

## GLORY 2017 PLANNED OUTREACH EVENTS

15-16 April 2017	EASTER CONVENTION at NOAK BRIDGE BASILDON Sat 7pm Sun 11am	SS15 4BE
6-7 May 2017	GLORY MAY CONVENTION at BOURNEMOUTH Sat 7pm Sun 11am & 7pm.	BH9 3PE
28-30 May 2017	GLORY SPRING CONVENTION at Oasis Center N. Wales Sun to Tues at 7pm .	LL34 6PS
26-28 July 2017	GLORY SUMMER CONVENTION at PETERBOROUGH Weds to Fri at 7pm.	PE3 6DP
2-3 Sept 2017	SOMERSET CONVENTION at Mary Elton School Clevedon Sat 7pm Sun 11am & 7pm.	BS21 7SX
21-22 Oct 2017	AUTUMN CONVENTION at NOAK BRIDGE BASILDON Sat 7pm Sun 11am	SS15 4BE

Write or phone the Glory Office at PO Box 10 Basildon SS16 5SX for a brochure with full details of meeting times, location and accommodation

Web site <http://www.glorypeople.org> for more details including directions and maps for each event

### FACEBOOK

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### PODCASTS on computer

We now have Podcasts of 23 of Gordon Davis Convention Seminars see our web site at

<http://www.glorypeople.org/media-articles/audio-podcasts/>

For those who like to hear the word of God from the Noak Bridge Glory Church, Podcast are at

<http://www.noakbridgerevivalcentre.org.uk/media-articles/audio/70-sunday-morning-at-noak-bridge>

We also have over 100 of the early recordings from Henri and the team from 1957 on, were you there, check it out.

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at:- <http://www.glorypeople.org/media-articles/videos/recent-glory-convention>

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add Vimeo App to your device and touch search "magnifying glass" icon.

Clear all searches and select People on top menu. Then search for "Alan Churchill" select the one with "Alan Churchill Pro Basildon" click and you will see videos listed below. Click follow to keep up to date with the latest videos which we will upload regularly. If you enjoy what you see contact us on [ac@glory-people.org](mailto:ac@glory-people.org) to encourage us for more.

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# GLORY NEWS 2018



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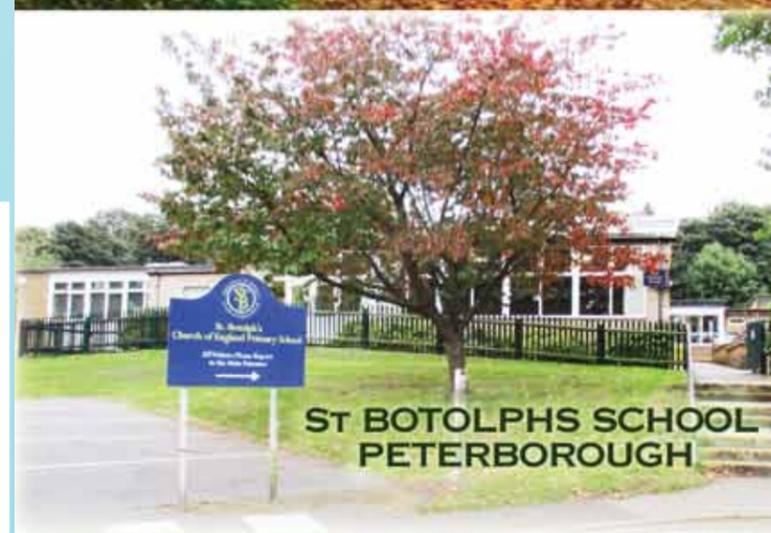
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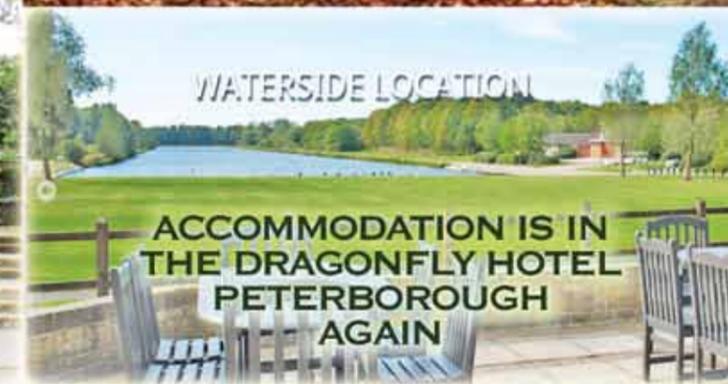
In all these things we are more than conquerors and gain an overwhelming victory through Him who loved us [so much that He died for us].

