

# AWAKENED

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## WELCOME...

to Life Awakening where the Gospel of Jesus Christ is proclaimed through the *Gospel Process*:  
*Embrace, Die, Bury, Rise!*

“...the Gospel, for it is the power of God unto salvation...” Romans 1:16

## KINGDOM SEEKERS BIBLE STUDY

Ladies, if you are interested in joining a group of spiritually hungry ladies, join us on Tuesday mornings from 9:30 – 11:30. It is held in New Holland. We are presently studying the *Gospel of John*. Call for more details!

## TESTIMONY BOOKLETS...

are available if you would like to read twelve *Gospel Process* testimonies! Contact us if you want to have one.



## MISSION STATEMENT

To teach and apply the Gospel through the Holy Spirit to people who want freedom, healing and victory from the burdens of sin and pain.

## VISION STATEMENT

To see people awakened to walk in righteous and healthy relationships with God, their true selves and other people so they can discover and live out their destinies.



## MEET MADISON, LIFE AWAKENING'S FIRST INTERN

There were times growing up that I felt like I was nothing more than clay in the hands of broken people. I saw myself as what they and I, who was drowning in pain, had shaped me to be. My identity only hardened into a malformation of what God had originally intended me to be. By the time I reached the age of 18, I “cut” people from the sharp edges operating deep within me. I ran when I thought people were getting too close. Mostly, I hid my face from my Creator, thinking He would despise what others and I had done. I carried pain and rejection that I had taken in through foundational relationships that should have built me up but, instead cut me down. And then I took in pain from the bullies at school and the people who really weren't my friends.

But at the age of 18, God who is rich in love and mercy called me to come back to Him. A few days later, He called me to Summit International School of Ministry in Grantville, Pennsylvania. So, I packed my bags and moved from northern Michigan to Summit. Through that school, God led me to meet Linda who introduced me to the *Gospel Process*. I took the plunge and began weekly sessions with her. Through them, I began the journey of receiving much-needed freedom and healing. And through that freedom and healing, the truths of what I was learning in my chapels and classes were able to “settle” deep in my heart.

As I received freedom and healing, a deepening desire surfaced in me to learn how to facilitate a *Gospel Process* session so I would be able to help other people. I asked Linda if I could become an intern because Summit encourages their students to seek out internships. So, as a graduate of Summit, I am happy to say that I am now an intern, the first intern at Life Awakening!

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

and

**HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

May you praise, worship and exalt our  
magnificent Savior, Jesus Christ during this special season!

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Friday evening,  
May 1, 2020  
Dinner served at  
6:30 p.m.



Shady Maple,  
East Earl, PA  
Freewill offering  
to be taken

### DR. ALVEDA KING, NIECE OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., GUEST SPEAKER AT LIFE AWAKENING'S ANNUAL DINNER!

Dr. King will be sharing her testimony of receiving God's forgiveness after two abortions and healing from three failed marriages. Her heart's desire is to inspire people to experience forgiveness and healing! She is a voice for the "*Silent No More Awareness Campaign*."

Please join us and bring some friends!

**Reservation deadline is NO LATER than Friday, April 17, 2020.**

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**FROM THE DIRECTOR'S DESK:** I have a new appreciation for broken pieces of bread at the bottom of a bread basket. Let me tell you why! After 5000+ people were miraculously fed, Jesus instructed the disciples to put the extra broken pieces, or as John wrote, the "fragments," in baskets so that "none will be lost." I found that interesting because those fragments could have easily been fed to the birds. But, Jesus wanted the fragments "saved," not "lost." In actuality, Jesus was saying that those fragments were very important. So, 12 baskets were provided and each basket became full of fragments of bread. To me, that is a lot of fragments!

We can learn from this miraculous event that as people are broken through the course of their lives, God really, really cares about them. You see, God does not want people who are broken, who are fragmented into pieces, to be lost, to be "eaten up by the birds" or the enemy, shall I say. He deems them as very important. They are so important that He even provides protective baskets for them to be put into.

Madison, our new intern, was a broken, fragmented young lady when I met her. She could have been "eaten up by the birds," the enemy, but through God's grace, she chose to be put in God's protective basket! In that basket was the amazing Gospel of Jesus Christ and through the *Gospel Process* she has been deeply freed and healed!

You see, the broken pieces of bread at the bottom of a bread basket are just as delicious and important as the bread on top. May we never forget the many, many "broken, fragmented" people who are "lost!" God wants them to receive a basket -- the Gospel! Maybe in this Christmas season, you can share the Gospel with someone who is lost in his broken, fragmented state. In doing that, maybe he will receive the amazing gift of salvation! -- Linda

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