

**Texas Department of Criminal Justice
Rehabilitation Programs Division
Department Report**

CHAPLAINCY

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- **Bartlett Unit**

Jan 21-22: Prison Fellowship weekend

- **Beto Unit**

Jan 29: Mission of Ministry semi-annual retreat

- **Briscoe Unit**

Jan 29: Heart of Texas Foundation crusade

- **Central Unit**

Jan 13-15: Greater Zion, Christ Chapel and All Nations Church revival

Jan 22: Prison Fellowship seminar "Prison Culture vs. Kingdom Culture"

- **Cotulla Unit**

Jan 30: Heart of Texas Foundation seminar "Forgiveness"

- **Daniel Unit**

Jan 22-23: Kairos retreat

- **Duncan Unit**

Jan 14-16: John Yaws Ministry crusade

- **Eastham Unit**

Jan 8: Kairos reunion

- **Ferguson Unit**

Jan 29: Betty and Jimmie Hageon marriage seminar

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Hamilton**

Jan 29: Prison Fellowship marriage seminar

- **Havins Unit**

Jan 29: Prison Fellowship seminar “Overcoming Emotional Hurts”

- **Hobby Unit**

Jan 20-22: Rock of Ages crusade

- **Holliday Unit**

Jan 27-29: Rock of Ages crusade

- **Hughes Unit**

Jan 15: Arch-Diocese of Austin Catholic retreat

- **Huntsville Unit**

Jan: Chapel of Hope movie night

Jan: Ephesus Church concert

Jan: Chapel of Hope movie night

- **Johnston Unit**

Jan 6-8: Wild at Heart

Jan 14: Volunteer Appreciation

- **Kyle Unit**

Jan 11: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Jan 18: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Jan 25: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

- **Lockhart Unit**

Jan 15: Kairos retreat

- **Luther Unit**

Jan 29: Howard Meell Ministry praise and concert

- **Lychner Unit**

Jan 29: Prison Fellowship “Knowing God” seminar

- **Lynaugh Unit**

Jan 28-30: People of Principle marriage seminar

- **Neal Unit**

Jan 2: Johnson Chapel AME Church special worship service

Jan 8: Kairos prayer and share

Jan 9: Friona First Baptist Church special worship service

Jan 15: Kairos reunion

Jan 15: Faith Clinic Ministry special worship service

Jan 16: Kairos reunion

Jan 16: Believers Faith Ministry special worship service

Jan 22: Kairos prayer and share

Jan 22: Comanche Trail Church of Christ special worship service

Jan 23: Take Up Your Cross Ministry special worship service

Jan 29: Level Ground Ministry special worship service

Jan 29: Kairos prayer and share

Jan 30: Comanche Trail Church of Christ special worship service

- **Plane Unit**

Jan 14-15: Lighthouse Church “Disciple 101” seminar

Jan 21-23: Sisters of Mary Magdalene retreat

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CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Segovia Unit**

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- **Smith Unit**

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- **Stevenson Unit**

Jan 8-12: Kairos reunion

- **Telford Unit**

Jan 15: United Methodist Church Residents Encounter Christ reunion

- **Wallace Unit**

Jan 8: Kairos reunion

Jan 22: People of Principle marriage seminar

Jan 27: Kairos weekend

- **Ware Unit**

Jan 22: People of Principle marriage seminar

Jan 28-29: Conquering Ground Prison Ministries “Renewing the Mind” seminar

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

- Chaplaincy staff members attended volunteer banquets for the Plane, Henley and Polunsky units.

GOVERNMENTAL LIAISON FOR FAITH AND COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMS

- Number of contacts with faith and community based organizations
2436
- Number of meetings attended related to faith and community based organizations
115

ISSUES

- There is on-going communication with Chaplains and volunteer groups on the operation of faith-based dorms at the following units:

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| Allred | Jester III |
| Beto | Kegans |
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| Darrington | Montford |
| Dawson | Murray |
| Dominguez | Ney |
| Eastham | Plane |
| Estes | Polunsky |
| Ferguson | Terrell |
| Goree | Torres |
| Hobby | Travis |
| Hutchins | Wynne |

CURRENT ACTION PLANS

Current Action Plans: None

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

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CIRC Update for January 2011

Bradshaw / Henderson

January 20, 2011 - The donor group has filmed a DVD to distribute to churches and other organizations to assist in raising money for this project. They state that things have not moved as fast as they would like.

