

Hope For All in Jesus Prison Outreach





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NEWSLETTER FOR SEPTEMBER 2021



From the desk of Chaplain / President, Shelia Johnson

Dear servants and saints of God!

We the Hope For All In Jesus Prison Ministry Outreach family would like to thank you for your faithfulness and your support of this ministry. I want to encourage you to keep your faith in Jesus and never give up, give in, or give out no matter what is happening in your life. God is still in complete control of everything and He cannot and will not fail. I know we are going through trials and tribulation but hold on to your faith in Jesus Christ for we will overcome in the end. Chaplain, Shelia

PRAY FOR OUR NATION 1 Tim 2:1-3, Rom 13:1, Prov 25:4-5 (see these in full below) Lord, we are looking to you for Angelic help in evacuating our people and our faithful allies out of Afghanistan. We also pray for the citizens of that country who have enjoyed, to a great degree, the benefits of freedom. May the Good News of Salvation through Jesus Christ appear even brighter to them as this harsh reminder of bondage is once again forced upon them. For Your Name's sake.



"Be careful for nothing; but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God." Phil 4:6 (KJV)

Prayer requests should be submitted to Chaplain Shelia Johnson ** 281-467-2410 **



PLEASE TAKE A MOMENT TO JOIN US IN PRAYER			
SUBJECT	REQUEST		
TOWN of HOPE	We continue to thank God for His clandestine operations, which are happening beneath the surface. Lord, we are powerless for this task, but our eyes are on You		
Pastors Mozell & E.T.	Prayer for healing of health issues. Unite them in fellowship with the Father		
Gloria Johnson	Thanksgiving for His Divine intervention in her health and wonderful revelation of His power at work in her.		
Wayne & Daisy Turner	Praise God for the healing process that He has begun in Daisy. Let it be complete over her body and soul. Give Wayne overcoming peace that passes all understanding.		
John Earl	Dear Lord, we ask for Our brother, healing in his body, that he should rise up from that ICU bed. Send your comforting angel to Maxine as well.		
Joy Powell	In Jesus magnificent name, Let Joy be renewed in her body. In our spirit, we anoint Joy with the oil of gladness.		

I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service.

As you review the prison visit schedule below. Please consider this; While some physically go and minister to our incarcerated brothers and sisters, and some are supporting with gifts, each according to their ability, I ask that all of us support this ministry with our earnest and fervent prayer for the Holy Spirit to effectively reach the hearts and souls of those being ministered to. Pray for each member of the teams that go into these facilities, will be yielded vessels in The Masters hands and that His Word will be sent forth to accomplish His purposes; we all will be equal sharers in the rewards being stored up for us in Heaven.

These prisons are opened to volunteers with certain restrictions. Virus testing is performed 1 hour before the services, masks must be worn and social distancing. If you have a Vaccine Card, you will still need to get tested for the Covid 19 virus. We will announce when any requirements are lifted.

SEPTEMBER 2021				
5 th 8 am	Clemens Unit	26 th 12:30 pm	Ramsey	
18 th 1 pm	Diboll Unit	26 th 2:30 pm	Stringfellow	
OCTOBER 2021				
3 rd 8 am	Clemens	24 [™] 12:30 pm	Ramsey	
10 th 9 am	Pam Lychner	24 th 2:30 pm	Stringfellow	
24 th 8 am	Jester IV	31 st 9 am	Duncan	
NOVEMBER 2021				
7 th 8 am	Clemens	28 th 2:30 pm	Stringfellow	
20 th 1 pm	Diboll			
28 th 12:30 pm	Ramsey			

NOTE: Times given are actual start times. Please arrive 1 hour early for the virus test.

NOTE: IF YOU'VE HAD THE VACCINE OVER 14 DAYS PAST, YOU CAN BRING YOUR SHOT CARD TO SKIP THE TESTING

CAROL VANCE: Saturday, August 7th, On Friday, Chaplain Shelia was asked to change our schedule from Sunday 8th to Saturday. Ministers John Hammond and Dan Groves went to this unit and ministered to two back-to-back groups, (one group of 58 the second of 51). John gave a revealing message on the biblical locations of the Father the Son and the Holy Spirit. Dan gave an encouraging word about the fullness of Christ inside us.

When the devil possesses a person, he is domineering and controlling.
When God possesses us, we are a prized gem that He shows off.

From: Paster Dowen Johnson

ESTELLE UNIT, HUNTSVILLE: Sunday, August 8th, The Estelle Unit had four services.

