cannot make it without each other. I stopped listening to what folks say. Instead I look at what they do. Do they really love the Lord? When they go through a crisis, it shows if they really love

"V25: 'Righteous Father, though the world doesn't know you, I know you and these know that you have sent me.

"V26: '...the love with which you have loved me may be in them...' How do you spell love when you have the love of God in your heart?

"Let us pretend that Pastor Billy is a bad sinner who is coming against Ms. Shirley, but here comes Sean Gray. I don't know her, but she is family. Both of us tell Billy that if he doesn't change, he's going to Hell.



Pastor Sean pulled Shirley Brumbelow of Humble Beginnings to the front of the sanctuary.



Pastor Billy Angel of Kingdom Life coming against Ms Shirley



Pastor Sean comes as protector and peacemaker. "The devil uses F-E-A-R against the people of God. Mark 16 says if you are saved, nothing bad can hurt you, but you must be filled with the Spirit of God.



Colton Miles, Kinte Cobb and Pastor CraigParker stand with Pastor Sean in the **front** 



Kinte (KC), with faith as a child, falls backward and Colton and Pastor Craig catch



Troy Fletcher of Tzur Yisrael conducted the love offering.

"We are helpers, one to another. We are a family and are supposed to share the same love, the same faith, the same God. Not everyone is called to preach. There are many other callings. We are family. I'm not good with names, but I am with faces. In the time we live, we must be wise as serpents and harmless as doves."



Ms Ellie Cooper on the keyboard Ms Ellie Cooper played the piano as Pastor Sean closed by singing Have a Little Talk with Jesus.



Pastor Russell Page of Kingdom Realm delivered the closing remarks and opened the



Shy and Kinte Cobb played softly as..

...people came to the altar.

# Celebration and Meeting

(from pg 1)

#### **Celebration and Meeting**

celebration of the ten-year anniversary of the WBCA. It was actually a meeting for the whole alliance to discuss where the WBCA began, what has happened and where the alliance is going. "In the public school system," continued



Dr Rick Hempton



Meeting



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Those who stand with the WBCA don't make the mistake of believing that to be in unity, we must never disagree on anything. You do not see that even in nuclear families. Nor do we make the mistake of thinking we must all believe exactly the same thing. That will never happen.

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3: Christ the Messiah was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of a virgin (Miryam also called Mary, and sinless.

4: Jesus (Yeshua) died on the cross for your sins

5: Almighty God the Father raised Messiah (Jesus) from the dead on the third day.

6:Christ will return for his bride at the appointed time of the Father.

7: The Holy Bible is completely trustworthy, for it is inspired by the Holy Spirit.

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#### Meet and Greet

Rick, "the burden of learning is on the teacher. I will not bore you with my opinion of how ridiculous that is. In college, however, the burden of learning is on the student, as it should be. I spent many years in college and learned how to learn, how to study. I have been able to apply that ability to learning the word of God. If I come to church, a Bible study or any sort of meeting and do not bring something to take notes with, it is like going to pick berries and not even bringing a bag to put them in. If I don't bring something to write with, I didn't really come to get anything. With all that being said, Pastor Joseph has suggested that we look at where we have been and where we are going.

"From 2010 to 2014, we did a lot of outreach, both to new churches and ministries as well as to individual people. By 2015, however, this began to drop off. In the beginning we gave out the Battlefield News in person and, therefore, stayed in contact with the churches.

"In the beginning we had the ministry schools. There was one for kids that lasted a couple of months, but complacency of the adults brought it to an end. The ministry school for adults began in 2013, but became so filled with religiosity and churchianity that it shut down after a couple of months as well.

"We have come together and gone door-to-door in neighborhoods around our churches. It was pretty successful, but we haven't done it in a few years. When we did it, we would have 30 people commit to be there, but four to six would actually show up.

"We dragged the cross through a few neighborhoods as well and it was pretty successful.

"The seven-day revival has been increasing in its successfulness until the virus came in early 2020. The coffee houses were making a pretty good comeback as well until the virus.

"I have never much liked it when I heard some preacher dwelling on what is wrong with his people or the church or the world without talking about what should and/or could be done differently. Therefore let's talk about some of the things that could be done to grow the alliance and to carry out the Great Commission. With that said, the floor is open for questions and suggestions."



Herman Parks of Alternative View Let there be participation by all of us in the seven-day revival on more than one night, on nights when we are not speaking. The reason we have so many speakers every night, I think, is because so many people only show up when they are speaking. There's no reason for people not to know where it is or when it is or how to get there. That's always in the Battlefield News, which is free.



Pastor Roger Williams of Inner Fountain Look around, keep your eyes open for people to witness to. Look for the opportunity. Don't just run up to people and say, 'Let me tell you about Jesus. Let me tell you about Jesus.' Look for the opportunity. What do they call it, a teachable moment? That is what the Lord told us to do. That is the Great Commission. It's in Mat 28, Mark 16 and Luke 24. If you can't get them to come to church, tell them to come to a coffee house.



Wanda Stephens, First Lady of Living Hope We need to be willing to volunteer to go doorto-door. The more we do it, the more confidence we will have to do it more and more. It is the one way to carry out the great commission, as the Lord told us to.



Jody Bennett of the Battlefield News More people should be included in the event planning. There should be more meetings like this one



Pastor Allen Stevens

Use your brain. Put thought, put time into it. Business as usual is not working, never has worked real well. Let's get outside the box.



Karen Sipe, First Lady of Ruach Adonai Alai Rick shouldn't be the only one visiting new churches. We should all be doing that. Go in and give them a copy of the Battlefield News.



Rabbi Richard Sipe

We do need to be visiting new churches. If you don't want to go alone, (I don't know why: Rick did it a lot of times) you can call one of the numbers in the Battlefield News. We need to let them know that we are not all gonna agree on everything except those eight tenets.



Pastor Joseph Essiful-Ansah

We should use one of the days of the sevenday revival as a meeting for the whole alliance. If the virus is going to continue to be a problem, we can plan for the future. We also need to have money so the alliance can do things like pay rent for a main office or pay the speakers. We need to have a second bank account, not just the account for the Battlefield News, but one for the alliance, We



could see if the quarterly meeting during the seven-day revival has a good response and take it to a monthly meeting.

We need to stay aware of how the churches are doing, see what they need and how we can help them.



**Donese Mercaldo of Arcade Congregational Holiness Church** 

We have come through ten years. What about the next ten years? We should plan an annual women's conference, an annual men's conference and an annual kid's or young people's conference. We should all come together on 23 December for Christmas and we should <u>all</u> come together for a single watch night service. We also need the alliance to do business that will create jobs.

Pastor Joseph Read Ps 103, blessed the Lord for ten years and prayed a prayer of thanksgiving.

