

Our mission is to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ where we live, work, and through prison ministry.

The three R's

The center of our ministry

Redemption: *We believe that prisoners can be saved. Their crime does not disqualify them from salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus.*

Rehabilitation: *We believe that destructive behaviors and distorted mindsets can be changed for good.*

Restoration: *We believe that prisoners can excel and be contributing citizens with the right guidance and encouragement.*

MANY LEVELS OF VOLUNTEER PARTICIPATION

- **EVANGELISM** We share our personal testimonies of how God has worked in our life and the impact it has had on our relationships with Christ through newsletters, pen pals, and outside events. *(No personal contact information is shared with inmates in prison)*
- **COMMUNITY** We help develop **communities** of committed disciples of Jesus Christ, which have local and world-wide impact. We develop cells or clusters in a region, church, or group of churches in taking ownership of the ministry
- **OUTREACH-MENTORING** We have a system in place to train folks in **outreach-mentoring** which assists and helps reintegration for men and women out of prison seeking a new and better life after incarceration.
- **RESOURCES** We work with local and state agencies, churches, and local businesses to assist in getting a person their needed services they so desperately need, like clothing, food, medical services, and housing.

Disciple of Christ Ministries

Post Office Box 221
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***A Spirit Led and Spirit Fed
Ministry***

**Reaching out to the lost and forgotten
inside our Jails & Prisons.**

Changing Lives.

Giving a message of Hope.

Teaching the Word of God.

*We invite you to join
our efforts in*

***“Answering the call to serve
God’s people no matter
where they are located”***

Light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it. – John 1:5

There are fewer places darker than a prison cell. There, separated from all that they ever knew or loved, men and women struggle with feelings of despair and hopelessness. As they search for some sense of meaning and purpose for their lives, they wonder if anyone outside the walls of the prison knows or cares about their struggles.

However, even in the darkest places, there is Light. Sharing the good news of Jesus Christ with those behind bars and offering the hope of true transformation. Using Bible-based programming, and with the help of committed volunteers, lives are being changed, hope is being restored, and darkness is being replaced with the promise of a future.

Since the foundation of Disciple of Christ Ministries were laid in May 2012, we have taken a vision given to me while serving time myself, to now a thriving outreach ministry reaching across the country. We are doing this through Pen Pals for Jesus, our correspondence by mail Prison Ministry. Currently we are serving over 600 hundred inmates across forty-two states, matching them with Christian men and women

volunteers who share hope and encouragement through letters of Christian support.



Sharing the Gospel of Jesus inside our Jails and Prisons since 2012

While society has shunned the prisoners, we will not.

Together we can have an impact in someone's life

- Through the power of the Gospel even the most broken people and situations could be made whole again.
- Those who once broke the law are being transformed to be His Disciples bringing the Gospel to a place of darkness and despair.
- Remember Jesus never forgotten about them. Help us in rebuilding their faith, stop the cycle of crime, and replace it with a cycle of renewal!
- Join our efforts in bringing the Light of Christ and the hope of His Death and Resurrection to those who most have forgotten about.
- Your support of Disciple of Christ Ministries brings amazing awakening of new hope and purpose to men and women behind bars.



For more information you can scan the QR code to visit our website.
www.PenPalsforJesus.org

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT BECOMING ONE OF OUR PEN PALS

Does the inmate have to know my whereabouts?

Absolutely not! In fact, we ask you to use our address here at Disciple of Christ Ministries. You will instruct your inmate pen pal to reply to you (First Name only) c/o Pen Pals for Jesus for your protection. We then put the letter into another envelope and send it on to you.

I do not have anything in common with an inmate. What can I say to them?

You will receive the inmate's information, which includes his or her name, address, birthday, hobbies, and their spiritual needs. Then once you begin corresponding, you will be able to talk about things he/she mentions in the reply to letters, give advice, pray for them, and give them encouragement regarding whatever particular problems they are facing.

Do I have to belong to Disciple of Christ Ministries to be a pen pal?

Not at all. We have pen pals from other churches and some from other States. We welcome all born again believers.

What can I expect to receive out of this ministry?

According to one of our volunteers, "You will receive blessings on top of blessings, new friends, and the joy of being used by God in the life of a needy person."

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