For I am convinced [and continue to be convinced—beyond any doubt] that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor things present and threatening, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor any other created thing, will be able to separate us from the [unlimited] love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Romans 8:37-38 Amp Bible



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**2018 HOLY SPIRIT LED Glory Summer Convention**  
Weds 25<sup>th</sup> to Friday 27<sup>th</sup> July 2018 @ 7.00pm



## AN INTIMATE GOD BALANCED LIFE STYLE

As we walk with God daily, it amazes me to see the nature of man always seems to take things to extremes. Paul talks of the extreme of grace thinking in Rom 6:1 "What shall we say then? Shall we continue in sin, that grace may abound?" Our life experience has to get the balance between grace and faith right. On one extreme we can have an excess of Grace thinking we are covered by grace: that God doesn't mind us sinning. Paul says Rom 6:2 "God forbid. How shall we, that are dead to sin, live any longer therein?"



ALAN and SHIRLEY

The other extreme is that we become ever more conscious of sin, and letting satan torment us we have committed the unforgivable sin and lost our salvation? Then we start to live in fear, torment and condemnation, which is definitely not what God intended for us.

Some preachers even use 'sin consciousness' to pressure and control people using fear and condemnation in their message. They preach uncertainty of salvation based on scriptures ambiguously taken out of context. This takes people back to how they were before salvation, trying to be good yet never able to be good enough.

Jesus died to set us free from trying to perform to please God. Our faith in Jesus as a living sacrifice is all it takes, Heb 11:6 **"Without faith it is impossible to please God"**. 'Faith pleases God!'

Condemnation kills faith; but Jesus said to the woman caught in adultery under the punishment of being stoned. John 8:10-11, **"Neither do I condemn you go and sin no more"**, if He advised that to her, it must be possible for us the redeemed to live free from the bondage of sin by God's grace.

The Holy Spirit is Gods way of balancing our walk even in adversity, bringing conviction and correction, tests and trials where we need them. Heb 12:11 **"No discipline seems pleasant at the time, but painful. Later on, however, it produces a harvest of righteousness and peace for those who have been trained by it"**. We need to be thankful always, knowing that as Christians God is ever merciful to us even when we stray. He doesn't have a big stick to beat us with, He always gives us a way to escape! 1Cor 10:13, **"God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear it."**

He loves us as we are unconditionally, but loves to see us grow by His grace.

I believe the parable of the prodigal son illustrates God's attitude to sin. The prodigal asked His father (God) to give him his inheritance so he could go into a far country and spend it. Amazingly his Father gave him the money to allow him to go into sin why? God doesn't interfere with our free will. I believe the son had to taste and came to the end of his self-sufficiency to become aware of his need of a deeper relationship with his Father. His elder brother stayed at home but failed to take what was his, in relationship with Father and showed no compassion for his brother.

As soon as the son came to himself and realised what he had lost, he started for home. The Father ran to meet him not to condemn him but to restore him; God is always seeking to restore us. The son was stinking from the pig pen but God embraced him, God didn't talk to him about sin at all. What do we learn from this; that intimacy with the Father makes us more conscious of Him and less conscious of self?

A balanced life style is to include God in everything. When we walk with God in intimacy our old sin nature is restrained 2 Cor 5:14, **"For the love of Christ constraineth us"**. That doesn't mean we don't have setbacks in our sinful flesh, we will only be made perfect when we finally see Jesus 1 John 3:2, **"but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him;"**

We must always remember we are God's creation, He loves walking and talking with us like He did with Adam and Eve. One day we will be with Him in heaven for ever and we will know Him as we are known for eternity. What a privilege it is to know we are loved and precious to Him!

## GOD'S GREAT PROVISION

In chapter 41 of Genesis we see God's agent, Joseph in foreign land handling the affairs of Pharaoh and Egypt wisely, through his interpretation of Pharaoh's dreams with regards to the years of plenty and the years of famine. Pharaoh said of Joseph **"Can we find as this a man in whom the Spirit of God?"** (Gen 41:38) Joseph was quickly promoted to the highest place of honor and managed the grain in Egypt.