# Many Members, One Spirit

(from pg 1) the Seven-day Revival, "...varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit and varieties of service, but the same Lord...' there is unity there. There's one Spirit, one God, but different kinds of folks. Even still, God is still God.



Shy and Kinte' Cobb and their son Jeremiah (below) on drums bring the first wave of worship music.



People in worship

"V<sub>7-11</sub> explains further, 'To each is given the manifestation for the good of the whole body. For one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge by the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit... ... all these empowered by one and the same Spirit, who apportions to each one as he wills.' It is as God wills. We have to stop trying to do God's business, and just follow him and do what God wants us to

do, not what somebody else is supposed to do. I can lend them a hand, but we gotta stop trying to do what somebody else is called to do. Please, let's get this part right.

Worship

Hosting Pastor Sean Gray
"Give up on God? I'm going through
something right now (He's being healed from
cancer) but I will not give up on God. He
never gave up on me."



Pastor Timothy Merritt of Seeking the Truth Ministry opened in prayer.



Freed and Forgiven: Renee Lewis, Lisa Johnson & Robby Chandler brought more worship music.

"He told us to love, and to love each other," said Robby Chandler. "He didn't ask us to be his slave or to lay up treasure for him, only to love him. If I show people the love that Christ showed me, I cannot fail." Freed and Forgiven performed All My Hope is in Jesus.



Freed and Forgiven was joined by Kinte'
Cobb for an encore of All My Hope is in Jesus
"V<sub>12</sub> tells us we are one body. "So is Christ."
The body is many members, but one body. We have many different churches, but we are all under one master. We can be part-of, yet different.

"V<sub>15</sub> says, 'If the foot should say, "Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body.' If

the hand said, 'I'm not going to church. I'm staying home,' could I go without it? What if the ear said, 'I am not an eye, so I'm not part of the body'? We need the seers in God's church. The hand helps the eye when there's something in there. When different churches need us, we need to give them some Visine.



Pastor Dre Johnson & wife Lisa of Freed and Forgiven and



Their daughter Lacey with Renee Lewis also of Freed and Forgiven with her husband



The reverend James Mays of Sons of Light and Lacey Johnson



Philip Abernathy of Building Christian Ministries spoke on the three ministries in South America and the one in Blairsville.



Pastor Sean Gray called all ministers to the front to pray over Philip Abernathy.



"In some churches, the pastor has to do everything. We need to thank God for hands to clean the toilet with, not just the hands that lay hands on people in front of the church. When you do things, God sees; don't just do things for recognition. Say, 'God, I just wanna do what you want me to. That's the humility that God wants. When you come down low, God sees and lifts you up. If you're faithful in the small things, he will give you bigger things.



Wanda Stevens, First Lady of Living Hope Christian Fellowship spoke on unity in the body of Christ.



Pastor Sean Gray

"Love is the key," said Pastor Sean Gray in response to Ms Wanda Stevens. "We can love the ungodly folks back to health. Has anyone ever had the Spirit just hit you and dance? No, y'all are too sophisticated."



Wanda Suzanne Johnson conducted the Battlefield News offering.



Bishop James Walker of Holy Bethel and Pastor Allen Stevens of Living Hope collected



Rabbi Rick Sipe of Ruach Adonai Alai Prayed.

"We are the army of God. In this country, we have the Army, Navy, Air Force and Marines. If the Army was in a battle and was being pushed back, would they tell the Air Force, 'This is <u>our</u> territory; don't come over here dropping bombs?' The army of God doesn't just need some of us, but all of us. He wants all of me, not just part. Every church <u>is</u> in battle. If you're not in battle, you aren't doing anything for the kingdom. Find out what the other churches need, even if it is to get on your knees and pray.



First Lady of Leap of Faith Nina Percifield & star reporter of BFN Suzanne Johnson



Sherry Angel, first Lady of Kingdom Life Refuge read Gal 3:26-28.



Pastors Andre Johnson and Larry Percifield stand ready to distribute the sacraments and Pastor Sean conducts communion.

"We need some hearers too, people with discernment to hear. When Jesus died on the cross, the devil thought he had won, but... Jesus said, 'All power has been given unto me.' He also said he wants us to be in unity: 'I in them and you in me, **that they may become perfectly one**, so that the world may know that you sent me' (John 17:20-23, ESV).

"Father, clean me from the inside out. We have been complaining. The Children of Israel (Jacob) complained and they had to spend an extra 40 years in the wilderness. That is where the church is now, wandering in the wilderness.

"God set the members in the body as it pleased him. We are one body, one community in Christ, not many bodies. Do you wanna please him? Do what he says to do: be in unity; find out what he called **you** to do and do it the best you can. If the members were all one member, where would the body be? What if every one in here was a foot? How would there be any listening? What if everyone was an apostle? What if all were teachers? We need **all** the gifts, like for instance, the gift of helps. Hold on because God has our best interest at heart.

"In I Cor 12:25 it says, 'There should be no schism in the body, but that the members should have the same care one for another' (KJV). No Schisms! Now we're back to the word 'love.' Encourage others and watch 'em grow. When you get angry with a brother, go to God. Don't grumble and complain. It's very important that we not hurt one another because 'church hurt' is gonna get a lot of people in Hell. Let love cover everything.

"V<sub>26</sub> – if one member suffers, all the members suffer. If one rejoices, all rejoice. If you cannot do that, you are not in unity with the rest of the body. 'He is not any better than me; why did he get it and not me?' Don't let your pride take you there; love. If you're grumbling, you're not gonna get anything. Instead, hold on to God; he will come against whatever is coming against you. If he did not call you to do something, don't do it; it won't work. If we act like we know better than he does, he's not gonna give us anything. He will do it all for us, but we have to give it **all** to him."



Bishop James Walker WBCA president conducted and prayed over the love offering for the main speaker.

Pastor Patsy opened the altar for anyone to dedicate their life to the Lord, rededicate their life or anyone who just needed prayer. People were prayed for as Kinte' Cobb played music.



People begin to come to the front when Pastor Patsy opens the altar.



Bishop James Walker prayed over Pastor Johnny Sherwood.



Pastor Sean Gray prayed over Rick Hempton



Prayer over Secretary Jody Bennett

# $Revival\ Meeting\ (from\ pg\ 1)$

of the ten-year anniversary of WBCA, "they are a person of faith."

It was decided that one of the nights of the seven day revival would be a meeting for the whole alliance and the October seven-day revival was the first fulfillment of that decision.



The reverend Dr Rock Shunk opened in prayer

Pastor Joseph recited the Lord's Prayer and introduced Eric Johnson of War Hill South, who brought the first wave of worship music.



