



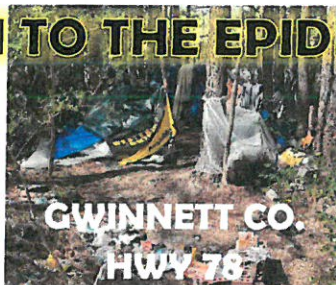
RELIGION OF OPIOID INJECTIONS

The chemistry of synthetic opioid fentanyl receptor, a suppressor of pain in drugs, has become a world leader in America in our 21st Century. It is a self centered "fast growing religion" that leads to **slow suicide**. Every day more than 100 people die from drug overdoses in the US. It is too close to home among 70% of our population. Over 750,000 deaths occur worldwide due to illicit drug usage. In the U.S. alone were over 107,000 drug overdosed deaths in 2021.

The "war on drugs" since the 70's and around \$1 trillions 50 years later has proved that **drugs is the winner**.

It often starts as a recreational drug or prescribed medication turning into a vicious cycle. This repeated **"DYING TO GET HIGH"** becomes harder to achieve as the brain and body seeks to adapt to the drugs. Our human spirit and mind God has wired to absorb His Holy Spirit not synthetic drugs. **"Opioids short circuits the brain neuronal pathways until the only reward it seeks to achieve is that provided by the drugs."** (Wallace G. Smith – Aug - Tomorrow's World) Loss of home, (8 to 10,000 people in Gwinnett alone) dreams, goals or relationships. Just a love affair addiction chasing the unimaginable slavery pit of lying, stealing, prostitution, and murder from the Dragon Devil.

Now many **major cities across America** have given in to the open market of drug streets full of drug dealers on the down hill religion of Opioid. **Why do so many turn to recreational drugs?** One common answer: There is no purpose, and no reason for living producing no hope on earth except slow suicide.



REVIVAL OF AN INTERCESSION CHURCH

"In the first year, I, Daniel understood from the Scriptures according to the word of the Lord to Jeremiah the Prophet would last seventy years. So I turned to the Lord God and pleaded with him in prayer and petition, in fasting, and sackcloth and ashes. I prayed to the Lord my God and confessed..." (the sins on God's people) Daniel 9:2-4

Intercessory prayer in the church for the sins of the people is the highest responsibility and position. Daniel in exile himself under several kings became the priest **confessing the sins of the whole nation**.

"While I was speaking and praying, confessing my sin and the sin of my people Israel and making my request to the Lord my God for His holy hill – while I was still in prayer, Gabriel, the man I had seen in the earlier vision, came to me in swift flight about the time of the evening sacrifice and said to me, "Daniel, I have now come to give you insight and understanding. As soon as you began to pray, an answer was given which I have come to tell you, for you are highly esteemed." Daniel 9:20-23

From his prayers Gabriel showed him a vision of all the major kings that will reign up to the crucifixion of Christ.

Jesus cried out His greatest words of love on the cross, **"Father forgive them for they know not what they do!"** The highest calling of all believers in the church is intercession – **(entering into a session)** of prayer confessing the sins of the church, individuals, communities, and our nation. **Weekly intercessory prayer is the life blood** that sparks a spirit revival that spreads throughout the church into the community. The same principal of Pentecost! The Enemy knows this to stifle praying churches.



REVIVAL OF INTERVENTION WITH THE GOSPEL

Those who are wise will shine like the brightness of the heavens, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars for ever and ever. Daniel 12:3

An intercessory church is a bold weekly Gospel sharing church. Watching God at work in daily conversations is amazing. The creative ways God orchestrates for each of us when we catch those divine appointments that will never return.

This is what has happens in our court halls for 19 years reaping countless miracles. The peace and love of the Holy Spirit radiates the entire courthouse as we weekly pray in the courthouse auditorium.

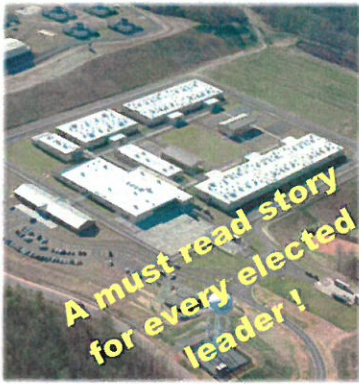
The sin of drugs is no match for the power of prayer.