The First service had 32 men that attended, with 5 rededicating their life to Christ

The Second service had 36 men. 2 received Christ

The Third service had 67 men. 1 received Christ

And the Fourth service had 36 men. 1 rededicated his life to the Lord. Praise God!

Evangelist: Tom Harris

JESTER IV UNIT: Sunday, August 22nd, Minister Dan Groves went to this unit, which is one of four units on this street, Jester I, II, III & IV. After worship, we prayed for the Word of God to manifest His presence among us and speak directly to our hearts, the message He has for each individual. I gave a message God had prepared in my heart for both these men and myself, which was entitled: ACKNOWLEDGE GOD. It was very well received and the men responded positively. After closing in prayer we had a short time of prayer for individuals. Three men came forward and we prayed the prayer of faith for their needs. At the end of our time, nobody wanted to leave, including myself, but they were required to go out.

RAMSEY UNIT: Sunday, August 22, 2021, I ministered at that Ramsey Unit with 48 men in the



service. This unit has a wonderful worship team with Keyboards, Guitar, Bass, Drums, and Choir. They opened the service with worship songs that ushered in the Presence of the Lord. After worship an inmate gave his testimony of when his mother died of cancer, he blamed God and entered into a life doing and selling drugs. During his time in the Ramsey Unit, he said another prisoner ministered to him and led him to receive Jesus as Lord and Savior. He was so thankful that man had taken the time and effort to minister to him and his life is now changed forever. Also, Michael an inmate who directs the services has been in prison for over 25 years and it's so obvious that he loves

Jesus. I gave the message, "Developing A Relationship with God" and encouraged the men to use their time to draw closer to the Lord. I closed with a prayer for the men to ask Jesus into their hearts or rededicate lives to Him when the service closed.

Minister In Christ, John Hammond

Helpful Man

He never thought of distance; his mind was on the need.
He never reckoned money as a prize worth clinging to;
He said its only value was the good that it could do.
He never stopped to reckon what he'd miss, of joy to stay
And help a fellow-being who was stranded on the wayNever paused to think of pleasures that he'd cherished long and planned.
All he saw was one in trouble who must have a helping hand.
There seemed nothing so important that he wouldn't turn aside
For the man who needed friendship and was really trouble-tried;
He wasn't one to answer, "I have something else to do."
He thought his foremost duty was to help a man he knew.

He never saw the trouble; he only saw the deed
He never thought of sacrifice' his mind was on the need.
And he had this simple motto, which he followed to the end:
"When the other man's in trouble that's the time to be his friend"

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The Town of Hope, a vision that was given to Brother Robert Dubois and Shelia Johnson is in desperate need of your help. We are still in need of your support to the prison ministry and the Town of Hope. I know that times are hard but only what you do for Christ will last. This vision is a Christ thing God gave it and we are praying that more of you would come in agreement with the vision knowing that if God spoke it then He has His stamp of approval on it. Let us not look at how great a task this is because with man it is impossible but with God all things are possible. There is no failure in God and just like He opened the Red Sea for the children of Israel to walk across on dry land and then closed the sea on Pharaoh and his army. He can and will bring this vision to pass. I feel that He is waiting to see just how many of his people will catch the vision and run with it. We pray that each one of you would consider supporting the vision and not only the vision but the prison ministry. We still travel to all the prisons and it takes gas and not only that but it is wear and tear on our vehicles and our bodies. We are not complaining but explaining and asking for your help. We are still in need of volunteers that are willing to go in and preach, sing and pray. If you feel this is for you then call me at the number provided. Always remember Jesus loves you and we do too.

From the editor:

At this time, I would like to make it known, that we need three board members who can commit to raising \$10,000 per year to support this ministry and this vision. You may be, like myself, unable to raise such money from your own personal finances. The money could be raised through a combination of resources. One could be your church or a civic association your involved with. It could also come from donations from friends and family. My bank allows me to round up each purchase from my debit card and send the change to my savings account. We plan to have a similar set-up with an app called <u>roundup</u> that you could name this ministry as a recipient for that change. I make a purchase of \$12.76. My card is charged \$13.00 and the \$0.23 change is credited to the ministry's account. It adds up for the ministry and I never miss it, but will receive a report so that I can claim it on my tax deductions for giving.

1 Tim 2:1-3, I urge then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for everyone; for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness.

Rom 13:1, Everyone must submit himself to the governing authorities, for there is no authority except that which God has established. The authorities that exist have been established by God.

Prov 25:4-5, Remove the dross from the silver, and out comes material for the silversmith; remove the wicked from the king's presence, and his throne will be established through righteousness.