Eastham Unit / Lovelady

January 20, 2011 - Marvin Dunbar, Janice Ulmer, Chaplain Drum, Warden Bell, Assist Warden Oliver and Keith Norman met at the Eastham Unit on January 13, 2011. The objective of the meeting was to update the new unit warden and address any concerns from the unit warden and the Mr. Norman (donor). Mr. Norman submitted a list of all renovations he planned for the gym. Mr. Norman stated he will provide all the labor (licensed electricians, plumbers, and contractors) and materials except for the power supply from outside the fence to the unit. Warden Bell requested that the electrical line be placed under the unit fencing rather than over the fence as originally discussed. Mr. Inmon had discussed the submission of a new Major Work Request containing the details of the work the donor will be providing and the work TDCJ will have to perform. To date, running the power from outside the fence to a pole on the unit for the A/C units and drawings for electrical work is all that is requested for TDCJ to perform. Donor group will install 4 10-ton AC units, 3 window units from office and 2 classrooms, 10 ceiling fans, build office, 2 classrooms, storage rooms and female bathroom, install insulation in ceiling and stain treatment on floor. Facilities also brought up that 36 inch doors would be more appropriate for the office and classrooms. Janice Ulmer will notify Mr. Norman of this change.

Jordan Unit / Pampa

January 20, 2011 - Mack Grant reports that the completion date has been moved to April 15th. The unit has volunteered to do the work required if the contractor will furnish the materials, i.e. fencing, posts, concrete. The price is down from \$14,000 to \$8,500. The donor group is still expecting reimbursement for the materials. Mr. Dunbar will bring this situation to Administration and Office of General Counsel for an opinion. On February 15th, this office has received information from the Donor group that they will pay for the change order on the fencing and the sidewalks.

Lychner / Humble

January 20, 2011 - No update at this time

Robertson / Abilene

January 20, 2011 - No update

Rudd Unit / Brownfield

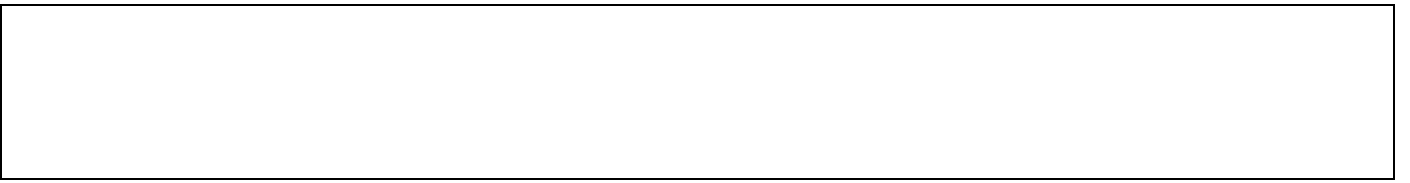
January 20, 2011 - The Donor group is asking under what circumstances is the payment or performance bond waived. The donor group was also asking about lowering the cost by letting the contractors work more hours in a day (day light to dark). Mr. Dunbar called the unit warden and the warden stated he could possibly let the contractor work 4 ten hour days.

San Saba / San Saba

January 20, 2011 - Donor states no updates at this time.

Torres Unit / Hondo

January 20, 2011 - The donor group is still fund raising.



Work Measures

| Monthly Report for January 2011 | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|---|----------------|--------------|
| Work Measures | | |
| Volunteer Chaplain Visits | 3,094 | 13,460 |
| Hrs. Worked by Volunteer Chaplains | 12,799 | 56,624 |
| Life Changes Academy Track I - Speciality Programs | | |
| Svori | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 30 | 496 |
| Volunteer Hours | 67 | 1,094 |
| Offenders attending | 90 | 16,828 |
| InnerChange | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 3,255 | 14,839 |
| Volunteer Hours | 6,466 | 31,659 |
| Offenders attending | 64,802 | 294,393 |
| Grad | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 40 | 106 |
| Volunteer Hours | 40 | 108 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 2 |
| YOP | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 90 | 664 |
| Volunteer Hours | 293 | 7,608 |
| Offenders attending | 6,333 | 28,183 |
| Operation Rebound | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 72 | 305 |
| Volunteer Hours | 276 | 1,186 |
| Offenders attending | 1,851 | 8,377 |
| Faith Based Dorms | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 1,417 | 7,849 |
| Volunteer Hours | 6,486 | 45,756 |
| Offenders attending | 59,772 | 364,730 |
| Life Changes Academy Track II - Mentor | | |
| Mentor visits | 1,380 | 6,128 |
| Offenders visited | 19,479 | 88,422 |
| Life Changes Academy Track III - Family Programs | | |
| Family Events | | |
| - events conducted | 15 | 89 |
| - volunteers attending | 55 | 202 |
| - volunteer hours | 985 | 4,491 |
| - family members attending | 4,044 | 10,013 |
| Marriage Programs | | |
| - events held | 26 | 122 |
| - volunteers attending | 138 | 333 |
| - volunteer hours | 796 | 1,655 |
| - offenders attending | 2,073 | 4,593 |
| - spouses attending | 492 | 840 |
| Parenting Programs | | |
| - events held | 15 | 149 |
| - volunteers attending | 134 | 725 |
| - offenders attending | 4,193 | 18,775 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 0 |
| Other Family Programs | | |
| - programs held | 54 | 226 |
| - volunteers attending | 36 | 277 |

| | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| - offenders attending | 468 | 2,996 |
| - family members attending | 81 | 6,207 |
| Visiting Room/Hospitality ministry | | |
| - volunteers attending | 241 | 1,081 |
| - volunteer hours | 824 | 3,879 |
| Life Changes Academy Track IV - Rehabilitation Programs | | |
| Life Skills | | |
| - classes held | 846 | 5,393 |
| - Volunteers attending | 2,815 | 9,196 |
| - Volunteer hours | 5,668 | 24,557 |
| - Offenders attending | 50,832 | 206,616 |
| Support Groups | | |
| - classes held | 456 | 1,930 |
| - Volunteers attending | 724 | 3,232 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,794 | 8,031 |
| - Offenders attending | 23,545 | 115,628 |
| Education Programs | | |
| - classes held | 204 | 979 |
| - Volunteers attending | 878 | 2,976 |
| - Volunteer hours | 2,766 | 9,455 |
| - Offenders attending | 32,704 | 114,383 |
| Life Changes Academy Track V - Reentry Programs | | |
| - classes held | 277 | 1,846 |
| - Volunteers attending | 901 | 3,620 |
| - Volunteer hours | 2,112 | 33,807 |
| - Offenders attending | 31,662 | 142,246 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VI - Spiritual Growth Programs | | |
| Primary Worship Services | | |
| - services held | 2,499 | 12,172 |
| - volunteers attending | 8,975 | 37,863 |
| - offenders attending | 703,626 | 3,118,364 |
| Additional Services | | |
| - services held | 836 | 4,476 |
| - volunteers attending | 1,716 | 8,163 |
| - offenders attending | 123,775 | 597,056 |
| Spiritual Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 2,644 | 12,385 |
| - volunteers attending | 12,292 | 64,525 |
| - offenders attending | 588,567 | 3,352,458 |
| Crusades | | |
| - Crusades held | 28 | 204 |
| - volunteers attending | 38 | 1,301 |
| - offenders attending | 11,952 | 180,593 |
| Other Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 321 | 1,593 |
| - volunteers attending | 3,693 | 16,770 |
| - offenders attending | 190,921 | 1,120,030 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VII - Non-Spiritual Programs | | |
| Classes meeting | 163 | 708 |
| Volunteers attending | 1,570 | 6,915 |
| offenders attending | 37,026 | 209,878 |

**Staff Chaplain's Work Measures
Monthly Report for January 2011**

| Staff Chaplains | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|-----------------------|---------------------|
| UCC sessions participated in | 102 | 653 |
| Classes/Study groups led | 698 | 3555 |
| Offenders attending | 20797 | 109010 |
| Worship Services led | 742 | 3480 |
| Offenders attending | 65987 | 319541 |
| Primary Muslim Svcs Conducted on Unit | 551 | 2929 |
| Offenders attending | 12311 | 61740 |
| Add'l Muslim Svcs/Class Conducted on Unit | 710 | 3712 |
| Offenders attending | 11862 | 68663 |
| Total Programs supervised | 6462 | 32828 |
| Ministerial Visits Facilitated | 357 | 2480 |
| I-60's Answered | 34199 | 169533 |
| Counseling groups led | 265 | 1291 |
| Counseling interviews (15 min. or longer) | 3865 | 21754 |
| Offender contacts (less than 15 min.) | 42656 | 222812 |
| Offender family emergency messages delivered | 1545 | 7430 |
| Offender phone calls supervised | 1705 | 8907 |
| Phone calls made on behalf of offenders | 1330 | 6088 |
| Offender family phone calls received | 2352 | 23015 |
| Offender family letters written | 110 | 498 |
| Offender family letters received | 69 | 376 |
| Offender deaths worked | 46 | 224 |
| Approved volunteers supervised | 11748 | 60261 |
| Training hrs. conducted | 276 | 1289 |
| Hrs. TDCJ training received | 757 | 3072 |
| Hrs. Denom training received | 164 | 1361 |
| Hrs. of Continuing Education | 204 | 888 |
| Hrs. of Staff Ministry performed | 1207 | 6372 |
| USSO/Post Trauma Team hrs. | 42 | 170 |
| Safe Prison Program hrs. | 59 | 284 |
| Hrs. of Community Service | 368 | 1708 |
| Speaking engagements | 139 | 593 |

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- **Boyd Unit**

Feb 24-26: Rock of Ages crusade

- **Briscoe Unit**

Feb 5: Prison Fellowship seminar "Christian Basics"

