

Treasure Hunt – Nick and Anna’s small group’s story (Anna interviewed by Karen Carr)

Anna: We watched the ‘Finger of God’ DVD and then prayed for boldness to go out onto the streets and for God to bring us into contact with the people he wanted us to meet. A number of us had specific words of knowledge about people, conditions and locations.

Karen: So you all left the prayer room and went hunting for your ‘treasure’! Did you find any?

Anna: The first location we felt we should visit was outside Marks and Spencer. We had had a picture of a South Pacific Islander woman and as we came to that area of town there was a woman sitting on a bench who looked as if she might come from the South Pacific Islands. I went over and said to her, ‘I know this is going to sound strange, but a group of us have been praying today and I saw a picture of your face and I feel God wants to say some things to you. Is there anything I can pray for you?’ She replied, ‘Where do I start?!’ It turned out she had some medical problems and had suffered from post natal depression. I said we were from the King’s Arms and had been seeing people healed from many conditions including depression. I prayed a few simple prayers for her, for healing and joy, and for disappointment to leave her. She was very open, and was amazed and thankful to be prayed for. We then went to another location along the Embankment. I’d had a picture of a left arm that was bandaged and held across the chest. While we were there we saw a man with his left arm bandaged – me and Nick approached him and explained again that we’d been praying and had seen a picture of a bandaged left arm. We asked what he’d done to it, and he said it was because he had kidney failure and had to be hooked up to a machine for dialysis. I was really honest and said that we’d seen lots of miracles at the King’s Arms but not yet seen someone healed of kidney failure, but it had to start somewhere! We offered to pray for him and he accepted, and we prayed a simple prayer of healing. I prayed he would know Jesus as Lord.

Karen: Fantastic – so will you be doing more treasure hunts in future?

Anna: Yes, definitely!