Eric Johnson



People in worship





Daniel (D Earl) Gilstrap prayed on the high altar.



Pastor Joseph quoted from Ps 103:1-3

"Bless the Lord, oh my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name – all that is within me; my pancreas, my lungs, all that is within me. God does not want cancer to get your lungs because then you cannot bless him. 'Bless the Lord, oh my soul, and forget not all his benefits, who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases' – all that is within me; blood, mind, voice. All the diseases going around will not get you. America is blessed. You say you have unemployment. You have not seen real unemployment. Go to Ghana and you will see real unemployment. Give thanks to God."



D Earl & Rock brought the second wave of worship music.

Acoustic Guitar music began and Rock read Ps 24. "God is so pleased," said Daniel, "that we are getting together courageously, with fear. You cannot hold hands with someone standing six feet apart. He loved us all the way to the cross. The more I go his way, the more I love him. We get tired of going our way and go his way.

"Unity just keeps getting sweeter. Rick says preach on unity. Man, Rick, we 're gonna know all the scriptures. Jesus should have our attention seven days a week. We should keep our eyes on the prize."



Rock & D Earl make worship flow just like Eric



People in worship



"We must pray for the people that led us in worship," Pastor Joseph Essiful-Ansah reminded the people, "out loud, right now."



Secretary Jody Bennett of the WBCA board of directors conducted the offering for the Battlefield News.

"The hospital is open," Jody said speaking of the Hope Hospital in the Galette Chambon region of Haiti (see September 2020 BFN), the hospital that the WBCA was involved in supporting. "But it is only operating on one floor for now. If you know any doctors or nurses contact Rick or me so we can get the hospital in full operation.

"The Battlefield News goes to every continent but Antarctica. It costs a lot of money. We need your help."



Herman Parks of Alternate View set up to film as the open discussion portion of the service began.



Hosting pastor Joseph Essiful-Ansah "We are ten years old. We have done great things, but in the next ten years, can we do better?

"In II Tim 3:1-5, Paul tells of the things that we see right now, "...people will be lovers of self, lovers of money, proud arrogant, abusive, disobedient to their parents, ungrateful, unholy, heartless, unappeasable, slanderous, without self-control, brutal, not loving good, treacherous, reckless, swollen with conceit, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, having the appearance of godliness, but denying its power. Turn away from such people."

"Turn away. It is straight-forward, very plain. Let us not only discuss physical, but also spiritual. How can we come together and help America become the godly nation it is called to be?

"Remember II Chron 7:14, 'If **my people** (not the people of the world, but my people), who are called by name humble themselves, and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from Heaven and will forgive their sin and heal their land."

Pastor Joseph sang *Holy, Holy, Holy*.



Daniel Gilstrap of D Earl Ministries

"I go all over the country and I've never seen so many churches coming together like here with the WBCA. In all of this I think we need to establish a precedent: always ask, 'Are you saved?' We need to make sure people are safe and feel safe.



Pastor Craig Parker of Alliance Ministry

"You can tell God is in this. I have a recommendation: that we come two hours early to each night of revival so we can go out in the neighborhood around each church to do outreach. We could go out into the community to get people to the revival. We may wanna do an outside service. We need to have an outreach night, get a cattle trough and baptize right there.



Vicky Ellis of Unity on a Mission testified about the outreach mission in Florida.



Herman Parks

"I'm doing this video for the internet. Many churches have closed down. Jesus healed people in other places, even other towns. The word of God was on scrolls. The Egyptians and others used scrolls too, but the anointing of the word of God was on the scrolls. The anointing could just as well be on the internet. It may not be preferable, but given the situation we are in, it is useful."



Wanda Stevens, First Lady of Living Hope "I believe the closing remarks should be eliminated. Let me get one sermon digested before you give me another one."



The reverend James Mays of Sons of Light "If we can't change the times, we must change with the times. What are we doing to change what goes in our children's ear and eye gates? Iphones, I-pads — "I" stands for "instant."



Pastor Allen Stevens of Living Hope

"Everybody who is on Face Book should post a piece of God's word, a scripture verse about unity in the body of Christ as a member of the Whole Body of Christ Alliance. We should do a new one every week."



Those who remained after the service

# Not of the World (from pg 1)

Life Refuge on the third night of the October 2020 seven-day revival. "Does that mean the planet? No, it means the world system. When we go vote for the lesser of two evils, the lesser is still evil! The government in power (Democrats and Republicans) is not your government because they all reject God. Jesus knew that. That's why one day they were putting down Palm branches in front of him and five days later they were yelling, 'Crucify him!'



The reverend Joseph Finney of Unity on a Mission read Ps 91and opened the service in prayer.

"Kingdom! When we are talking about God's kingdom, it doesn't matter who it is, God loves them. It is my job to reconcile them back to God.

"II Chron 7:14; do you wanna see a change? Change is gonna come to <u>his</u> people. It's not your world.

"John 17:14says, 'I have given them your word, and the world has hated them because they are **not of the world**, just as I am **not of the world**. The Greek says the cosmos hates you (not the sinners necessarily, but the world system). So we have to come to the conclusion that the world, the government hates us. It is not the job of the government to save us; it is our job to save the government.



Pastor Thomas Bennett of Humble Beginnings brought the worship music



At the altar



People in worship



Jody is presented with her Theology degree



Jody is given more gifts than she can carry, including the roses presented by her daughter Rylee. She is greatly loved.



Ms Lydia Mohorea of House of Prayer told the story of how she, her husband and her son escaped from a socialist country. She showed photos and explained, in spite of all the lies being told in this country about how wonderful Socialism is, what living under the oppression of Socialism is really like.

"Lydia told us how people had to smuggle Bibles into the country at the risk of their own lives. And we're not gonna come to church because we might get Corona? I will go to church anyway. If I have to get Corona, to God be the glory. Stop trusting the government and the CDC; they keep lying.



Pastor Billy Angel, hosting pastor of Kingdom Life Refuge

"No matter what happens with this election, we're not gonna be in trouble; God is still on the throne. Who wants a mansion? Jesus said, 'In my Father's house, there are many mansions. In my mansion I have room for the homeless. I even have room for those brothers I don't really like much. They can stay way over on the other side of the mansion."



Dr Mary Neal of One People Ministries spoke on unity in the body of Christ.



David Stroup of the WBCA Outreach Team, his wife Jamie and new son Abel



Secretary Jody Bennett of the WBCA board of directors conducted the Battlefield News offering.



Justin Elrod of Kingdom Life Refuge and also on the Outreach Team gave an inspiring testimony.