In Genesis 41:56 we read that a famine is all over the face of the earth, Joseph opened up the storehouses of grain and all countries came into Egypt to Joseph to buy corn because of the severe famine. The countries went because of the word of grain in Egypt, and in particular the news came to Jacob and Joseph's brothers and as a result reconciling their family back together again.



Today, in the UK the current spiritual climate is a desperate one, we are in a spiritual famine. Many live spiritually malnourished without the Gospel in great danger. However, the stage is set for God to use the famine as a vehicle extending his arm of Grace to others. We to, like Joseph in Egypt are foreigners in this world. I believe in the time to come there will be a mighty drawing of the nations when the word of the good news travels about of the great supply amongst Gods people.

Jesus said, **"I am the bread of life: he that cometh to me shall never hunger and he that believes in me shall never thirst"** (John 6:35) His message was to the hungry and the thirsty. Do not allow your selves to be discouraged in the times that we live. Remember God is working out his purposes for good and for the saving of many. The great supply of God's grace towards His people will result in drawing and bringing many lost sons to Glory.

LUKE AND ADANNA BASILDON

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LIVES ARE BEING CHANGED COME AND JOIN US NEXT SUNDAY @ 11 AM

20-21 Oct TWO DAY SATURDAY@7pm SUNDAY@11am

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NOAK BRIDGE GLORY FELLOWSHIP WASH RD BASILDON SS15 4BE

## A GLORIOUS MAKEOVER



HAZEL

I grew up as one of five children; at four, my older brother died of peritonitis. As he was dying, he kept waking up and saying "Mummy, follow me". In the weeks following his death, my mum could not forget these words, so talked to his Sunday school teacher asking her what it meant; she explained to Mum that he had learnt about

Jesus asking him to be his personal Saviour and that he knew he was going to heaven. Later my Mum gave her heart to the Lord, although my dad didn't want anything to do with the change in her life. On the night of her baptism, it was as if he had had a Jacob experience, spending the evening wrestling with God and God won! I gave my heart to Jesus when I was seven. Although we were now a 'Christian family', the changes didn't fully come and there were still struggles.

When I was 18, I left home to work in a Christian children's home/school as a cook. Eventually, I came to Clevedon to work with a wonderful Christian family. Their lives showed an incredible love for the Lord, extending to the old folks that they cared for, the church and this was a wonderful revelation to me as this was where I began to see God in a new way that He was in fact a loving heavenly Father.

In 1983 my life changed. I met a man from Malawi and I had plans to move out there with him but found that I was soon expecting as a result of our relationship. It was then that a pastor from Malawi informed me that my husband to be was in fact already married with children. I was devastated and never made it to Malawi. However, through it all, I truly felt God's forgiveness when I repented. His wonderful graciousness towards me was so evident, coupled with the support of my church family. My son is a great blessing to me, a true gift from God. The Lord provided us with a home and I knew it was His will for us to use it to share God's love. As my son got older, we had the joy of fostering. We have seen the Lord use our home as a sanctuary for many young lives. It is been a great privilege to work with and pray for those youngsters, knowing it was all God's doing.

More up to date, I knew it was time in my life for the Lord to work on some of these earlier issues so I received some counselling ministry and worked on the issues through a Bible study. At a ladies weekend, I received ministry and prayer for healing from my childhood years. Early in 2017, I started going to the Glory Meetings. At the first one there was a word from the Lord for me along the lines of "You have spent so long thinking you have to push through on your own but the Lord wants to do a new work in you" with the person going on to say that "the Lord wants to give you a makeover." I was sceptical at first, thinking that I do not know this person. A couple of days later in readings by Smith Wigglesworth, I read "I want to encourage you all that it may be today, God will transform you so that you will be an altogether different person" so I realised that this makeover was of Him and I am now living in the makeover!

I love the Glory Meetings – they have touched my spirit. I have experienced a reawakening and renewal. It has made me more sensitive to the Lord's voice. Being in the Glory meetings, as well as my local church, I have grown in my ability to praise Him. The Lord has planted in me a delight and enjoyment in His everyday blessing to us that I have never know before!

HAZEL W. CLEVEDON



## FOREVER SEARCHING



MICHELLE

Most testimonies and. I was constantly searching for something that would fill that void in me – the void was depression. It made me feel empty and I was forever searching and I did the normal things that someone like that would do, turning to spirituality, crystal worship and never really finding my way. Then one day, a school friend of mine (Eva) came back into my life and I started to go to church with her mum. I enjoyed my time at the church and I felt I was on the right path but I still lacked the relationship with God that I needed.

