

Jesus promised people's lives will be changed.

Luke 4: 18-19

Healing by the power of God is available today.

James 5: 14-16

God gives proof when a person receives the Holy Spirit.

Acts 2: 4,33. Acts 10: 44-46

In the Bible we find the simple steps God wants us to take to become a Christian, just like the early church.

Acts 2: 37-40

God identifies true believers by miraculous signs.

Mark 16: 15-20

Jesus is returning to earth.

Matthew 24: 30. Titus 2: 13

SUNDAY MEETING 1:30pm

BALWYN

EVERGREEN CENTRE, 45 Talbot Avenue

Sunday School & Crèche for children

Contact Pastor (below) for Zoom details

MID WEEK MEETINGS

Contact Pastor (below) for times, venues and Zoom details

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HEALED OF PARALYSIS

Rehan

I'm 22 years old, from Sudan, born under a tree and raised in a refugee camp. I came to study in Australia when I was 9 years old. I got mixed up with the wrong boys, who thought life was about fast cars, girls, and drugs. On 13th March 2009 I was a passenger in a car which crashed because the driver was drunk and on drugs. I woke up from a coma in hospital, six months later. I was paralysed and only able to move my head.

After 11 months in hospital I was able to use my right side, but, due to my acquired brain injury, my left arm and leg were folded up and immovable. I prayed to be healed but when nothing happened, I gave up. I was moved to a care house when I was able to manage in a wheelchair, but was told I would not survive 2 years.

One day a man told me I could be healed, and there were scriptures in the Bible to confirm this. I told him the doctors had said I was paralysed for life, but I wanted to go to a meeting. At the meeting I expected to be healed. When it didn't happen I asked why not. They said I needed to repent, be baptized and receive the Holy Spirit. I went home and prayed that God would show me the truth. On 18th April 2010 I got baptized to show I

was sorry for the way I used to live. Afterwards I felt my old life and all the bad things were washed away and buried.

I went back to the care house and prayed "Lord, please Lord, heal me" then I spoke in tongues. I told the church brother I had received the Holy Spirit but had not been healed. He told me to pray every day for as long as I could. After praying each day for 3 days, guess what, my paralysed hand started to straighten by itself. Also, my left leg started to work. I walked down the hall to show the carer. She told me to sit down before I hurt myself, but I jumped up and down and said "God healed me!".

I did not use the wheelchair from that day onwards and I was able to care for myself better. I spent 3 more months in the care home before the doctors would let me go home, but they said they had never seen anything like this happen before.

Just after I was healed, a friend asked me "How come you are walking now? I saw you last week in a wheelchair!" I said "The power of God has healed me, I'm changed. God has made me a new man. I don't do crimes anymore". Later my friends offered me cigarettes and drugs. I said "No! I'm a Christian now!"

When I came out of the coma I had to relearn how to talk, as my face was distorted and only worked on the right hand side. I was unable to speak properly, but after my healing my speech was slowly restored. I resumed my school studies and then went to University. Now I work as a counsellor with young people.

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Miracle

CHANGE YOUR LIFE?

It has for these Melbournians



"Interpersonal relationships"

"Personal fulfilment" "Freedom from addiction"

"Healing for body and mind"

HEROIN ADDICTION HEALED

Nick

I was raised in a family that went to a denominational church, but I didn't get a lot out of it. I believed in God and often prayed to Him.

Unfortunately, I was heavily involved in the drug scene and I was addicted to heroin. Friends had come to the Revival church and received the Holy Spirit. I agreed to go to one of their meetings and was impressed to see all the people reading out of their own Bibles, and the Preacher preaching straight out of God's word. For the first time, I saw the operation of the Spiritual Gifts, the tongues, interpretation and prophesy, which really amazed me. That day I had actually had a shot of heroin, but when my friends told me that I could receive the Holy Spirit I went to pray. I did receive the Holy Spirit, with the Bible evidence of speaking in tongues.

I was told that I needed to be baptised by total immersion, and when I did this I received a healing. My liver, which had been affected by years of drug abuse, was healed at that time. When I went to the doctor he confirmed that my liver was no longer diseased. I have never taken any heroin since that day, whereas many of my friends who were users are now on the methadone program, have AIDS or are dead.

The Lord has been very good to me.



MARRIAGE HEALED

Sandra & Brian

Hi, I'm Sandra and my husband is Brian. We have been married 39 years now, but I was on the point of leaving Brian back in 1982. We were both strong-willed and argued a lot about many things; money, alcohol, and selfish behaviour. It was the subject of tongues, and the control of the tongue which drew me to the Fellowship. As a teacher I knew about behaviour modification, but it was only when we both received the Holy Spirit, with the evidence of speaking in tongues, that our behaviour was miraculously changed from within.

We thank the Lord that when we do things His way, we enjoy a blessed life.



INNER EMPTINESS HEALED

Julie

I had filled my life with activities and people. I thought I was pretty content, except for this ache which I had inside of me that nothing could fill. I was brought up in a denominational church but I never knew God. When a friend invited me to a Fellowship meeting I went without

being at all interested. When they explained about the Holy Spirit I thought my sister might be interested, so I would get baptised in order to tell her. After baptism in water I received the Holy Spirit and spoke in tongues as I came up out of the water. The Lord replaced my emptiness with His love. He made me whole by healing my hatred for the person who had made my childhood unhappy.

The Lord enabled me to forgive.



DRINKING & GAMBLING GONE

John

I first heard the gospel message of salvation in 1973 from a girl at work. At the time I was playing football and cricket and involved in the heavy drinking scene associated with those activities. I was a compulsive gambler and bet on every race in Melbourne and Adelaide every Saturday. I also was a part owner of race horses.

When I married in 1975 I had no savings and a car on hire purchase. My marriage started to fall apart because of my continued drinking and gambling. After many years of being told by the girl at work that my life could be changed for the better, I attended a Revival Fellowship meeting and received the Holy Spirit with the associated evidence of speaking in tongues.

Since that experience I am free from the desire to drink and gamble and have a happy marriage. My life has been totally blessed in many other ways.



QUESTIONS ANSWERED

Jackie

Growing up I believed in God. I explored a lot of questions I had about life through philosophies, religious ideas and drugs. I was at the mercy of my own human character, and hated it. I searched for God and wisdom and couldn't find peace of mind. In 1980 I was baptised by full immersion and received the Holy Spirit, speaking in tongues as Jesus' followers did on the day of Pentecost 2000 years ago.

From that moment, I had a miraculous peace.



FOUNDATION FOR FAMILY

Chelsy, Robert & Zevran

When I married Robert, the wedding was organised with generous help of brothers and sisters from the Fellowship.

This year we are celebrating our 9 years wedding anniversary. We are happy to say the Lord has blessed us with our marriage and given us a beautiful healthy son. Even when he had to go for minor surgery, the process was smooth. *We thank the Lord every day for his provision and care, and we can't wait for His return!*