"Two years ago I was on drugs. My father-inlaw passed and I met Pastor Billy at the funeral. I got arrested and when I got those handcuffs on me, I finally felt like it was gonna be alright. In jail I received a Bible and an *Our Daily Bread*. I turned to Mat 8 where the leper told Jesus if he was willing he could make him clean. Jesus said, "I am willing; be cleansed. I was in Jail so long I didn't need a treatment center. In jail I gave my life to the Lord, made an altar call and 15 people came. The numbers grew. There were 25 and it just kept growing, I have been sober for a year now. I thank and praise Almighty God."



Bishop James Walker of Holy Bethel and President, board of directors, WBCA was the Main speaker.

"If you are still looking for the government to save you, it's because you are still in sin. Trust in Almighty God. He never wanted Israel to have a king, but the people wanted a king and look what happened. He does not want us to have a king. You not supposed to worship the president of the United States.

"You say, 'You can't judge me!' Then who's gonna judge you, some unjust judge in the legal system? (See BFN note) John 17:14-15 says he gave us God's word, the world hates us because we are not of the world and 'I do not ask that you take them out of the world, but that you keep them from the evil one.'

"Can we take this to the election poll? What if God says to vote for this homosexual because 'I want to do something with him?' Do it even if he is a Democrat.



Pastor Grant Myerholtz of Mt Hebron Baptist Church & We Have a Hope Ministries brought the closing remarks.

"Stop spending all that time with CNN or Rush Limbaugh and spend time in prayer. I'm not talking about those five-minute prayers.

"The time was when I used not to like people that did not look like me, but when you're not of this world, you do not have to take on the ideology of the world. We have a different citizenship. It is a kingdom citizenship. The devil does not like it, especially when he sees that it's working. Stop talking about your religion and your church. Your church? So what? Satan has a church. Instead, come be in the church, the body of Christ. Recognize your citizenship. You are a citizen of the Kingdom of Almighty God."



Pastor Grant with a bag of Legos

(BFN Note: Most English translations of Mat 7:1 say something like, "Judge not lest ye be judged." Mat 7:1 is one of the most misunderstood verses for Christians. It is almost definitely one of the most inappropriately quoted verses by those in the world. "You can't judge me" is something we hear often, especially from people in the world. This thinking is very faulty and shows

a deficiency of understanding.



A Lego Jeep

If Mat 7:1 is telling us not to make a judgment call concerning people, then it is a contradiction because just a few verses later in V<sub>6</sub> the Lord said, "Give not that which is holy unto the dogs, neither cast ye your pearls before swine." What is he saying here? Would you actually give your Bible to your dog? Would you actually give a string of pearls to a group of pigs? Yeshua (Jesus) so often was figurative in his speech. In the New Testament he seemed so rarely to be literal. He is not talking about dogs and pigs; he is making an analogy about people. One cannot carry this out without making a judgment call. We have to judge, to evaluate the situation and sometimes the person. The Bible says we will judge angels.

The Greek word here rendered "judge" is krino. It does mean judge, but another meaning is "condemn." Condemn not lest ye be condemned. People that wear T-shirts and hats that say "You can't judge me" or "Only God can judge me" are displaying a lack of understanding. They had better hope that we, the children of God, judge them and not the Living God.)

Pastor Grant opened the altar for people who desired prayer.



Pastor Grant called all the pastors to the front to pray



Prayer over Jamie Stroup & Vicky Ellis



Prayer over Rick Hempton, who stood in for Kenneth (KJ) West, a sick young man

#### Wisdom Missed (from pg 1)

by Ms Mary's House of Hope, "instead of giving gifts for Christmas, went to Haiti. The earthquake in 2010 made many orphans. While we were there, we met a man and his wife who adopted 30 of them. This man said to me,

'Mama Linda, before you leave, you must hear my children sing to you.' I thought 'No way; I just wanna get outta here.' My husband David said we would love to. They sang *This Little Light of Mine* in five languages and I lost it. I know I heard the Lord say, 'This is the real joy of the Lord. You don't have it because your happiness depends on your circumstances.' Most people in the US have everything they need and most of what they want. We adopted five orphaned children and I left there a completely different woman.

"While the Haitian Children's Choir was on tour in 2018, I hooked up with Jody. Now, in 2020, we are about to open a hospital in Haiti. It opens on 29 August in the middle of a pandemic. Satan cannot stop it. A month ago we needed a shipping container sent to Haiti for the opening of the hospital. We had to have a driver to take it to be shipped. The kids remembered that Jody did that sort of thing. She came and packed with us like a work horse and arranged for the container to be shipped.

"Remember what Jody pushes: we are to be unified. God, however, does not use good and evil together. With the hospital open people no longer have to go to the Voodoo doctor, but to a hospital where they can be healed physically and spiritually."



Ms Mary Tate of House of Hope hosted at Living Hope Christian Fellowship.

"I'm glad my kids are in jail and not dead. Don't ever let somebody make you feel guilty for how your adult children act.

"Phil 4:8, '...whatever is true, honorable, just, pure, lovely, commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things.' If you do this, you won't have time for gossip or negative things.

"I lived in a shelter for over a year. We are put in positions we don't like, but our attitude during those times will determine our future. God will place you where your greatest ministry opportunity is. Over 500 girls have come through Ms Mary's House of Hope. Many graduated, got their kids back after DFACS took them. During this time I have battled demon after demon with these women: lesbianism, unclean spirits of drug addiction, unclean spirits of almost any kind you can name. Life is a journey.

"Prov 3:5-6, 'Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him and he will guide your paths.' You don't have to tell everybody you're a Christian; just live it."



Secretary Jody Bennett of WBCA & BFN
"We have had record numbers of people show
up this week at the revival in spite of Covid-19.
We helped Linda get the shipping container
where it needed to be. That's how we get the

Battlefield News into China, Saudi Arabia and all over, but with Linda we are fighting Voodoo. No one is an island. We can do this. It is going all over the world. It really does."



Pastor Isaac Amoah & his daughter Christodia



Christodia Amoah of Triumphant Life

"In the last days, 'people will be lovers of self, lovers of money, proud, arrogant, abusive, disobedient to parents, ungrateful, unholy heartless, unappeasable, slanderous, without self-control, brutal not loving good, treacherous, reckless, swollen with conceit, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, having the appearance of godliness, but denying it's power. Avoid such people' (I Tim 3:2-4). So many people love their house, love their car, but they don't love God."



Pastor Isaac Amoah of Triumphant Life

"Our call is a call to battle, a call to overcome. Mat 24:12-13, what will be the signs of the last days? Because of lawlessness, the love of many will wax cold. They don't have the love of God. Rev 2:4, 'you have abandoned your first love,' the love you had when you first became a Christian. We are living in a time of great danger, fear and panic. Sometimes white people drive past me and lock their car doors. It's understandable; we are living in the last days. It is a time of satanic presence. It is in our atmosphere. Look, covid-19 is satanic. Paul told Timothy all this would happen. People want to go and make money; the Bible says that unless the Lord builds the house, the workers labor in vain. In the end, they will have nothing to show for it. People love self more than God.