Things got worse for me and then recently, one of my friends got in contact with someone who had an amazing testimony who attend this church, so we decided to come to the church. Unfortunately, she didn't end up going and that night, I felt so low and I screamed out in my kitchen, 'Jesus, help me – Lord, I need you!'. I sobbed and cried in my kitchen and I opened my heart to him. The next morning, I had a real prompting that 'I need to go to Noak Bridge'. Since I have been here, I have made some amazing friends and come such a long way. It's been an amazing journey

and this is the start of my new life in God. My children will back me up in that I have changed. I am a new person!

MICHELE L SOUTHEND

## SEEKING MORE

When my brother got saved, it was an amazing thing to see and I realised that the change that had gone on in his life, he couldn't do himself. At the time, I was smoking cannabis and burying my head in the sand. I had no belief in myself; I lacked motivation and confidence. Later on in life, I got involved in stronger drugs and drinking all the time. I worked all week to spend my money at the weekend. I then discovered Thailand and at the time I thought it was good, spending all my money on drinking and prostitutes and I was hooked – I had to keep going back. I went seven times in two years but the last time I went, I came back empty. I knew that I needed more in my life.

I was on the path for seeking more – when my brother would tell me about Jesus, I would just argue back. Soon after that, I took ill and was in bed. I decided to watch a documentary about the end times and at the end, the sinners prayer came up on the screen. I started to read the prayer and as I was reading it, my sickness left me and it really frightened me. My brother bought me a Bible and a couple of months later, I totally surrendered myself to Christ and I felt a new spirit placed in me. I didn't want to do the old things anymore. I have a love for people that I never had before. He has set me free from so many different things and remembers them no more!

It is always a blessing to share my testimony because those who know me will know I can't stop talking about Jesus. He has become the story of my life. He is greater than any treasure and I will never trade it in. His love goes deeper than anything else and I haven't been brainwashed; my brain has been washed clean by the blood of Jesus!



DAN

DAN J SOUTHEND

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EVERY SUNDAY AFTERNOON starting at 3.30pm

## OUR COMFORTER, HELPER AND ADVOCATE



LESLEY

In John 16, Jesus tells the disciples that He is going away but that He will send the Comforter [Helper/ Advocate] to them and it will be for their advantage for this to happen. The 'Advocate' summoned alongside us and dwelling within us, brings comfort, leading us into all truth, and He reveals Jesus to us. We, mere mortal man, once dead in sin, have been given life, immortality, adopted as children of God, and can now know the things of God. It's too marvellous, too high to grasp isn't it? Men throughout the ages have sought to know more of God e.g. Moses asked to be shown God's glory, the Apostle Paul asked "to know Him and the power of his resurrection" and now Jesus the mediator of the new covenant has promised to give it to us. He will guide us into all truth, speaking to us what the Father tells Him, teaching us all things and bringing them to our remembrance.

The Spirit is the one who convicts of sin, He's the one at work in our lives and we are seeing Him in the lives of others too. His gentle persuasion and leading of the heart into repentance is something

wonderful to experience and behold. It's love, beyond all earthly measure, an extension of His grace, His mercy and His patience with us. It's a pure work of the Holy Spirit and I'm seeing more than ever our efforts to push and prod are not required. That's not to say we don't share the gospel but more to realise we have no power to change the heart. It's also the Spirit's job to convince us of His righteousness for us. We are good at condemning ourselves, and it would be no good for us to simply accept that Christ was a righteous man, we need to know that He was righteous for US and embrace by faith that what he alone did was sufficient for us to be seen as righteous in the eyes of God. Just as Christ was condemned for my sin, I am justified by His righteousness. Sin has no more dominion over us and we can 'be of good cheer' that our sins are forgiven us. That isn't to say we continue in sin, but to know that we cannot be justified by our own efforts to be like Him. In fact the more we behold Him the more we are transformed in His image as a matter of course and the old nature is just that – in the past.

