



Dear Friends,

Remember when computers were introduced as the new age of technology that would make our lives simpler? Way back then, I was given a Radio Shack Tandy Computer pulled from the ravages of Hurricane Hugo. It had one 3.5 diskette with limited internal memory. The screen was low resolution and the printer had sprockets that pulled the paper through the printer in a rat-a-tat-tat clatter. The print on the page was newspaper dot metric quality AND WE THOUGHT WE WERE IN THE CHIPS! (Pun not intended.) It was interesting!

Then, TOWERS were the new thing and DOS was the operating system. A person had to take computer classes to learn how to operate the “keyboard strokes”. I remember Karen taking a class and learning about this new concept of a “mouse looking device” that would move the cursor around on the screen without having to manipulate the cursor with the arrow keys. Technology was racing to give us new features at lightning speed. Then Microsoft came along and gave us a new era of packaged programs where you could “Plug & Play”.

I well remember a conversation we were having at the office about wishing we had better equipment to make our publications look better. Mandy injected her wisdom with these words, “Daddy if you get all that good stuff, people may think you don’t need their help”. What wisdom comes from a child! She understood basic human nature better than most.

Thankfully, we have moved past that conversation; and, we now have good equipment. Praise God, technology has improved (but at the same time, it drives me crazy). I still get lost and have to call Josie to get me through some of the internet stuff (another benefit to having grandchildren around).

All this makes me flashback to a truth that will never change. The Power of The Cross to change a life can’t be improved on. The forgiveness of sin and healing of past hurts is part of the package of salvation. Freedom from addiction is still real and works today.

30 years ago, a nurse asked me if I really thought a Crack Addict could recover. My answer was ABSOLUTELY YES, because we were seeing it happen then AND it’s still happening today! According to the SCRIPTURES, when a person allows himself to be surrendered to Christ, he becomes a NEW Person, the OLD is gone, and a NEW person is raised up. The plan is simple, by allowing God to RENEW our MIND by the washing of The Word. Our BODY is made alive again; and, He gives PEACE that passes all understanding. This message never changes at Adult & Teen Challenge, regardless of the shifts in technology and presentations of the GOSPEL.

Thank you for being there with your faithful support, as we plow through the sea of challenges we face in dealing with addictions. Remember this, HOPE LIVES HERE.

Helping Hurting People,

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September 2022 Service Schedule

Sunday, September 4th - 11:00 a.m.

Cornerstone Baptist Church
Georgetown, SC

Sunday, September 4th - 6:00 p.m.

Living Word Worship Center
Pelion, SC

Sunday, September 11th - 11:00 a.m.

Lake Wylie Christian Assembly
Lake Wylie, SC

Sunday, September 18th - 10:30 a.m.

First Assembly of God
Loris, SC

Sunday, September 18th - 5:00 p.m.

Belin Memorial United Methodist Church
Murrells Inlet, SC

If you are involved in a church or any community groups, Auxiliary Meetings, Ladies and Men's Meetings, we would love to come visit, give a presentation of our ministry and help spread word of Adult & Teen Challenge.
Give us a call at 843-520-4888



We rolled out a new look on our website. It is easy to navigate and new pictures have been added, including all our staff and board members. There is also a great way to give online with a secure link straight to our bank through Tithe.ly.

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Shirley Smith - Happy 88th Birthday!

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Myrtle Beach, SC

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Given by: Mrs. E.C. Peterson
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