"Have you ever been in love? Think how much time, energy and sacrifice was involved. We want to be with them every day and share everything with them. Then eventually we did not care any more? In Mat 26, Jesus told Peter, James and John to stay, watch and pray. But he came back and they were asleep. Did their love wax cold? They were sleeping. If you cannot pray for one hour, your love has waxed cold. I came to revive your love.

"As a child of God, are you sleeping? In these

last days, we need revival that will reconnect our love of God. It is our love of God that makes us overcomers. The enemy wars against you. Stand strong against demonic oppression. He tries to make your love wax cold.

"Fasting is not eating a different kind of food. There is no such thing as a Daniel **fast**. Fasting is abstaining from food. It makes you strong. It also has physiological benefits. People talk about a Daniel fast, an Isaiah fast, this fast, that fast. Try a Jesus fast: 40 days and 40 nights.

"Get up in the morning and read your Bible to wake up and pray for one hour. The blood will empower you."



**Bishop James Walker** 

"The WBCA," began Bishop James Walker at the sixth installment of the July 2020 seven-day revival, "We knew what we were getting into when we signed up for it. We are trusting in the word of God, Ps 91. We are putting action into what we speak. The virus is from the devil. It is up to the body of Christ to make this right. We must turn from our wickedness so God can hear from Heaven. The song says, 'Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary.' Let's stop looking for the flaws in the body of Christ and work for its perfecting.

"I was lying in bed about 0700 praying. I don't want to be angry or bitter. When people come against you and they are hurting those in your flock, that's when I'm ready to fight. We are all different, but the world is trying to put us in a box, democrat or republican, black, Hispanic, white, this or that. None of those things matter. We are looking to the **White** House to take care of **our** house, but as for me and <u>mv</u> house, we will serve the Lord. This government is not <u>for</u> you. That's why God made the kingdom. Are we citizens of America? No, we are citizens of the kingdom of God. It takes oneness to be able to move God."



Pastor Johnny Sherwood of Arcade Congregational Holiness Church

"God said to go out like in Mark 16, 'I've already given you all that you need to do it.' We can't preach unity too much. Every time we go deeper. We are living in a time where, to the world, no means yes and vice versa, where good is called evil and evil is called good. If we are not seeing unity, it is not God's fault; it's ours.

I Peter 2:6-8, 'they stumble because they disobey the word of God as they were destined to do.' This is the devil, but he is not doing it without God's permission. God is doing some shaking. I wanna see all of you standing when the shaking is over.

"Mat 24:8-12, there will be a lot of iniquity and because of lawlessness, the love of many will wax cold. Even the love of many in the church will be waxing cold. I'm not sure who of us will be in the kingdom. Look at how important this is: it is because of that love that the world will know we are of Jesus, but back biting tells them something else. Because Jesus died for <u>our</u> sins, when your brother has a problem with you, <u>you</u> go and try to make it right. When we put an offense under the blood, God can help us with it

"Is 30:1, 'Ah, stubborn children,' declares the Lord, 'who carry out a plan, but not mine...'

Prov 17:11, 'An evil man seeks only rebellion...' Rom 13:1-2, 'Let every person be subject to the governing authorities. For there is no authority except from God... ...those who resist will incur judgment.' II Tim 3:1-5, '...in the last days... ...people will be lovers of self, lovers of money... ..lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God...' Is 1:19-20, 'If you are willing and obedient, you shall eat the good of the land; but if you refuse and rebel, you shall be eaten by the sword...' When we become complacent, our love begins to decrease.

"Eph 4:1-6, "...maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit – just as you were called to one hope, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in y'all." Be like Jesus more now than ever. When there is unity, it will begin in God's house."



Pastor Patsy Sherwood of Arcade CH Church

"Division destroys, especially division from the Father. From Genesis to Revelation, Jesus and the Father are together always. When Jesus hung on the cross, he had his own opinion, but he said, 'Not my will but ...' When we leave here, that's when the rubber meets the road. Change is from the inside out. I need to be concerned with <a href="may"><u>my</u></a> change, not everybody else's.

"Sometimes we hear the word and **still** allow the enemy to steal our seeds. No matter how close you are to God, you can get closer. Who would've thought five years ago that we could not go into a store without wearing a mask? We need to be careful, but more than just being careful, we need the protection of God. God has our number; he knows our appointed time, when we are going. How many of us were upset when the virus was over in China? But now it's here and what's going on? It's easier to love those whom you see, but what about those you have not met? We need to go back to the beginning. "Jesus, I wanna be like you. If I'm not, I need

"Jesus, I wanna be like you. If I'm not, I ne you to change me."



Jeff Ortiz of Kingdom Life Refuge
"Unity is not just a good thing, it's a God thing.
United we are far more powerful.

"John 17:23, '...that they become perfectly one' If Yeshua prayed for it, it must be pretty important. Unity is necessary and tied to spreading the gospel. Satan does whatever he can to thwart outreach. He knows that disharmony always works and a great way to get it is to get the church to argue over unimportant things. Then they become inwardly focused and there is no outreach.

"II Chron 30:12, 'The hand of God was also on Judah to give them one heart to do what the king and the princes commanded by the word of the Lord.' Don't mistake diversity for disunity or vice versa. People who are not doing what we are doing, who have never attempted it, don't understand it very well. Unity keeps the church body growing and working.

"I Cor 12:12, '...are one body, so it is with Christ.' Eph 4:3, 'maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.' Unity flows from love and love unites the church. Without love there is no unity.

"Unity keeps Christ at the center (Eph 1:10) of us – selflessness, not selfishness. My feelings and plans are nothing compared to the gospel. Alone we can do so little, but together so much."



Sharon Bryant of Everything under the Son Ministries

"Last year (2019) on 5 September I had neck surgery and I woke up paralyzed. I have missed all the revivals until now. God gave me the word, 'Together." Ms Sharon gave a definition of "together." Last year we had some problems in Hoschton. There was a tavern that decided to become a strip bar. We all came together at Anointed Hands with Dr Kenneth and Dr Lorrie and prayed while the strip bar was in operation. It was a packed house (see BFN 97, Feb 2019). The next day the parking lot was littered with trash, half-drunk beer and liquor containers and the like. The mayor appeared to me to be trying to sweep the whole thing under the rug. Then also in Hoschton we had a separation because of racist remarks by someone in the town government, but God saw a way to clean it all up. The bar's license did not get renewed and is now closed down. A whole new mayor and town council was put in place. All of this was because we came together.

