



OPEN ARMS NEWSLETTER

September, 2017

FROM THE HEART

John 16:33 "I have told you these things, so that in Me you may have perfect peace. In the world you have tribulation and distress and suffering, but be courageous {be confident, be undaunted, be filled with joy}; I have overcome the world." {My conquest is accomplished, My victory is abiding}

Today, we live in troubled times and today we can live in perfect peace if we are abiding in Him. Someone told me today where can you go on the earth that there is not trouble and she was right but If we have made Jesus our Lord there is a place in Him we can live in peace no matter what is going on. The body will die but if we accepted Christ as our Savior we will live eternally with Him.

He is our protection from the troubling times we have ahead of us.



THE FARM

The summer is now over and we reaped such a blessing from our community garden this year. Cases of squash, potatoes, lettuce, and snow peas went to two area food rescues. Multiple families came by our location to pick up vegetables for their families. It brings such joy to be able to see a garden grow from seeds and then to be able to share with communities in the area to help give to their families in need.



AUTO MECHANIC MINISTRY

This month we had a senior citizen come to us who was in need of a safe place to park her car with her service dog. After interviewing her we were concerned with not just a warm meal and a place to shower for her but her car was in need of many repairs. David was able to fix her vehicle and Patricia and I prayed for her. Together, we helped her to be able to keep driving and the Lord answered her prayer almost the next day someone donated a camper for her to live in. Is not God good!!!



SEVEN BASKETS FULL

Going out to serve the communities of Seattle is exciting because you never know what will happen. This month we added an extra week to help serve and brought some hot banana pancakes with us to warm the belly of those who do not get a home cooked meal. Before we left the church in Seattle, there was a new couple coming with us that were in a large van with two children and the wife was a worshipper with her guitar she desired to shift the atmosphere on the streets as she ministered.

The minute Carly opened her mouth and began to play her guitar people seemed to be coming from all directions for food. Many were ministered to, received salvation and hugs for those in need of arms delivering the Love of Christ. This was a beautiful day, it was supposed to rain but the rain never came and it felt like the Lord was smiling on us that day.





NEW BEGINNINGS.....a safe haven

Every child deserves to be loved. Every child deserves a place to call home.

WHO WILL TAKE CARE OF OUR ORPHANS???

We are working towards opening our heart and our home to homeless & orphaned teenagers and at-risk youth. This will be a future ministry

Will you help us to provide a safe home that will foster love & acceptance?

Whenever possible, we will work with the family with a goal of preserving the family and promoting reconciliation.

Latest update on the children:

Well, in the most unusual places while we are working in the harvest fields this month the Lord led us to divine appointment after divine appointment. While in Seattle we met a couple who had twins and were homeless in their car. Offering them a warm place for the night and the ability to wash clothes and have a warm meal they followed us back to Snohomish. After one evening, David, Patricia and I so connected to this young couple and their two sons. We intend to embrace them and meet their needs where we can. This generation is broken and in desperate need of fathers and mothers. The picture below is David enjoying Gods beautiful gift. Their names are Sky and Levi. Please pray for them.





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We have also opened our ministry home for prayer. We hold a weekly prayer meeting for the Nation on Sunday night at 4:30pm. If you are interested please call us at the number below.

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