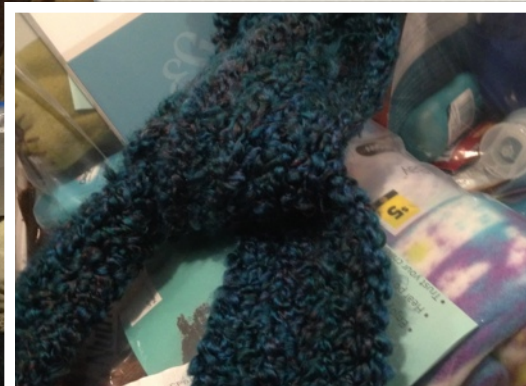


RELIANCE CHURCH



THE CHALLENGE

Pastor Danny challenged us all to make something to add to the care packages for the homeless. Even more importantly to pray for the individual that might get it. Some made blankets, scarves, homemade goodies, and some gave fruit.

Do not forget to do good and to share with others.....

Hebrews 13:16

As Christmas approached, so did our hope in giving to the homeless. We are still small but our hearts are big and we wanted to do something for them to help them along their way.

We had been given a great donation of about 4 boxes of hygiene items and snacks, so we decided after some

prayer, to buy some blankets and make some care packages for the homeless this Christmas.

We found the blankets on sale for only \$2.50 at an "after Thanksgiving sale" and got them. We weren't completely sure how many to buy, so we bought a number that we generally

see on our coffee and donut, Sunday morning ministry.

The care packages were a hit and we actually ran out of them that morning that we distributed them. So please keep this ongoing homeless ministry in your prayers.



SUNDAY COFFEE AND DONUTS MINISTRY



THIS IS THE UNDER-PASS, WHERE WE OFTEN GO TO MINISTER



THIS IS THE PARK THAT WE SOMETIMES GO TO, THE HOMELESS SLEEP HERE ON THE WEEKEND

MINISTRY PHOTOS



HERE ARE JUST A FEW SNAPSHOTS OF
RELIANCE

SUNDAY MORNING PHOTOS

SMALL GROUP PHOTOS

HOMELESS MINISTRY PHOTOS

PRAYERS

Whatever you ask in my name, this I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If you ask me anything in my name, I will do it

John 14:13-14

PRAYER PRAISES

GOD CONTINUES TO SEND US PEOPLE TO MINISTER TO!

GOD CONTINUES TO SEND US PEOPLE TO HELP US MINISTER!

WE GET TO GIVE & MINISTER TO THE HOMELESS !

ONE OF THE HOMELESS AGREED TO ALLOW SOMEONE TO PIC HER UP FOR CHURCH ON SUNDAY !

WE HAVE RECEIVED A DONATION FOR PIPE AND DRAPE !!

GOD HAS KEPT US ALL HEALTHY AND ABLE TO GO DOOR TO DOOR

PRAYER REQUESTS

OUR LIFE GROUP LAUNCH IN JANUARY

CONTINUED WAYS TO MINISTER AND SPREAD THE WORD

CONTINUED GROWTH IN THE CHURCH

PLEASE PRAY FOR CHRIS AND HIS FAMILY. HE IS VERY CLOSE IN MAKING A DECISION FOR SALVATION.

OUR SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP EXPERIENCE

OUR CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

OUR PASTOR-DANNY

CONTINUED STRENGTH TO EACH AND EVERY MEMBER OF THE TEAM TO CONTINUE THE HARD WORK.

We Want to wish you a very Happy New Year !!

Then Paul answered, what mean you to weep and to break mine heart? for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus. Acts 21:13

Wow, he knows what he is in for and that is at the minimum, being bound in jail, but he is also ready to die. I often think of the stories you hear of missionaries that have died while doing God's will or doing service for him and often I am humbled as I might be doing missions and yes at times I do feel a little endangered but nothing like foreign dangerous missions and nothing like Paul here in these scriptures. He knew the consequences of going back to Jerusalem.

So why do we make it so hard here living life every day. A majority of us

THIS NEW YEAR, 2014, PRACTICE SAYING YES, LORD. "WHATEVER YOU WANT, YOUR WILL, YOUR LIFE, I AM YOURS."

struggle with being in the world but not of the world. Why is it so hard for us to say Yes, Lord? We make it hard, because we try so hard to hold on to every piece of the world we can. We try and justify or prove what we are doing is not too bad, and what is the minimum we can do to still be accepted by our peers.

Try saying yes to God, even before he asks. Have a willing heart, and see how he blesses you. Put it on your mirror, put it on your refrigerator. "Yes, Lord." Don't make New Year's resolutions that you can't keep. Just say yes, Lord. Let him guide you, lead you, have a willing heart for him, humble yourself and see how he blesses you.

I want to challenge you this New Year to say Yes to God !! If you are not his, say yes to his salvation, if you are his, just say yes !! Yes to work, yes to witnessing, yes to living a separated life, yes to stand on his word, to be strong and firm. Just say yes, Lord !!!

...FOR WHOSOEVER WILL LOSE HIS LIFE FOR MY SAKE SHALL FIND IT.

Matt 16:25

LIFE GROUPS LAUNCH

As we begin the new year, we will also be launching our life groups.

Life groups are vital and an important part of our church plant and of any church for that matter.

Life groups do life together. As we continue to grow, we also want to branch out and grow to other areas. So, Pastor Danny is challenging us to grow a life group.

We are currently meeting in Danny and Mary's home, and we run about 16-20 people, so we are gonna break that up into about 3 groups and branch out more into the community.