"In I Cor 1:10, Paul wrote that we should have **no divisions** among us, that we be 'united in the same mind and the same judgment.' The Greek is Skhisma, a split or gap, a schism. In the body of Christ there is no gender, or race, no color, no Jew or Gentile. This song reminds me of the Whole Body of Christ Alliance." She played the song *Together*.



Pastor Russell Page of Kingdom Realm "We've all been dealt a hand. What you've been

dealt is what you have to play with. Some have been bluffing. It's up to you to win and with God it's a win-win situation. He is way-maker, a miracle-worker, a promise-keeper, a light in the darkness. That is who he is. He never stops working. He is a 24/7 God. We don't have to take a number and wait to speak to him.

"My God says the battle is his. It's not what I've, done; it's what he's done. Jacob fought. He was fighting an angel because he got tired of his name meaning 'con-man, swindler, cheat. When you get in God, you get a new name. His name was changed to Yisrael.

"Why do Christians have bad habits and addictions? They say, 'Why can't I quit smoking, quit drinking, cursing? Why can't I keep my britches up?' Why do people get married 4, 5, 6, even 7 times? It's in the church! James 4:7-8 gives us a hint about why: 'Submit yourselves, therefore, to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you. Draw near to God and he will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts you double-minded.' Submit yourself, not your neighbor, your brother, the deacon, yourself! Submit to whom? To God! God wants your marriage to work. Do you want your marriage to work? Submit!

"Rom 6:2, '...How can we who died to sin still live in it?' How can we continue in sin if we submit? We are dead to sin. I am a dead man walking.

"If you're tired of it, give it to God. After all, this could be the last message you will ever hear. If you are lost and don't know Jesus as Savior, you don't have to leave like you came in here."

## Bethel Worship Jam 2020

(We Need a Song)

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be cleansed in here. You made it so. You brought the descendants of Israel out of Egypt. You did all those things. No God is more powerful than you. No army can stand against you. Teach us to see you that way no matter what. Let us put you in a righteous place in our life. Help us to place things in their proper place racism, government, divorce, pandemic, relationships. Lord, help us and strengthen us.



Shyvaughn Cobb

"We are here to confuse the devil with our praise," said Shy Cobb of Bethel Church of the Nazarene. She was speaking at the first Praise Jam of 2020 on 27 September when she explained that, due to Covid-19, the opportunities to get together for a praise jam have been limited.



Ms Shy Cobb performed with her husband Kinte (behind her on tenor sax) and other...



...singers: L to R Olivia Schneider, Stacy Gray and Amanda Long, together with..



...Brian Moody on the keyboard,

"Give up and let Jesus take over. We need a song better than Gladys Knight. In all, the 66 books of the Holy Bible contain everything we need. Ps 97:1- 2, 'The Lord reigns, let the earth be glad; let the distant shores rejoice. Clouds and thick darkness surround him; righteousness and justice are the foundation of his throne.'

"We should be coming from a position of always being at the altar or the sanctuary or the Holy of Holies. The presence of God is supposed to be in our heart. When you go into the market place, God's throne is in your heart.



Shy Cobb singing with Alvin Johnson & Olivia Schneider

"Give up and let Jesus take over," exclaimed Shy Cobb while in the song I am a Friend of God. "Look up and let Jesus. He will make a way for you.



**Pastor Sean Gray** 

"There are all types of folk here today," Sean Gray, pastor of Bethel Church of the Nazarene said as he welcomed the congregation. "That shows the relationship with the master and that's what counts. We all have the love of God in our heart, which is the main thing God commanded; he said to love one another. If you don't have the love of God, you ain't got nothing! It doesn't matter what gift you might have. There's a powerhouse in the house today. Lord, prepare, clean the air. The world will see us by the way we love one another. Look around and tell somebody, 'I love you."



Young Tiana captured many hearts singing for the Lord.

Demand it from yourself. Why are you exempt? Why do you think you are better than me? We need a song. God kicked Pharaoh's butt, destroyed the army and destroyed the gods of Egypt. Paul talks about principalities. God will destroy the celestial beings. Do you want a song? He will give you a song that is not just

sung when you come to church. In Numbers 21, God allowed the Israelites to defeat giants. Do we have giants today? Do we have people trying to change girls into boys and boys into girls? Everybody must be brought to the place of God. He allowed us to defeat giants: cancer, cheating, loss of faith in God.

"Islam denied Jesus Christ is the Son of God. (I John 2:22 says this is the antichrist.) We need a song. Call out to God to fight for us. Do you want a song? Psalm 18:19 says, 'He brought me out into a spacious place; he rescued me because he delighted in me.' We sing the song, but are we living an ungodly life? Take away noise. It doesn't matter if you can't sing, let judgment run down like water. Let the song come from where you are, not just words. You see we have people in churches that don't want to help.



Kinte Cobb on the soprano sax

Alvin Johnson & Olivia Schneider "The laws are against us. So, if God doesn't fight the battle, I can't have a song. Is the government gonna give you equality or justice? I can demand what's righteous. We are free at last - not from America, not from slavery, but free from sin. Become saints of God.

## Unity on a Mission to Jacksonville (from pg 1)

By faith, Dr Rock Shunk and Daniel (D Earl) Gilstrap, leaders of Unity on a Mission, spearheaded the expedition as soul hunters doing what the Lord commanded all of us to do, 'Go ye, therefore, and make disciples of the people of all nations, immersing them into the reality of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit' (Mat 28:19).

When walking by faith and not by sight, one does not know who Almighty God has prepared for you to touch. The mission to Jacksonville undertaken by Unity on a Mission was successful by any standards in terms of decisions for Christ as well as growth for those who were involved.

The mission began in Baldwin, Florida, when the team sang and witnessed at a birthday part for Rock's grandson, who turned four. The light from the Unity on a Mission Team overtook the darkness and one of their objectives was achieved when they sang for the boy.

"The team proceeded to a rough part of town, but went straight to an International House of Pancakes to eat



Ronnie Weeks, Vicky Ellis, Joseph Finney & D Earl participate in filling the cattle trough baptismal out side I-Hop.

"By God's grace, D Earl saw a water hose behind the building. He went inside and asked permission to use it to fill the cattle trough they brought for baptism. It is always amazing how the Lord takes care of these things. They were walking by faith and had no idea how they would be able to fill the trough, but God knew. They filled the trough and proceeded to the Wal-Mart parking lot.



Joe and D Earl topping off the baptismal



The team shared Jesus with a man in the parking lot.

"It was such a beautiful thing!" exclaimed Rock.
"There were lost people who needed Jesus everywhere."



D Earl and Rock began singing in the parking lot.

The team set up and began singing in the parking lot. The first person was saved and baptized shortly after the singing started.



