



## 2020 Spring Newsletter



By the time you read this newsletter, you will have experienced something that the majority of us have never experienced before in our lifetime: a pandemic that has encircled the globe. The majority of people living today have not encountered anything like this before. When something like this happens, it tends to create a great deal of fear and uncertainty.

I want you to know that regardless of what happens in the world around us, God's Word gives us both instruction and comfort. "Everything that was written in the past was written to teach us. Those things were written so that we could have hope. That hope comes from the

patience and encouragement that the Scriptures give us." Romans 15:4 (Easy to Read Version) We can be comforted by the fact that the Bible reveals the cause of sickness, the cure for sickness, and the prescription for Divine health.

#### The Cause

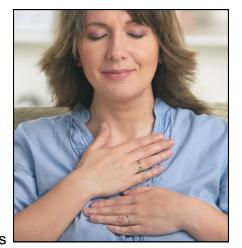
Romans 5:12 "Sin came into the world through one man, and his sin brought death with it..." (Good News Bible) The Bible teaches us that death came into this world as a result of sin and that sin produced everything that attempts to destroy humanity, including sickness and disease.

#### The Cure

Galatians 3:13 "Christ paid the price to free us from the curse that God's laws bring by becoming cursed instead of us. Scripture says, "Everyone who is hung on a tree is cursed." Through Christ's

redemptive work, Jesus paid the spiritual price to deliver us from every sickness and every disease, including any and every virus.

When you confess Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior, the Holy Spirit accomplishes the work of regeneration in your spirit. You become a child of God, and as a child of God, you receive the benefits associated with the work of redemption. That includes not only eternal life with God but also deliverance from all sickness and disease.



### The Prescription for Divine Health

Not only does your Heavenly Father desire to heal your body, but He also wants you to experience a healthy life. God's Word gives us

the prescription for living a life free from sickness and disease. That prescription is found in Proverbs 4:20-22. "My child, pay attention to what I say. Listen carefully to my words. Don't lose sight of them. Let them penetrate deep into your heart, for they bring life to those who find them, and healing to their whole body." (The New Living Translation)

Where can we find God's words concerning health and healing? In the Bible. Let me encourage you to find verses in the Bible that promise you healing and health. Make a daily confession of those verses. Let God's Word penetrate deep into your heart. Don't lose sight of what God's Word says concerning the work of healing and health in your life.

Scriptures for Meditation and Confession: Exodus 23:25, Psalm 103:3, Psalm 91:1-7, Romans 8:2

We also encourage you to visit our website:

www.gcinternational.org

where we currently have two free .mp3

downloads available on the subject of healing:

God's Prescription for Divine Healing and Health
and There is Healing at the Lord's Table.

Always remember – Sickness and disease are the results of sin coming into this world. Jesus came to this earth to deliver humanity from sin and the effects of sin. Jesus has redeemed you from the curse of every sickness and every disease. Now that you are a child of God, healing and health belong to you. God's Word becomes health and healing to your entire body.



# Ministry in China Continues

Due to the recent outbreak of the coronavirus, all foreigners are currently restricted from traveling to China. It has also been challenging for Christians to assemble or to have church gatherings. Fortunately, through technology, we can still have an impact.

Over the past few months, Amos Wong, the Director of RHEMA China, has been in contact with many of our graduates and pastors, the majority of whom live in NE China. Amos has been using an online conferencing platform to maintain personal contact. We want our graduates to know that God has not forsaken them. Instead, God wants to use them to bring the message of faith and the healing power of God to their nation.





In April, Amos will begin conducting Bible school classes using the online conferencing

platform. This technology allows Amos to do live teaching and interact with the students. At this time, there are between 40 to 45 individuals who have signed up for these classes. Please continue to pray for the nation of China and especially for our graduates who are on the front lines of ministry. Please also pray for Amos Wong as he begins these new training programs via the internet.

# Take Advantage of Our Online Resources

Every month we are adding new online audio teachings from our ministry archives. All of these MP3 teachings can be downloaded for free on our website. We also offer free resources for Chinese speakers that can be accessed through our website. In the near future, GCIM is also planning to add a video teaching resource page to **www.gcinternational.org**. There will be teachings on a variety of biblical subjects that will encourage and inspire you to grow in your relationship with Christ and to help you discover your purpose in life.



Changes in Plans During March, GCIM was scheduled to travel to several locations in Vietnam and India to hold seminars and conferences for church leaders. After a lengthy discussion with one of our international hosts regarding flight disruptions, turmoil in specific areas we were to minister and potential transportation problems for some of the conference attendees, we decided that it was both wisdom and prudence to reschedule our meetings for later this year. Although we have also had to postpone a number of our other Stateside meetings and international trips, we want you to know that we are not slowing down; instead, we are becoming more intentional and more focused on what we are called to do. Thank you for praying for us and believing together with us that this year will still be one of the most productive years ever in our training pastors and winning the lost. Day & Comie

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