

“WALKING IN THE LIGHT”

Kings Crossing Prison Ministries

A NEWS REVIEW & EDUCATIONAL TOOL OF JAIL-PRISON MINISTRIES IN CHURCHES OF CHRIST

Dr. Dale Underwood, Editor

“Endeavoring to teach the Gospel to every person everywhere before Jesus returns”

Annual Fund Drive Report

The Lord continues to bless and direct this mission field through you and by literally opening doors to prison units and jails. **You gave \$294,317 in this year's 2024 annual drive!**

We always want to be transparent in our reporting to be both good stewards and keep you informed regarding the work of the prison ministry. Buck Griffith often reminds me that it is easy to back a winner because you know your support is being used wisely and successfully. I like the picture (right) as Proverbs 6:6-8, “Go to the ant, you sluggard; consider its ways and be wise! It has no commander, no overseer or ruler, yet it stores up its provisions in summer and gathers its food at harvest.” We are reminded to be industrious, plan ahead, and consider how to maintain a steady ministry in this mission field.



If you want to honor someone or remember them as a memorial gift, please indicate that in your giving. Also, use the “electronic” method of giving via website: www.kingscrossingprisonministries.org. **Thank you! And, please continue to pray for and support this ministry!**

Goals for 2025



Let's turn the page to 2025! Last year, we extended the reach of prison ministry into San Antonio and Hondo by partnering with the Men from the MacArthur Park Church of Christ and in Hondo through brother Ben Rodriguez.

Here are some of our goals for 2025:

- 1) Work with the church in El Paso to initiate ministry at the Sanchez State Jail,
- 2) Develop a team going into the prison in the Connally unit in Kenedy,
- 3) Work with churches in the Houston area to develop teams to go into the Clemens, Jester III, Memorial, and Kegan units.
- 4) Continue to advance the North Texas (Panhandle) initiative activating church volunteers in that area of 14 prison units.
- 5) Produce the “Prison” Bible and get it into the hands of chaplains and prisoners in prison units across Texas, creating thousands of more mail correspondence students.
- 6) Increase number volunteers in current teams to handle rising needs in the Nueces County jails, Robstown GEO federal facility, and begin going into the McConnell unit (the 3rd prison in Beeville).

We are excited to serve! Please continue to pray for and support this ministry!

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Prison Ministry in Robstown Set to Grow in 2025!



It took a year for **Recardo Reyes** to get full clearance to teach the **NewLife Behavior** curriculum in the Coastal Bend Detention Center in Robstown, Texas. After seeing the impact of one 13-week course it is clear why Satan worked so hard.



CBDC Chaplain Curtis Brown

requested that we add two more **NewLife Behavior** courses be taught per week. This would make a total of four classes being taught each week (two men's courses and two women's courses). **Debbie Baugher** and **Karlene Underwood** will be added to our teaching roster.



Chaplain Brown

After the holidays we will be baptizing a man who is serving a 27-year sentence and ex-member of the Mexican Mafia prison gang. In October, eleven women came to Christ after **Debbie Cullin** and **Mered Aguilar** completed the **Christians Against Substance Abuse** course.



Karlene Underwood



Debbie Baugher

It will be exciting to see the impact as we double the courses that will be taught to both the men and

women who are incarcerated at this Federal Prison Unit. **Please continue to pray for this and other prison unit efforts bringing people to Christ!**



Debbie Cullen



Merced Aguilar

Gifts of Remembrance & Gratitude



Many ministry friends find this a meaningful way to remember loved ones and honor persons who have made a difference in their lives – living or not. Whether a person just passed away or died decades ago, it is a marvelous feeling to know that you or a loved one is remembered.

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