



Hope For All in Jesus Prison Outreach

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“Bringing Hope and Life to the Prisoners”

NEWSLETTER FOR JANUARY 2023



Happy New Year

From the desk of:

CEO / Chaplain Shelia Johnson

"Forgetting The Past" (2022 reaching into 2023) **Phil. 3:13** 'No, dear brothers and sisters, I am still not all I should be, but I am focusing all my energies on this one thing: Forgetting the past and looking forward to what lies ahead," You may be stronger because of your past. You may be wiser because of your past. But you are not who you were in your past! Listen! **Many of us struggle with forgetting.** Often, it's not people doing it to us as much as us beating ourselves up because of stupid mistakes. We think of the past mistakes, sins, and just plain foolish decisions we made, and we cringe. But we cannot focus on that. God took it away when we asked him to, and he is concerned about where we are going and not where we have been or what we have done. Out of all the people he used in the Bible, **He never really talked about what they did in their past** until they were dead and gone. He spoke about their future and their call. He spoke about their purpose and their faith. Let it go my sister and brother. No matter how bad it is or was, God gave you Jesus so you would be able to let it go. **We minimize the cross by carrying past issues and sins** around, taking away from the power of Jesus' blood. Look, Jesus has forgiven, and it's time you forgive yourself, and others, and move on. **Let it go.** Allow God to be God and He will give you a fresh start. People, and your own mind, will recall your history. But the Bible says that **we all have sinned** and come short. **What!** your sin has been done before. But if sin could stop the plan of God, then the death of Jesus was a farce! The bible said that Jesus took the power of death, hell, and the grave when he rose. Hell? That means, that hell has no power over you. That means that **your past sins no longer have the power** to take you there! So, if you have power over sin, then sin has no power. **Your past can't stop you.** Let it go and **move forward in Christ.** Your sins are not hidden, they are **abolished!** **Cast into the sea of forgetfulness,** never to be remembered by God again. But if you talk about it and worry about it, you give it the power to make you suffer. Don't awaken your past with worries and woes. **Let it go and move on.**
Suggested Reading: Psa. 103:12, Heb. 8:12, Heb. 10:17, Rev. 1:18

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CHRISTMAS BANQUET

Hello partners and friends, our 41st Christmas Banquet was truly a blessing. We enjoyed anointed singing from the gospel group New Psalms, preaching, had a few laughs from Chuck the comedian. Our guest speaker **Pastor Horace Moltrie of Power of Praise Lufkin, Texas** brought a mighty word (**Just Chill**), accompanied with songs from their **power of praise team**. I would like to thank everyone that participated and those that were able to attend, for truly it was a blessing.



We want to give a very special Thank You to Rudy De Los Santos and his family for their donation of the catering at this year's Christmas Banquet. The food was very fine and the cake, beautiful.



“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
Pastors Mozell & A.T. Sparks	We continue to lift up their health, particularly Pastor Mozell for her heart recovery. And God bless them for their service
Jesse Turner	Health issues. Jesse has been a strong supporter and active volunteer in this ministry and we bless him in Jesus name with years more of service
Pastor Abe Washington	Together, we pray for Pastor's health and supernatural prosperity
Shelia Mitchell	Lord, we ask in Jesus name that Shelia be completely healed, head to feet
Abraham Joseph	Lord, we ask that your servant will find favor in the court.

JANUARY 2023			
1 st 8 am	Clemens	22 nd 9 am	Ramsey Trustee
1 st 12:30 pm	Estelle	22 nd 3pm	Wainwright Unit
1 st 8 am	Cleveland	29 th 8 am	Carol Vance
8 th 8:30 am	Terrell Trustee	29 th 8 am	Duncan
FEBRUARY 2023			
5 th 8 am	Clemens	19 th 10 am	Murray unit
5 th 12:30	Estelle	26 TH 9 am	Wayne Scott
12 TH 8:30 am	Terrell Trustee	26 th 9 am	Ramsey Trustee
12 th 5:30 pm	Carol Young	26 th 12 noon	Pollunsky Unit
MARCH 2023			
5 TH 8 am	Clemens	25 th 12 noon	Diboll

NOTE: Times given are actual start times. **PLEASE arrive early for the check in process.**

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MINISTRY MEETING: January 21st, 2023, 1pm
Senior Living 435 North Pines, Kingwood, Tx 77339



VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION EVENT

Dan, Ray, Johnnie Mae, and I had the pleasure of attending the volunteer appreciation at the **Wainwright Unit** on December 5 and had a joyous time with some of the inmates. Please, prayer warriors and partners, pray that we get more volunteers and the finances that we need to keep up with the rising cost of going into all these prisons, sharing the Word of God, setting captives free.
Chaplain Shelia Johnson

PRISON VISIT REPORTS

Clemens Trustee Camp On 4th of Dec., ministers Leonard and Cynthia Ventress went in and ministered.

Terrell Trustee Camp Every Tuesday afternoon, Dan Groves has been going to this unit and facilitating lessons in the Voyager program. The men are very responsive and eagerly complete more lessons than required. Discussions are interesting and thoughtful and the Word of God, when I interject it, is welcomed. On the 27th, I was told many men are lining up for the next class when we finish this one. Please pray for Shelia Mitchell who wants to join us in this program, but her health is preventing her. The 6 o'clock class has 3 people facilitating.

Diboll Unit, on 17th of Dec., Pastor John Hammond and Dan Groves went into this unit along with Chaplains Assistant Linda Rogers. Linda held the first part with worship and some words of encouragement. John shared a song, introduced the ministry, and Dan shared the message of **Forgiveness** and how it affects body, soul & spirit. John then invited individuals to come for prayer. The men formed three lines coming forward.

Wayne Scott, (Jester-4) On Dec. 25th, Pastor John Hammond and Dan Groves went into this unit and began to hold service for about 30+ men, (the chapel was packed), then the guard asked if we could move to the gym, since there were 20 more men who wanted to join us. Dan opened with prayer and a short word on the significance of Jesus birth, Then John led us in Silent Night then shared the Christmas story from Luke 2. The gym was very cold,

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