Rock and Andra witness to a man in the parking lot

It appeared that Wal-Mart security would thwart the mission, but God had it arranged. Security drove by, saw what was happening and just continued on.



Weeping and wet, but saved, a man reads a tract given to him.



Vicky Ellis in a mighty prayer



Pastor Craig Parker prays by Joe and D Earl



Andra loves on a young lady who was prayed over and helped.



The team prayed over a young lady, gave her some money and some clothes. She returned asking if the team would come down the street to a four-way intersection because there were people there who needed them. They obliged the young lady. "Wow!" commented Rock, "was it ever special."

A couple there wanted to be baptized together. Their request was honored when Doc Rock baptized on one side of the baptismal and D Earl on the other side. As soon as the team prayed and the couple was immersed, all the people there began honking and shouting "Jesus!" The volume of the crowd could be compared to that of a stadium during a football game.



**Bobbie Weaver and Pastor Craig Parker** 

"God is so good," said Rock, "everyone on the team talked to and loved on everyone out there."
"I thank Jesus that I am part of this team," added Ronnie Weeks. "This is the real deal."
The Unity on a Mission street team thanked The Lord for the souls and the lives that were impacted because of their obedience.

"Just try it," said Rock. Tell someone about our Savior. He will make the way. He **is** the way."

# **Signs and Wonders**

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beautiful and very befitting of the sanctuary of King Jesus. The church, at its founding, moved to Winder on East Athens Street in December of 2012, but relocated to its present location on Palm Sunday of 2014. A sign was raised in front of the church at its new location that served the people of Christ the King for a season, but within no time, that sign wore out because the quality was not what was needed.



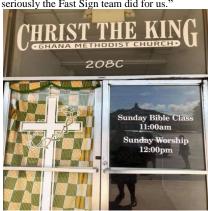
The sign over Christ the King Ghana Methodist Church

Our God deserves the best, so even though the church has had offers from concerned Christian friends, the church caretaker, Pastor Joseph Essiful-Ansah insisted on getting the best sign available within the means of the church.



#### The new sign over the front door

For example, "Our sister, Esther Vaughn-Siame, offered to get us a replacement," said Pastor Joseph. "Our brother, Nicholas Mensah and his wife Victoria, and Dr Abigail Arthur all had plans to help us get a new sign. Indeed, Dr Richard Hempton, offered to appeal to the Whole Body of Christ Alliance to help us with a less expensive one. We asked for designs from Fast Signs of Athens, Georgia, who worked on our Christ Adehye Church Van. Other sign companies did not take the work as seriously the Fast Sign team did for us."



The sign over the door and the sign on the door

Money was a problem as the people as Christ the King tried to save for the project. In August 2020, however, it was decided that they would take a loan for the sign instead of waiting to get the money to be saved for the project.

# LET THE BANNER OF CHRIST BE RAISED WITH THE NEW SIGN.



#### The sign on the door

"We are grateful to our sister, Esther," continued Pastor Joseph, "for helping us secure the loan for the sign and wraps that have received wonderful reviews. We in the body of Christ receive complaints and criticisms on actions and decisions of churches, as if criticism is part of our divine mandate. We testify to the glory of God that we have not received any criticism of this sign. The reviews have all been positive and we sing in response, To God All Praise and Glory."

#### Pastor Percentages (from pg 1) Appreciation for Bishop James Walker of Holy Bethel FBH Church on 11 October 2020. "They are dying and retiring because people are doing what they want instead of what God wants



The reverend James Mays of Sons of light was MC for the Pastor Appreciation program for the Walkers.

Pastors go to bed and wake up with God on their mind. I know because I am married to one.

I will share the percentages of what pastors go through every day. Pastors, 90% of then, have been falsely accused and betrayed by friends and people close to them. Pastors are not super heroes



Ja'Resa Walker welcomed everyone

Kinte' (KC) Cobb of Bethel Church of the Nazarene played the keyboard for all those who sang the worship music.

"Mat 11:28 says, 'Come to ne, all who labor and are heavy laden and I will give you rest.' So if you can give it to God, pastors, you won't get depressed. There are 7000 churches that close every year. Most lost people will not come to church, but if you can get out to the mall, the bar, the hair salon, you can get some of them to

"Pastors have it hard because, if your spirit is not right when you walk into the sanctuary, the pastor can feel that. Ten percent of pastors retire because of things like that. Some people are not believing what they preach. Just because one pastor messed up, it doesn't mean that all are like that. Because of the lack of faith of the people, 80% of pastors feel discouraged.



Kinsey Mallory brought the first wave of worship music



Bishop James Walker in worship



Pastor Darneou Randolph of New Beginnings Ministries spoke and brought more worship.



People in worship



The reverend Greg Brockman, author and former member of the board of directors **WBCA** 

"II Chron 7:14, 'If my people,' not the people at the bar, not the politicians, not the people of the world, my people humble themselves and pray and seek my face...' There is a change coming."



Bishop James & First Lady Theresa Walker



Suzanne Johnson of Battlefield News



Shyvaughn Cobb with husband KC on keyboard sings Way maker "We sing to welcome the Holy Spirit because he abides in the praises of his people. He is here and about to turn some things around.



People in worship



Doc Rock Shunk & Jody Bennett



Darren Cooked up a major feast.

"Pastor's families, 94% feel the pressures of ministry. The things that we see, the people don't see. People have no idea what they go

through: the tears they cry, the stabs they get in the back. The families suffer because so much of the pastor's time is spent on the church family. He will find time for the wife and kids, but mostly it's the church. God can see all things, but a pastor's wife can feel all things.

"Why is it that 78% of pastors don't have close friends? It is because they get hurt, betrayed, depressed. Most pastors have one real friend,

God.



Marco Scott & Pastor Roger Williams in worship



The tent in worship



Pastor Sean Gray introduced his wife
"I just had surgery, but I'm still here. I was
scheduled to speak, but because of my
surgery, my wife will be speaking. We've
been married more than 23 years and we've
never argued about a boyfriend or a
girlfriend."



First Lady Stacy Gray was main speaker



In the middle of all some people are saying about how wonderful socialism is, Lydia Mohorea spoke about the horrors of what socialism really is and having escaped a socialist country



Pastor Dale Tunnell of House of Prayer led the children in the Pledge of Allegiance

"Is 41:10 says, 'Fear not for I am with you, be not dismayed for I am your God. I will strengthen you, I will help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.' Pastors, when everyone else forsakes you, turn to God. He is not a man that he should lie.

"Statistically, 95% of pastors work 55 to 75 hours a week. Even with this virus, they are still out there praying, witnessing. Pastors, I know many of you miss going to the hospitals and prisons. You can still go if you stand six feet back.