BTGM PRAYER REQUESTS

1. God has radically transformed Home Stay Suites now bought out by **Budgetel** chain. Now it's in the process of complete renovation up to county codes! **A miracle answer to prayer!** Many families had to leave not able to comply to their new standards. This was much needed to weed out drug and alcohol users. **Pray our contacts with the Gospel will reach the new incoming families. You are welcome to partners with us.**
2. The letters to all our judges, school board members, school principals, and city mayors is still in the process.

Pray the letters and historical documents on prayer will be a catalyst to spark prayer countywide in our public schools.

RAY OF HOPE IN A DRUG INJECTED PRISON



Greetings from Riverbend Correction and Habitation

facility in Milledgeville, GA. Despite this facilities name, there is little or no correction or rehabilitation taking place within its walls. Drug use is rampant, violence is almost

everyday occurrence, and worst of all, religious services have been suspended for the last two years with no return in sight.

The chaplain comes around once a month with a religious material cart containing devotionals. I have written to him twice offering to connect him with local ministries and have not heard back.

I don't see many people reading a Bible in my dorm. When a new one arrives on the cart, it is quickly consumed literally with rolling paper for drug use. I pray that those using the Word in this manner will at least read the page that they are smoking, and that somehow it's message will enter their heart.

There are few Christians in my dorm. One participates in several Bible Studies including the one you told me about. We do not have any organized prayer gatherings because there are so few of us as the interest just has not been there. Please pray for this facility, those incarcerated, the officers, and the administration. There is a general stagnant attitude amongst everyone here which is very contagious. My continued prayer is that church services will resume soon I believe that is the breakthrough we need to deliver us from the evil that has its grip on this place.

Thank you for sending me your newsletter each month. It is my way to say connected with what is going on in the Gwinnett County and your ministry. I am encouraged that you have discovered the true root of incarceration. Fatherless both literally and spiritually school age children. Nearly every black man in my pod has no close relationship with their earthly father. Many of them are fatherless themselves with several "baby Mamas". These men are going to be incarcerated for much if not all of their child school years. They are a repeated pattern that their own fathers started. Their children will grow up without a father supported only by a mother that has to work multiple jobs. These children were turned to the streets and social media to raise themselves.

Trying to save people once they reach prison is like discovering a burned down home and calling the fire department. It is too late. While miracles do happen, and some people get saved behind bars, but for many it is just a sentence because the of bad habits learned in school.

The time to make a difference is in grade schools. Churches should be sponsoring more after school programs and providing assistance to single moms.

I look at the youth in my dorm and notice that many of them entered this system as teenagers. Idle hands, and no earthly father stirred the pot causing them to join a gang to be raised under. While most families celebrate a college acceptance or job later when their child receives adulthood, these gangs celebrate entering prison system. It may have been this PAUSE in prison ministry to realize that investing all of our resources and this stage other problem will yield diminishing returns.

Every morning I start my day by reading Psalms and Proverbs along with a devotional by "Our Daily Bread". One morning last week a young Hispanic man named **David** sat down next to me and shyly asked if I would read the passage out loud to him. I obliged and asked if he had trouble reading English. While David can speak both Spanish and English, he could only write and read English at an elementary grade school level. He cannot read or write Spanish at all. David seems interested to learn more about the Lord. Please pray for him.

My cellmate at Jackson, **Georgio Eli**, is a 21 old black youth that got into trouble in Gwinnett County. At a party when he was 19 he defended one of his friends and really hurt another male in a fight. He was charged with Aggravated Battery and his case was assigned to Judge Kathy Schraider to talk about a second chance. Judge Fluker, the new judge from the election, heard Georgio's case and in compassion sentenced him to 10 years on probation and two years prison. Without any issues he can have his sentence expunged under First Offender.

Georgio does not have a relationship with his earthly father who was a former correctional officer at the Gwinnett County jail. He also lacks a close relationship with his Heavenly Father. During my 3 months in Jackson I change buildings and cell several times, but always ended up with Georgio as a cell mate. We would spend much time each day discussing the Bible. His knowledge of the Bible was limited to conspiracy and myths/lies put on the earth and spread by the Enemy. One of his complaints was that the Bible was boring and lacking any real action. I pointed him to the multitude of miracles performed by Jesus and His disciples in the New Testament. Then to the countless stories of David, Solomon, Moses in the Old Testament. Georgio's love for the Lord grew while we were together in Jackson. It is my prayer that this love replaces the anger that got him into trouble.

There is more to come. If God's will I should be transferred to the transitional center where I will be in the work release program. That will make our communication easier. Thank you for your continued prayers for me and my family. *Anonymous*