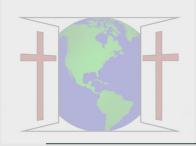
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OPEN DOORS MISSIONS RELIEF

WHAT KIND OF RESIDUE ARE YOU LEAVING

Imitate God,
therefore, in
everything you
do, because you
are His dear
children.
~ Ephesians 5:1
NLT

Recently, our pastor made the comment that we should leave the residue of the Holy Spirit wherever we go. He compared it to walking in oil, and trapsing through the house, leaving behind an oily or visible residue. Ephesians 3:16-21 reiterates that same thought, it reads, "That He would grant you, according to the riches of His glory, to be strengthened with power through His Spirit in the inner man, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith; and that you, being rooted and grounded in love, may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ which surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled up to all the fullness of God. Now to Him who is able to do far more abundantly beyond all that we ask or think, according to the power that works within us, to Him be the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations forever and ever. Amen". If we walk out this Truth, we will have the power of the Holy Spirit working in us so we will leave His residue.

Charles Spurgeon once said, "Whenever I find a man in whom there rests the Spirit of God, the Spirit within me leaps to hear the Spirit within him and we feel that we are one. The Spirit of God in one Christian soul recognizes the Spirit in another." The phrase our pastor made really got me to thinking. I want to leave the favorable residue. Our spiritual life is not meant to be contained within church walls. On the contrary, it should extend into every area of our life, including our workplaces, schools, trips to town, vacation, ballgames, and especially in our homes. This past month has and been filled with people who have left the sweet residue of the Holy Spirit on our lives. Hosting some incredible families and groups at the Mission House, we have had the opportunity to hear some amazing stories of the Holy Spirit's work across these great United States and in the lives of some of our dear brothers and sisters as they shared their experiences.



We had the privilege to host the delightful God-honoring Frazier family from Texas while they relished their time together and enjoyed a much-needed rest from their full-time pastoral work.



The League Family minister full-time at a quaint church in Minnesota. We had the pleasure of hosting and getting to know this adorable tribe!



Pictured Left: Daughters of God weekend retreat. We had the pleasure of hosting these beautiful young ladies as they took the weekend to dive into God's Word studying Biblical womanhood and what the Word teaches them on preparing to be keepers of their homes.

"Without the Spirit of God, we can do nothing.

We are as ships without wind.

We are useless."

~Charles Spurgeon

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Food Distribution:

September 12th and September 26th.

Volunteer Opportunity:

We have plenty of volunteers on standby for unloading the truck. If that changes, we will post.

September 12th and 26th: We are in need of volunteers for the Fridays we open for distribution. When volunteering we ask that you help a minimum of 3 hours. Let us know if you are interested.

Workdays:

We hope to get a day or so set in September to pour the concrete porch for the building. We will be painting the floor as well. Our hope is to make a cut through between the two sides before winter, but we shall see. There are also some repairs needed to the storage unit and one side of the building. If you are inclined in any of these areas and want to lend a hand at getting it done, give me a shout.

Ministry Needs:

We are in need of supplies for the fast-approaching Thanksgiving Feast that we help cook and serve annually. Also, we are saving toward pouring blacktop. If you feel led to help monetarily you may mark your giving "Thanksgiving Feast" or "blacktop". You may donate through any of the ways listed below in the white box.

Prayer Needs:

Please pray for clear direction for the Food Distribution and the energy needed to keep up with the ever-changing dynamics we face. We also ask for prayer for our family and all of us at ODMR to resonate the Holy Spirit in every ounce of our existence, so we may leave a sweet residue of the Holy Spirit working in and through our lives everywhere we go. Living out the fullness of God as He overflows from us into others, we know without Him we can do nothing.



"Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears My voice, and opens the door, I will come in to him, and dine with him, and he with Me." Revelation 3:20

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