In a world where the accuser [of the brethren] is more evident than ever, attempting to lay to our charge the violations of sin, we have this truth that he, the ruler of this world was judged (John 16v11) and the punishment of our sin was taken out upon the body of Jesus at Calvary. Jesus saves to the uttermost and ever lives to make intercession for us, being our great High Priest. Our Redeemer overcame the world, destroying the works of the devil and we are overcomers also by the blood of the lamb and word of our testimony. Through Jesus' obedience, God highly exalted Him, giving Him a name above every name, and at the name of Jesus every knee shall bow and every tongue confess He is Lord, to the glory of God the Father (Phil 2 v9). When we're in trouble and it seems like all hell is breaking loose in our lives, we need to remember these words to believe the truth and declare the Name of Jesus over every situation. Cutting at the root the deeds of the enemy. I've tried it and it works!! He prepares a table in the presence of my enemies! All Glory to God.

I'm convinced we need to use the keys to the kingdom and have whatever we say. In Phil 2v 10 it says that "Above the earth, in the earth, and under the earth" Jesus—name above every other name! There is no dimension His name will not work in. He has the dominion! What a comfort to us to know that the Comforter is here - Let not your heart be troubled!

LESLEY P CLEVEDON

**SATURDAY@7pm 1st SEPTEMBER**  
**2018 HOLY SPIRIT CLEVEDON Convention**

**@ MARY ELTON SCHOOL CLEVEDON BS21 7SX**

## A JOURNEY OF FAITH

The Apostle Paul in Hebrews 4:16 says that our Father God calls us to come into the Holiest place which is the throne room of heaven because Jesus has given us access by His finished work of redemption.

At the throne of God, we obtain mercy and grace and we learn to linger in our Father's presence until we come away with that sweet fragrance of His presence permeating our lives. We are to bring our box of ointment; our worship to the Father and, with the help of the Holy Spirit, pour out our adoration and our love knowing that He hears our prayers. He's opened to us "a new and living way" through the precious blood of Jesus. He wants our fellowship we get to know Him better when we fellowship with Him. Peter 1:3 says that He makes us partakers of His divine nature.

Rom 8:17 says that we are made heirs and joint heirs with Jesus Christ. What more could he do? He's calling

us to come to the Holiest place (Hebrews 10:22). We read of men and women who through prayer and communion, have come to know God, and experience His promises, and grace to help them in their time of need. One of Jacob's wives Leah was such a person. In Gen 29:31 when the Lord saw that Leah was hated, He opened her womb but Rachel was barren. This brought a progression of Faith in her life. God revealed Himself to Leah, a woman hated and despised. Her firstborn son Reuben means "sonship" then another son Simeon, meaning "I'm hearing God" then came Levi which means "union" - now we are joined to the Lord. Jacob did not chose her, but God did. "I'm hated by man, but chosen by God" so what does it matter? Then Leah birthed another son and said "Now will my husband love me" but it didn't happen so she called this son Judah meaning praise to God. This was a significant moment in her life "I'm going to praise the Lord whatever is going on". God brought her into the lineage of faith not by any man's choice but through his divine choice. Each son had a name with a spiritual meaning—Jesus is the lion of the tribe of Judah!

After this turning point for Leah the next son she named Issachar which means "reward".

Gen 15:1 speaks of when God said to Abraham '***I am your shield and your exceeding great reward.***' It also says in Heb 11:6, '***He that cometh to God must believe that He is and is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.***' She had another son Zebulun which means "dwelling" - a habitation. What a journey of faith, from "sonship" to hearing God to being joined "union" then praise "Judah" a reward from God. God can do amazing things in our lives when we trust Him. God didn't just open Leah's womb, He opened her heart, this one known as a disadvantaged and hated woman. With every son she bore, God revealed Himself to her. To think we have been called into fellowship with Him (1 Cor 1:9) We can bring our petitions before Him as we draw nigh to Him he will draw nigh to us. (1 Cor 1:6) - We are the temples of the Holy Ghost. We are God's building, God's habitation a sanctuary for Him, God's house.

John 14:23 Jesus said "***If a man love me, he will keep my words and my Father will love him and we will come unto Him and make our abode with him***". Matthew 6:6 "***But you, when you pray enter your closet and when you have shut the door; pray to your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you openly***". Jesus is the chief cornerstone, we are the lively stones in God's building. Let's keep the fire burning, oil in our lamps, bread on the table of our hearts, the living bread, praise, adoration and worship. Our prayer is "Let Your temples be filled with Your Glory". Like Leah, each of us has a journey of faith before God. Our prayer must be- "***Make me like a precious stone, crystal clear and finely honed, life of Jesus shining through giving Glory back to You***".



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