

## **Pastor's Newsletter – April 30, 2010**

Dear Saint!

We are up to the 4<sup>th</sup> weekend for THE SEARCH! 4 more nights! It has been just amazing to all of us to see the Fellowship Hall fill up every night. Over 250 came to hear the message about the Sabbath Saturday night—just amazing. Thanks to all of you who brought a neighbor or relative—don't forget, I need a note about who you brought.

### **TONIGHT, FRIDAY NIGHT:**

**Music:** 6:30 pm--Tonight is a very special treat, with STEVE DARMODY coming. He was coming anyway to do a taping on TBN, and offered to help us with our meetings with a mini-concert. We will also give away some CD's in a drawing, so make sure that you get a ticket on the way in so you get a chance in the drawing. Plus all the youth can get more tickets in for the chance at the IPOD Touch next Saturday night!

**BOOK:** There is also a free book gift to the first 85 families who come through the door tonight, a wonderful book by Graham Maxwell.

**MESSAGE:** "COUNTDOWN TO THE SHOWDOWN!" We will construct a human chart that will give you a visual overview of all the book of Revelation and the Last Days. While some of the interpretations go beyond the traditional, I hope that it will all fit together and help make Revelation make sense! Along the way we will try to answer some of the hardest questions that have come up about the Investigative Judgment and the Last Days.

### **SABBATH MORNING:**

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH:** No Children's Church tomorrow. We have a fantastic special event that will highlight all the children at the end of the service, and then we'll all go outside for another Kodak moment!

**MESSAGE:** 10:50 the Praise Team will start up with the best Second Coming songs we know. The message is: "WHAT REALLY HAPPENS WHEN YOU DIE?" I hope we can put a different spin on this so that even those of you who think you have heard it 100 times can hear something new! We will also show the video clip "Letter From Hell," very provocative but makes you think.

### **SATURDAY NIGHT:**

**MUSIC:** 6:30 pm--We are bringing back the Korean men's quartet, including the bass, our own Fred Kim. We will also have the Montessa brothers, who will be giving a free CD of their best music to every family that comes.

**DINNER:** Starts at 6:15, spaghetti dinner, with dessert—should be terrific!

**MESSAGE:** “CHEERS!” One of the subjects that has had some significant challenges over the last few years is the subject of the Church—Are we really the Remnant Church? How can there be a remnant church, when millions of people in the church, we know, won’t be saved when the actual time comes? Does anybody have a right to claim to be the best church anyway? Or “do all roads lead to Rome”? One girl at our school asked me this week, “Do we even need to go to church? Can’t we just have a relationship with God, and that’s good enough?”

**BAPTISMS:** While we are certainly focusing on all our guests who are coming, I have started Bible studies with several of our young people who have been spurred to think about getting baptized by the meetings. Being new, I have no way of knowing who has been baptized or not, so feel free to let me know if you think one of your young people could be interested in studies. We have something for every level. I know that some have been studying at the school, so just let me know.

**BOOKS:** We paid a bill this week for all the books that we have used. If you know you got one, but haven’t put in your pledge, it would help us a lot to cover the last gap. It was \$23 for *Experiencing God*, \$8 for *Studying Together*, and \$10 for *Contagious Christian*. Put it in under “Personal Ministries.” Thanks.

Hope we see you tonight and through the weekend!

God bless—

Pastor Dan