

HEALING SPRING

Every Sunday at 6 PM we study the word of God. We are doing an study of the book of Acts, and have just finished chapter 19! Email us for details.

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Want to REALLY know God?

The Bible says that you can have **real peace in your heart**—the kind that is lasting! It's only through **Jesus**. Our own **sin is what separates us from God**. But God, who is full of mercy, sent His son Jesus to earth to die to take the penalty for our sins. **We can be forgiven & cleansed**, just do what the bible says in Romans 10:9 **"If you openly declare that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved."** Don't wait, do it today!



FANNING THE FLAMES

Tent Testimonies by Sarah Leonard

The tent meeting on April 16th and 17th was blessed by God! Thank you to everyone who supported us by prayers and by financial gifts! Even before this event began the Lord has been telling us to plan another tent outreach to a Wilmington neighborhood, so we know that this is how God plans to reach the lost this year through Ricky Leonard ministries.

Friday evening was an evening of music by our ministry friend Alan Baltezure, followed by myself, my mom, and Pastor Scott Forrest sharing our testimonies of how we came to faith in Jesus

Christ. After the testimonies and a brief encouraging word, we prayed for the sick. One lady came back and told us how God instantly healed her shoulder. Praise the Lord! Saturday, we held a kids' event, which included games, candy, a craft, hot dogs, and a lesson with large objects to illustrate the gospel message. Then we led everyone in a prayer of salvation.

One of the families that came to The Wave for Kids invited their neighbor and her son. This family has been praying for and witnessing to their neighbor for some time. They were delighted that their neighbors agreed to come to the tent. During the tent out-

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reach, the young boy participated in a game and won a cool prize. But the best part of the day was that after we led the crowd in the salvation prayer, this young boy threw his hand as high in the air as he could to say that he prayed with us. I was filled with joy to see his enthusiasm so I didn't immediately notice that his mother had also prayed with us to receive Jesus.

This precious family then came back to visit our church on a Sunday morning because we invited them to come back. The woman brought her son and her mother with her to our church service. Praise God, he's into saving and restoring families. We set up the tent, presented the message, and led them in the prayer. But their hearts were ready to receive what we presented to them because of the fervent prayers and repeated

witnessing by their neighbors. **"The earnest prayer of a righteous person has great power and produces wonderful results."** James 5:16

Pray for your neighbors, and witness to them. Pray for your family members, and witness to them. Don't give up, because every prayer is preparing the good soil for the message to be received, and every word spoken into their lives is a seed that is sown. The bible tells us that God's word always does what it's supposed to do! So when you speak it to someone who doesn't know the Lord, even if they don't seem to be receiving it, it does do it's work. **"As the snow and rain that fall from heaven do not return until they have accomplished their pur-**

For I fully expect and hope that I will never be ashamed, but that I will continue to be bold for Christ, as I have been in the past.

Philippians 1:20a NLT



pose, soaking the earth and causing it to sprout with new life, providing seed to sow and bread to eat. So also will be the word that I speak; it does not return to me fulfilled. My word performs my purpose and fulfills the mission I sent it out to accomplish." Isaiah 55:10-11 Sow those seeds of life by speaking God's word, and pray over them so that they grow and produce a harvest, just like it did in our new precious family : Mother, son, and grandmother, all added to the family of God because of the prayers and witness of their neighbors.