

# ENCOUNTER

Encounter Christ The Healer.

The Newsletter of Healing Rooms England & Wales



**May 2022**

Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of the heavenly lights, who does not change like shifting shadows.

**James 1:17 (NIV)**

*If you find this newsletter interesting, please pass it on to your friends who may have healing needs.*

## **PLANTING SEEDS OF FUTURE HEALING by John & Sarah Lander**

Over the last 3 years here in Mid Suffolk we have been scattering the seeds for healing around places and in people and waiting for God to grow them when the time is right. When people have come for prayer we have seen them get excited over what God is doing and have as Jesus said, encouraged them to “go and tell others what the Lord has done for you”.

We have watched as the testimonies about Healing Rooms here grow and other people visited Mid Suffolk Healing Rooms and have come themselves through the testimonies of others.



On Sunday night this cumulated in Mid Suffolk holding its first ever Healing Rooms night in the town of Debenham, Suffolk. The large majority of our team who were available to serve, came willingly and gave their heart, love and time. We had 8 team members in 3 teams and for two and a half hours we ministered to 9 people.

We saw people ministered to with care and gentleness but also in Power and saw the effects of His Great Presence touch their lives. One lady gave her life to Jesus. Others were moved to tears and so were we as a team.

One of our team said of the evening “it was very encouraging, there was a palpable sense that the Holy Spirit is moving in Debenham. Great venue for meeting people as Healing Rooms. The people we prayed with seemed open, hungry for God and met with Him that evening”.

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### **We saw the Lord moving in all the teams**

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Another team member said “I felt the Lord present, the venue was a great shape in that there was an area for people to sit and wait whilst there were other areas for the ministry to take place. We saw the Lord moving in all the teams and people leaving blessed and touched. A good fruitful evening”.

Another testimony by a team member was “there was expectancy in the people we ministered too. They left differently from how they came in, in one lady her whole countenance changed, thank you Lord”.

The lady who organised us coming said the next day “when will we come again as I have others who want to come!”

We praise God for all our connections to see people set free into the total fullness of all the wholeness and healing in Jesus. We are seeking God for the next steps and are walking with Him for His future strategies and future Plans.

It's thrilling and awesome to be used in the mighty miracles of our God! Watch this space for the next chapter.

### **Testimony literally means DO IT AGAIN LORD!**

*John and Sarah Lander,  
Directors of Mid Suffolk HRs,  
Assistant Regional Directors of SE HRs.*

### **Healing Through the Creative Arts: Part One Poetry**

Looking back, it is interesting to observe how God takes all kinds of things we have done in our past and then uses them for His glory. As I had spent over 30 years in Art and Design Education before being called to Him, I guess it was inevitable that He would put it on my heart to start a creative arts ministry, so in 1998 we began a journey that saw Ralph and I organise workshops, gatherings and conferences with speakers and creative believers from across the world. The vision the Lord gave us was to encourage and develop both the visual and performing arts to enable freedom, healing and the prophetic in worship. The Ministry was called "Xalt" and it wasn't very long before we realised that the Lord had given His people wonderful creative gifts and talents that there was little or no outlet for in their churches and that He can use creativity to break into the deep places where healing is needed.

We became connected with several people to whom the Lord gave poems. God sovereignly downloads them to Lynda one of our team. It can be at any time of the day or night, she really hears verbatim from Him. They can be for a specific purpose, healing, or occasion, for a prayer or church meeting. (I particularly remember the one she wrote about Anne Frank for a meeting we organised on the Holocaust.) Lynda finds the process of writing poems very healing. They are usually prophetic, have a message and are relevant to what God is saying or showing her and others at the time. Very recently she was given a poem entitled "Calm in the Storm" which came to her the day before her Pastor preached on Mark 4 v 35-41, Jesus in the boat.

*Sylvia Barnes, Director, South West Region*

If you have a testimony of how God has used your creative gift in healing and you believe it will encourage others please get in touch by email: [newforest@healingrooms.org.uk](mailto:newforest@healingrooms.org.uk)



Be a Conduit in God's Kingdom.....

