

JOY ABOUNDS

On Sunday morning June 24th we are celebrating with two men in recovery that are being immersed into Christ. It is a pleasure to see God at work and to join Him where He is drawing people to Himself!

REFINER'S LODGE

Refiner's Lodge is a recovery ministry for men that are addicted and imprisoned by the bonds of pornography. Celebrate Recovery is training 10 men over the summer months to become leaders and co-leaders of Lodges that will begin in various churches this fall. Four of the men are pastors of congregations and are committed to making a difference in the lives of men and marriages. This is a highly confidential process filled with accountability within the group.

NEW LEADERS

Two men, Jim and Marty, have been raised up by God to lead the men's chemical dependency group. This brings us to five male leaders along with four female leaders trained and communicating. We meet monthly as leaders to pray, encourage one another, and strategize as we face opposition from the kingdom of darkness. We do so humbly with boldness as we serve the King of light and rely on Him for direction and spiritual victory.

CELEBRATE RECOVERY?

Celebrate Recovery® is a Christ focused ministry for people with hurts, hang-ups and habits. We have all been hurt by the choices others have made, and along the way we too have caused pain to others through our sinful choices. Addictions to drugs, alcohol, pornography, gambling, over eating, co-dependency etc. are overcome through the power of a Christ focused life. Celebrate Recovery is not just for people with addictions. Many people have been hurt by relationships that are dysfunctional and need the healing we seek together on the Road to Recovery. There is great support for YOU at Celebrate Recovery. God does an amazing work in healing people who were once wounded to become "wounded healers" so that they can come alongside those in pain and offer friendship and mentorship in the safe environment of God's Church.

CELEBRATE RECOVERY CONNECTION
every Saturday at Rochester Assembly of God

6 P.M. WORSHIP

Worship Celebration which includes teaching on recovery principles, the Christian 12 steps, and "testimonies from the trenches."

7 P.M. GENDER SPECIFIC GROUPS

People safely share their thoughts and feelings as we work through the biblical steps of recovery.

8 P.M. DINNER

We serve a light dinner over which relationships can be formed and encouragement expressed.

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Rachel and Dale show off pictures of Celebrate Recovery baskets and coffee items for CR fundraising

TIE DYE DAY AT WALMART NORTH

Our Net Mender Mission board member, Rachel Green, will be coordinating a Celebrate Recovery fundraiser. Rachel has set in motion a fun, family event to take place on June 30th. At Wal-Mart North in Rochester, there will be a parking lot area reserved for a tie-dye festival. You will get to tie dye your very own shirt (T-shirts are provided) for making a donation to Celebrate Recovery. Bring the whole family! We are also looking for volunteers to help the children through this fun and unique process. Suggested donation is \$10 per shirt.

CELEBRATE RECOVERY SUMMIT

Each year Celebrate Recovery has a national leader’s summit in Lake Forest, California. Attending such an event sounded like only a dream until recently. Our host church, Rochester Assembly of God, has made Dale’s registration and motel a reality. We are looking to raise funds to offset the cost of a plane ticket out and back so that this powerful opportunity can “fly”. August 15-17 is the Summit. It will be filled with worship, workshops, and vision-crafting for the future.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Monthly averages January - May

Income:

Net Mender Income:	\$ 2257.00*
Celebrate Recovery Income:	\$ 174.00
Total/month:	\$ 2431.00

Expenses:

Housing & Salary Allowance:	\$ 1611.40
Education & Retirement:	\$ 391.99
Ministry expenses:	\$ 180.01
Total/month:	\$ 2183.40

*includes \$1100 avg/mo for Dale’s preaching ministry

NET MENDER MISSION UPDATE

NMM continues to meet together, raise funds to support Dale’s life of ministry, and promote NMM’s core objective of mending spiritual nets in Rochester so that the marginalized are brought back into the body of Christ.

Every day there are exciting opportunities to touch lives through the discipleship process of Celebrate Recovery. To coordinate this ministry takes about 20+ hours a week for Dale. Dale is partially funded through donations you provide. Also, he is working for the State of Minnesota as a private vendor to the courts, and as a part-time preaching minister in Winona, Minnesota. In addition, he maintains an on line bookstore.

As Celebrate Recovery grows and develops, Dale needs to make critical decisions about the possible removal of the Winona ministry and vendor position from his hectic schedule.

As Dale’s ministry team, we are seeking new supporters, encouraging the faithful to continue with us, and being honest about the needs Dale has in supporting his family. Here are a few things to consider and pray about:

- Dale is in desperate need of a different car as his has 190,000 miles and continues to present financial maintenance hardship. Ideas or donations to meet this need are welcome!
- Books that are of good condition can be given or sent to Dale for his online store.
- We are in the process of scheduling an information session for past members and friends of SHCF. We want to communicate the CR ministry and how they can be a part of NMM’s supporting vision.
- Dale would also like to present his ministry to churches. For more information or to schedule, please contact us at our SHCF address or email soulharbor@charter.net

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