

the leader- shift letter



LEADERSHIFT & WAR-ROOM REPORT: 12-14 March 2008

Dear *Leadershift* Friends

We have just finished *Leadershift & War-Room* Wed-Thu last week in Mt Eliza, Melbourne, Australia.

First, the War-Room (Wed). The unanimous response, “This is the best yet!” We are experiencing an unusual sense of comradeship and calling as a team. We spent 9 am – 1.30 or so in personal sharing and prayer for one another. The rest of the day was very spontaneous in discussing the apostolic implementation of the reformational message that we carry, and our response to various national and international opportunities.

Second, the *Leadershift* (Thu-Fri). The full contingent met at Norwood House, Mt Eliza. A number of new people from various states and regulars from across Australia spent 2 days together. Thursday morning we spent in worship and roundtable personal sharing. In the afternoon I taught two sessions on “Changing Our Operating Principle”. We unpacked together the Flesh/Spirit shift from Corinthians with a new diagram which folk found helpful (<http://www.lifemessenger.org/html/Docs2/shift-operating%20principle.ppt>). In my estimation, this is the foundational issue in the contemporary church.

On Friday Richard Holloway taught on “Circumcision of the Heart”, illustrating how this worked out in the dismantling of the old church paradigm in their Launceston congregation. I facilitated the afternoon, nailing and applying this through open discussion and the scriptures, finishing in worship and prophetic declaration over Australia for accelerated change and realignment.

Be sure to register early for October. We are limiting the size of each *Leadershift* to 40 to facilitate personal sharing and dialogue.

God is at work and we are enjoying the privilege of being co-labourers.

Look forward to being together again October 23-24.

Blessings

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