

KINGDOM Connections

A Monthly Newsletter Providing Encouragement & Noteworthy News

BUILDING YOURSELF UP

October 2017

As I am writing today it is Monday morning 9/11, and Hurricane Irma has arrived in South Carolina. Our preparation for Irma has been both spiritual and natural. Pastor Ron led Redemption in speaking to the storm in a strong prayer of faith, and to open our campus as a Red Cross Shelter for all those who have been adversely affected by Irma. In the natural, I went through my personal storm checklist including making sure my generator was ready to run in case we lost power. Unfortunately, I failed to follow my own normal protocol and empty old gas in the tank from the last major storm several years ago. The gas had eaten up the gas tank seal and it was leaking like a sieve. No reserve power source when I needed it most in a storm!

In my devotional time early this morning, I was stirred in my spirit to reflect upon the amazing spiritual generator of power that is available to us daily and without fail. The Holy Spirit inspired Jude with the revelation and challenge to all of us: "Building yourselves up on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Spirit." After being born again, we all have the privilege of being baptized in the Holy Spirit, and receiving supernatural power and spiritual gifts, including praying in the Holy Spirit.

While correcting public worship misuse of speaking in tongues, the Apostle Paul declares: "For he who speaks in a tongue, (speaks) to God...He who speaks in a tongue, edifies himself...I wish you all spoke in tongues...I thank God that I speak in tongues more than you all!" The Greek word for "edifies" (oikodomeo), is from oikos "a house" and domeo "to build" both a natural house and a spiritual house. Paul's personal and private use of this wonderful gift was obviously a very powerful impartation in his daily walk with God.

Dr. Bill Hamon, a spiritual father in the birthing and building of the Charismatic Movement, calls the Holy Spirit's gift of tongues to us, "Your Own Built In Spiritual Dynamo." (See this month's RMFI recommended book by Dr. Hamon: *Seventy Reasons For Speaking In Tongues*.) We are all challenged every day to build ourselves up in our most holy faith, praying in the Holy Spirit. Let's all exercise this great gift of God daily so that we live and minister in the overflow of His spiritual power and strength!

—Bishop Paul

YOU'RE INVITED

TO JOIN
PASTORS RON AND HOPE
IN CELEBRATING
REDEMPTION'S 26 YEARS
OF MINISTRY.



HAPPY
26 Anniversary
REDEMPTION

OCTOBER 22, 2017



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Redemption School Of Ministry

As many of you are aware, Redemption School of Ministry is currently in the planning stages! Our faculty, led by Bishop Paul Gaehring, are working on the curriculum for the school, which will be 100% online and based on Pastor Ron's kingdom-based teachings. There will be a two-year program and elective classes available. Other programs will be added as RSOM moves forward into the future. If you are interested in adding your contact information to our database, please email us at rmfi@myRedemption.cc.

COMING IN 2018!

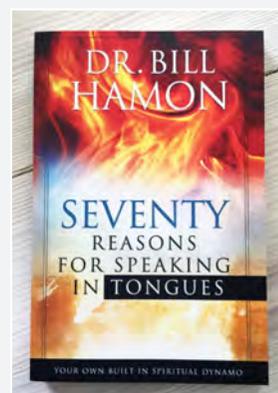
Recommended READING

Seventy Reasons For Speaking In Tongues

By Dr. Bill Hamon

"70 Reasons for Speaking in Tongues was written for Spirit-filled believers and those who want to know more about this God-given, Holy Spirit-infused gift that has changed hearts and minds for generations."

– Amazon



MONTHLY CONFERENCE CALL

OCTOBER 26TH – 10AM EST

Dial **1-844-844-0014** enter pin **838355#**
for a quick touch from the heart.





Upcoming Dates

October 2017

- 5 Pastor Ron Carpenter – Main Event Conference, Omega Center International/Cleveland, TN – 9:30am
- 26 RMFI Conference Call

November 2017

- 11 Pastor Ron Carpenter – City Center Church/Lenexa, KS – 7:00pm
- 23 Thanksgiving Holiday – Offices Closed
- 30 RMFI Conference Call



* For event details, please visit RonCarpenter.com