## **God's Healing River Ezekiel 47v1-9**

*From the throne of God His water flows  
Cleansing and healing wherever it goes  
Purifying, washing and making whole  
Not just for some but for every living soul*

*It flows like a river not making a sound  
It changes life, wherever it's found  
Come wash in His river and bathe your soul  
Refreshing spirit, come, answer God's call*

*A call to obedience to walk in His way  
To follow Jesus, day after day  
To know God's will, to hear His voice  
His spirit guiding, so you make the right choice*

*As you step in His footprints, He guides you still  
So, you can follow and be in His will  
There is no need to falter, or not be sure  
As you step out in faith and trust more and more*

*This living water, brings life where it flows  
Restoring creation, wherever it goes  
Step into the water, up to your ankle, or knee  
Or plunge into the deepest part and let God set you free!*

*Lynda Banbury (New Forest Healing Rooms)*



## **News from around the Regions**

### **A Note to all Regions**

If you have items that you think may be of interest for the monthly Encounter newsletter please forward these to Carole at HREW headquarters. Items of interest can be about your activities, testimonies, personnel, in fact anything that can be shared with the HREW family.

### **Great News for West Nottingham**

After all the difficulties of the Covid-19 period it is great to be able to bring some good news. A new Healing Rooms location, in West Nottingham, is being planned for opening in September this year. This is really exciting and could be the first of a number of new HR locations within the HREW family.

This new HR will be a traditional one and is not intended to follow the Market Place model. The HR will be headed up by Garry Mace who is currently on team at the North Nottingham HR. The training for the team has been set for the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> of July and will be provided by members of the headquarters group.

I am sure we all wish them well and pray that God will go before them and prepare the ground so that they are both a Beacon and a Blessing in their community.

### **TESTIMONIES**

- I've been wanting to tell you I'm off my anti-anxiety medication. I have had several attempts over the last 2 years but my last visit to the Healing Rooms was the starting point to more dependence on God and less on medication! I've managed 3 weeks now. It's not all been plain sailing but I'm sticking with it.
- I cannot recommend this enough. The Healing Rooms was a complete turn around for me 3 weeks ago. After Covid last September I was left with long Covid and I was healed 3 weeks ago at the Healing Rooms. They pray for physical, emotional and well-being healing.
- A month ago the team prayed for a lady who was suffering from deep anxiety with regard hospital tests and was struggling to even attend important tests at the hospital. As a team we spoke to her about the love of Jesus and she committed her life to the Lord. She felt peace and love and was resolute to face the future with God helping her.

Yesterday she rang me to report that she had had the operation the hospital team had recommended she have, that it had been a good experience and they had used key hole surgery and that she felt so covered by God throughout it all.

I encouraged her to praise God for the journey and for His Love and care and to spend time getting to know Jesus better through the gospel of Luke. She was encouraged and appreciative of Healing Rooms prayers and support. It was such an encouragement to receive her update of God's provision for her.

## TESTIMONY OF GOD'S CARE THROUGH THE VALLEY

- Thank you so so much for your time and prayers this evening. I am just so touched that you met for me and I was so moved by your prayers and words of encouragement. Your meeting for me was another kiss from God! Thank you so much. I will let you know how I get on this week. I feel a peace over me.

Thank you and God bless you all,

## TESTIMONY HEALING FROM MIGRAINE

- The team prayed for a lady who was afflicted by migraine. We prayed for things that had been going on in her life. We asked Holy Spirit what is causing the migraine. We ministered to areas and she rang me yesterday to say that the migraine had completely gone after the prayer session. She was very grateful and was excited to return again to Healing Rooms next time for more prayer with regard to other things. We praised God together for God's Love.

## Unique Book Signing Healing Seminar

at The Greenhouse, 17 Burton Road, Poole,  
Dorset BH13 6DT

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> May, 2022

10.00am-4.00pm

Cost £20. Includes 2 course lunch and all refreshments.

Book through The Greenhouse Christian Centre, Tel: 01202 764776.

Cash payment or by card. Email: [info@the-greenhouse.org](mailto:info@the-greenhouse.org)

Limited to 30 persons only.

Swordtalk book price £12. Creatively illustrated throughout. Pay by card or cash.



## God is Moving!

## IAHM Miracles & Healings Nights

Following the success of the series of Miracles & Healings Nights that started in September 2020 HREW are pleased to announce that we have engaged in a second year-long Healing School for International Association of Healing Ministries (IAHM) where we will be providing monthly online ministry under their umbrella.

Remember, your prayers are important. Please note the new season of Miracles & Healings Nights, ask for God's sovereignty on the events and that there would be increased numbers of guests and that much blessing would flow.

**2022**

26-28 May Presence 2022  
11 June

If you were not able to see the previous Miracles & Healings Nights the evenings can still be viewed on YouTube. The link to access this is on the IAHM website under the heading **Miracles & Healings Nights, select by date.**

[Miracles & Healings Night in English](#) (Ctrl and click)

## **Eternal Wall of Answered Prayer (EWOAP)**



All the HREW testimonies are automatically sent to EWOAP and HREW are developing closer links with this organisation.

