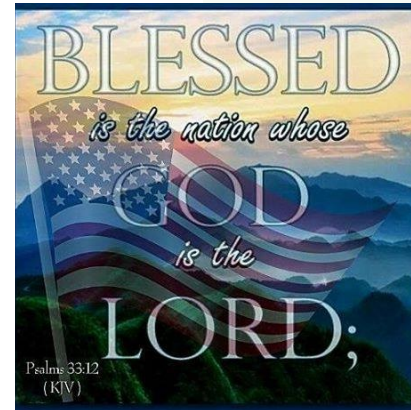




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Current COVID Status:

As most of you already know COVID has hit the various institutions. Several have gone back to former guidelines and we recommend you contact the institution per their guidelines and restrictions.

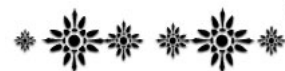
This has created some set backs for various chaplaincy programs and volunteers. We want to encourage you to pray, be patient and plan for upcoming opportunities. You are a valuable resource and encouragement to those inside.

Volunteers Across the State:

Thank you to all the volunteers across the state that teach, preach, counsel, and share to all those behind bars! Before COVID struck again you all were doing an amazing job in all the institutions. Your being there, in any capacity, so richly encourages the men and women and in

“Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord” Ps. 33:12

Trust you all had a blest 4th as the USA celebrated it's 246th Day of Independence! Still the greatest nation on earth. Those of us who have traveled several parts of the world know this to be very true. Thank you, Lord, for blessing us so and putting Your hand of mercy and grace on our nation. May we all be thankful and remember freedom isn't free. It was bought with a price by the men and women who faithfully and sacrificially serve around the world on our behalf. Even so we all have been bought with a price, the precious blood of Jesus “whom the Son sets free is free indeed.”



time, we trust God to raise up so much fruit from your spiritual seed sowing. Many of us today have been sober and serving God for 30 years or more!



TLC Programs Status:

Please be in prayer for the 3 TLC Programs: Palmer, Hiland and Anchorage Correctional Complex. Each has their fair share of obstacles due to COVID and programming.

ACC TLC is doing marvelous with strong chaplains, institutional staff and inmate coordinators. All TLC programming continues but we've not been able to have volunteers as of yet. The men are thriving and God is richly blessing.

The Hiland Mountain Women's TLC Program continues to thrive under the leadership of Chaplain Eileen. What a rich blessing to see as she constantly encourages the women of TLC to grow deeper in their pursuit of God and excel in discipleship.

The Palmer TLC Program continues to grow in numbers under the leadership of Chaplains Silliman and Fernandez. We are grateful PCC Staff allows the TLC program to have House 7 next to the chapel to facilitate all programming at the chapel. Please pray as all the kinks are worked out and the program goes forward.

Thank you to so many who have provided so much of the materials needed to initiate and continue this program.

MentorNet Status:

MentorNet has only been available at the Hiland Facility; but is temporarily shut down due to recent COVID cases. Once COVID subsides it should restart. Thanks to all the ladies who have faithfully participated with Chaplain Eileen in this great program. The ladies of the TLC Program have greatly benefited due to your love, care and sacrifice. To date we've not been able to initiate MentorNet for either ACC nor PCC due to restrictions and delays. We are praying once COVID subsides the doors will open and we can begin the MentorNet program in these institutions.

Don't give up hope, keep praying and we trust God will do a great thing!



Institutional Chaplains:

At every one of the 13 institutions in Alaska there are selfless men and women who are extremely dedicated to ministering to the needy behind the razor wire. These servants of God have sensed the passion and heart of God to daily go to one of the roughest spots in Alaska to share God's Mercy, Grace and Forgiveness. Many church people would never dream of such but these go willingly burning with a passion to share Christ.

Please remember them in prayer and, if so moved upon by the Holy Spirit, adopt one to bless financially. Simply call our office and our Office Manager will share who the Chaplain(s) are at your location.

We are so grateful to each and every one of them.



Prayer Requests & Ministry Needs:

- A. Prayer – We sincerely and deeply request you remember all entailed in ministry behind bars. There is so much the enemy is coming against and we need to be bathed in prayer daily. If you call our office our office manager can give suggestions for what to pray. We believe prayer moves mountains; and believe me there are a lot of mountains in this ministry.
- B. Constant Supplies – To operate within prisons takes lots and lots of materials and equipment. I.e. Computers, monitors, printers, staplers, reams of paper, wireless notepads, legal pads, books, study books, workbooks, pencils, pens...on and on. It has been the faithful of our state who have supplied all this these past 40+ years. Generous people like you. Thank you for caring.
- C. ACM Fundraiser – Please, Please, Please be in prayer for our Annual ACM Fundraiser September 23, 2022 at the Anchorage Baptist Temple. If you get a chance, please let ABT know how grateful you are, because we definitely are, for their allowing us to use their facilities! Pastor Ron and ABT have been so generous and giving to this ministry. We will be giving more details about the fundraiser in the near future. If you are available to assist in this fundraiser please call Karen, our Office Manager, and she will give you a job to do.



From the Director:

Two and a half years ago a tall, dark, handsome man walked into the Anchorage Correctional Complex....broken, shattered, deeply humbled and absolutely without any hope. Though having a form of godliness he had squandered everything on his false, half hearted life feigning Christianity. Due to the confusion of his twisted religiosity his mind told him he had nowhere to go and nothing to live for. Then God ... when a man or women enters prison totally devastated it seems to them there is nothing left. But God begins His plan – orchestrating all circumstances and situations to facilitate His purpose. You see God never gives up, He waits for you and I to give up! God took this man and totally transformed him from wasted, empty slave of a life to a powerful, humble, gracious Holy Ghost filled man of the Living God! I know, because I got to walk each and every step with this man these past 2.5 years! I believe this is what God has in mind for each and every man and women behind bars. It takes coming to Christ, then gut level discipleship; allowing the Holy Spirit to do the total transformational work only HE can do!

Thank you for empowering us to serve the true and living God behind bars. We couldn't do it without each and every one of you.

I'm so tremendously grateful,

Rudy Bosley

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