"I have thanked God for the Corona Virus because it makes people pray more, seek God more, appreciate the pastor more. Many people don't appreciate the pastor until appreciation day. We should be appreciating them every day.

day. We should be appreciating them every day. "Some people don't ask for the pastor because they are busy thinking **they** are God. We are losing pastors every day. Your building may not hold 40,000 people, but your heart does. There are times you cannot close your doors because people are standing out there. Don't be discouraged, God has a blessing for you.

"Ms Theresa, I love your spirit. You two have been married 17 years. Today is your pastor anniversary **and** your wedding anniversary. I pray you have 30 more.

"Bishop Walker, stay in the race. It might not seem like it right now, but the rewards are beyond measure. That one might be **the** one."

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# Seven-day Revival in In January 2021 From Monday 18 January to Sunday

24 January 2021

As we enter the 10<sup>th</sup> year of The 7-day Revival

#### **Books and Clothes Needed**

Christ the King needs Christian books. For those of you who have Christian books that you've read or that you are willing to donate. Please

call the Battlefield News, call Pastor Joseph at (706)254-5531, or take them by Christ the King.

In Addition, the people at Christ the King are gathering clothes. The need there is very great. Please drop off any clothing at Christ the King, beside Quality Food in Winder. "I was naked and you clothed me."

## **Food and Clothing**

#### Abba's House

Sunday Morning at Church of God of Prophecy Winder, 333 Wright Street, food is given to the needy after morning service, which begins at 1100. Call Pastor Debra Williams with questions: (404)960-9515

### Angel's Attic

Thursday from 1500 to 1600 (3-4pm) at Braselton Tabernacle of Praise, 2260 Davenport Rd, food is given to the needy. Call Pastor Jon Jackson with questions: (706)658-2668

#### **Living Hope**

Wednesday evening at 1900 (7pm), those who need food, and are ready to attend a church service, will be given food afterward. Living Hope Christian Fellowship is located at 99 Jefferson Street in Hoschton. In addition, Thursday between 12 and 1500 (3pm) food is often distributed. Call Pastor Stevens with questions: (404)996-5047 or the first Lady, Wanda Stevens at (706)654-6541

#### **New Harvest**

The first Wednesday of each month at New Harvest Ministries, at 176 A West Athens Street in Winder, from 1100 to 1230 food will be given to the needy. For questions, call Pastor B. L. Arnold: (404)513-3538



Show and Tell by Dr Mary Neal Dr Mary Neal's newly released *Show and Tell: Reveal the Unknown* is an effectual book of Biblical truths that promote enlightenment to readers. It is available through the Battlefield News (706)499-7976

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In addition, Mr. McAdams of Living Hope Christian Fellowship is ready to train certain individuals in the field of upholstering. Call him for more details at (803)761-8145 or (678)464-7700.

#### **Your Events**

If you or your church or ministry stand with the Whole Body of Christ Alliance, your activities and events may be published in the Battlefield News One Army to go all over the country and all over the world. This service is free. But we don't know unless you tell us.

#### In Addition

If you own a Christian business, the Battlefield News has very reasonable rates for advertising – half a column for \$50.00, and less for a smaller space. In addition, you will be helping to spreading the word of God and build his kingdom

#### **Signs and Wonders**

Craig Parker has opened a brand new Christian gift store at 32 North Sage Street in Toccoa 30577. Proceeds go to help Allegiance Ministries. Signs and Wonders is open Wednesday to Saturday 1000 to 1700 (5pm). Call (706)282-9833.

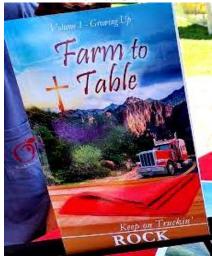
# Ms Mary's House of Hope

Ms Mary <u>does</u> need our help. She refuses to allow the government to fund her because she knows that they would mandate that Jesus be discluded from every thing just like they do in the schools and everything else they fund. Please, call Ms Mary and volunteer your times and/or funds. That number to call is (678)235-1361. Ms Mary's House of Hope is a 501(c) 3

organization and all donations are **completely tax deductible**.



**Author Rock Shunk** 



We all know and love Rock. She is the reverend Dr Roxanne (Rock) Shunk, Pastor of Unity on a Mission and member of the board of directors (Secretary of Ministries) of the Whole Body of Christ Alliance. She has written a book, actually it is the first volume of several books. It is entitled *Farm to Table: Keep on Truckin'* and the first volume is *Growing up*.

Keep on Truckin' is available through the battlefield News. Contact us for you copy and let's support our sister.

\*\*\*Watch Night Service\*\*\*

\*\*\*At Arcade CH Church\*\*\*
With Pastors Johnny & Patsy
Sherwood
31 Dec 2020 beginning at 2000

(8pm) until the ball drops Pot Luck dinner

####<u>Ruach Adonai Alai</u>####
Shabbat Bible Study
On Saturdays at 1500 (3pm)
At 99 Jefferson Street in Hoschton

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Ruach Adonai Alai On Facebook Live On Friday Evenings at 1900 (7pm)

# Bible Knowledge

By: Mateo Raza

A venido a atencion que aunque tenemos muchas personas que hablan Espanol, no hay nada en Espanol en el Battlefield News. Te oimos, ustedes que son fieles lectores y estamos trabajando para cambiar. Esta viniendo. Now, the answers to the October questions:

The Company of Emissaries

- 1: Y'Hudah from Kriot (Judas Ischariot) John 17:12
- 2: T'oma (Thomas). John 20:24
- 3: Philip and Andrew. John 12:20-22
- 4: Paul. Acts 15-18
- 5: Kefa (Peter), Yochanan (John) and Ya'akov (James). Mark 5:37
- 6: Paul. Acts 23:27
- 7: Kefa (Peter), but Yochanan (John was present. Acts 3:1-10
- 8: Kefa (Peter). Acts 9:32-35
- 9: Paul. Acts 9:18
- 10: Yosef (Joseph).





And now for the November questions:

#### The Company of Emissaries

- 1: Who healed a young man named Eutychus from the dead?
- 2: Whom did Paul go to and oppose to his face when he met him at Antioch?
- 3: To whom did Yeshua say, "Feed my lambs?"
- 4: Who preached to the intellectuals of Athens?
- 5: Who had a vision of something like a sheet lowered from Heaven containing all sorts of unclean animals to prepare him for being with the Goyim (Gentiles)?
- 6: Who did Yeshua meet on Lake Tiberius (Sea of the Galil) and tell, "Follow me and I will make you fishers of men?"
- 7: Which of the 12 told Yeshua he had seen a man driving out demons in the name of Yeshua?

Goze estos hasta la proxima vez (enjoy until next time).

Amor en Cristo (Love in Christ) Matt

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