### **Eternal Wall Testimony of the month**

“We have a wonderful relationship now and I thank God for answered prayer.”

13<sup>th</sup> Apr 2022

#### ***Answered Prayer #16662***

The relationship between my daughter and I had been fractured since 2009 when my marriage broke down and my former husband and I separated. For no reason at all my daughter didn't want anything to do with me. Over the years I prayed that God would reconcile our relationship but my daughter wanted no contact with me. I tried over years through writing and sending messages but I was asked to leave her alone. All I could do then was pray. My prayers were answered 10 years later in 2019 when the day

before her birthday I took a card round which I'd made. I'd not sent her a card for a few years but I felt God telling me to make her a card. To my surprise she invited me in for a coffee. We chatted and ended up going out for coffee and cake. Since then our relationship has blossomed. We have a wonderful relationship now and I thank God for answered prayer. It says in the bible to be consistent in our prayers, I was consistent for 10 years. Thank you God.

For more information about the Eternal Wall of Answered Prayer see the website:  
[www.eternalwall.org.uk](http://www.eternalwall.org.uk)

## **The HREW Website**

### **Getting Back to “Normal”**

Over the last few months it has been really encouraging to update the website with details of the many Healing Rooms locations that are now re-opening for face to face prayer.

The onset of Covid-19 caused almost wholesale closure of the HR and HR in Costa Coffee locations, using Zoom many locations continued their mission and were able to bring the wonderful message of healing to many, many persons. Believing that period is over and with the country gradually getting back to normal it is great to see the HR beginning to return to “normal”. If you are one of those HR getting back to “normal” and maybe disbanding the Zoom option please make sure the details are correct in your profile pages on the website.

As a matter of interest the number of hits on the website runs at just over 200 per week with a high proportion of first time visitors. The most visited pages are the ones under the main heading of “Healing Rooms Near You”, we infer from that that there are many visitors looking for their local HR.

For those Healing Rooms who don't have their own websites the HREW main website has “Profile Pages” for each of the locations. The Profile Pages can contain all your CONTACT details, an ABOUT page for additional specific details and LATEST NEWS where you can have details posted of events etc. Note also that on the main website there is a calendar that can show events across the whole Healing Rooms family.

If you have items of interest or photographs that you would like on your profile page please contact Brian Chamberlain: [brian.chamberlain@healingrooms.org.uk](mailto:brian.chamberlain@healingrooms.org.uk)

### **BREAKING NEWS:**

Healing Rooms England & Wales are excited to announce that from 4th April we have been publicising The National Prayer Line on the TBN Diary Page on a regular basis.

This is appearing on screen starting with two days per week and is also available to access on the TBN Online Diary Information.

Further information about the work of Healing Rooms England & Wales together with details about The National Prayer Line can be found on the HREW Website with details also included in the TBN Diary.

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**On a different note:**

Never trust atoms; they make up everything.

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## The National Prayer Line

HREW are continuing to offer prayer at various locations, however, at present our dedicated teams will pray for you either online or over the phone. Some of our Healing Rooms that temporarily closed to comply with and support the current Government guidance and legislation have now re-opened. Check 'Healing Rooms Near You' on the website [www.healingrooms.org.uk](http://www.healingrooms.org.uk) to find the ones that have re-opened and for more information and contact details. We have now resumed sending out prayer cloths on request via the website. We are a Christian charity and our members are trained and experienced prayer ministers from a wide range of mainstream Christian churches. It is our desire that all people find healing and wholeness. We aim to help those struggling with life's challenges be they physical, emotional, spiritual or relational. Calls are managed confidentially and are free (except your own call charge).

Prayer requests can be sent by e-mail to: [contact@healingrooms.org.uk](mailto:contact@healingrooms.org.uk)

To see testimonies of what God is doing nationally and receive the latest news about what is happening, follow us on Facebook and Instagram:

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[www.instagram.com/healingroomsenglandandwales](http://www.instagram.com/healingroomsenglandandwales)

If you have a healing need or have a desire to join in this ministry, please make contact either via the website or as shown below:-

HR England and Wales:	The National Prayer Line Days/Times
Main Office Tel: <a href="tel:+44207948085337">+44 (0) 7948 085337</a> Mondays and Thursdays 10:00am-4:00pm  Danesford Community Centre West Road Congleton Cheshire CW12 4EY	Monday-Saturday 10:30am-12:30pm (excluding Bank Holidays)  The number to call is:  <b>03300 889 336</b>

[www.healingrooms.org.uk](http://www.healingrooms.org.uk)

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