- **Central Unit**

Feb 9: Vietnamese New Year special worship service

Feb 18-19: Standing in Faith Ministries Men's Empowerment Retreat

- **Connally Unit**

Feb 24-27: Retreat Prison Ministry spiritual walk

- **Eastham Unit**

Feb 12: Kairos reunion

Feb 26: Jimmie and Bettie Hageon marriage seminar

- **Ferguson Unit**

Feb 11-13: Warriors for Christ revival

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Ft. Stockton**

Feb 25-26: Texas Baptist Men Experiencing God weekend

- **Goodman**

Feb 6: The Answer Prison Ministry concert and worship

- **Goree**

Feb 25-26: Texas Baptist Men Experiencing God weekend

- **Havins Unit**

Feb 12: Prison Fellowship marriage seminar

- **Hilltop Unit**

Feb 17-20: Discipleship Unlimited crusade

- **Huntsville Unit**

Feb 5: The Little's Ministry concert and worship

Feb 6: Unchained Ministry special worship service

Feb 12: Kairos prayer and share

Feb 19: Ephesus Church concert and worship

Feb 19: Kairos prayer and share

Feb 26: Kairos prayer and share and reunion

Feb 28: Prison Fellowship seminar "God's Plan for Parenting"

- **Hutchins Unit**

Feb 16-19: Kairos weekend

- **Johnston Unit**

Feb 18-19: Residents Encounter Christ

Feb 29: Residents Encounter Christ

- **Kyle Unit**

Feb 1: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Feb 8: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Feb 15: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Feb 22: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

- **Luther Unit**

Feb 13: Hector Bustillo Spanish Prison Ministry praise and worship

- **Mountain View Unit**

Feb 17-20: Discipleship Unlimited crusade

- **Neal Unit**

Feb 5: Level Ground Ministry special worship service

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- **Robertson Unit**

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CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Rudd Unit**

Feb 12: Kairos reunion

- **Sayle Unit**

Feb 26-27: Unchained Life Ministries revival

- **Segovia Unit**

Feb 26: Kairos reunion

- **Smith Unit**

Feb 12-13: People of Principle marriage seminar

- **Stevenson Unit**

Feb 5: Kairos reunion

- **Stringfellow Unit**

Feb 19: Prison Fellowship marriage seminar

- **Telford Unit**

Feb 26: Cavalry Commission Day with Dad

- **Terrell Unit**

Feb 18-20: People of Principle marriage seminar

- **Wallace Unit**

Feb 5: Kairos reunion

- **Ware Unit**

Feb 11-12: Prison Fellowship seminar "Free at Last"

- **Willacy Unit**

Feb 7-8: International School of Christ revival

- **Woodman Unit**

Feb 10-13: Discipleship Unlimited crusade

Feb 25-26: Set Them Free Ministry seminar "Princess Warrior"

Feb 19: Discipleship Unlimited special worship with Hawaiian guests

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

- Chaplaincy staff members attended the Hospitality House 25th Anniversary celebration. The Hospitality House partners with TDCJ to provide lodging and ministry to offender families visiting the Huntsville area, as well as making accommodations and providing ministry for offender families during executions.
- During the month of February the Chaplaincy Department implemented a faith-based dorm at the Hightower Unit.
- A Chaplaincy staff member attended the Baptist Men of Texas board meeting.
- A Chaplaincy staff member attended an Islamic Community Meeting at Masjid Warith Deen Muhammad in Houston, Texas to speak about the needs for Islamic volunteers in TDCJ.

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No CIRC Update for February 2011

Work Measures - February 2011

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| Hrs. Worked by Volunteer Chaplains | 11,836 | 68,460 |
| Life Changes Academy Track I – Specialty Programs | | |
| Svori | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 12 | 508 |
| Volunteer Hours | 21 | 1,115 |
| Offenders attending | 30 | 16,858 |
| InnerChange | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 2,990 | 17,829 |
| Volunteer Hours | 5,876 | 37,535 |
| Offenders attending | 52,468 | 346,861 |
| Grad | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 22 | 128 |
| Volunteer Hours | 28 | 136 |
| Offenders attending | 6 | 8 |
| YOP | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 63 | 727 |
| Volunteer Hours | 260 | 7,868 |
| Offenders attending | 2,418 | 30,601 |
| Operation Rebound | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 42 | 347 |
| Volunteer Hours | 140 | 1,326 |
| Offenders attending | 1,035 | 9,412 |
| Faith Based Dorms | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 1,353 | 9,202 |
| Volunteer Hours | 5,172 | 50,928 |
| Offenders attending | 56,445 | 421,175 |
| Life Changes Academy Track II - Mentor | | |
| Mentor visits | 1,440 | 7,568 |
| Offenders visited | 38,422 | 126,844 |
| Life Changes Academy Track III - Family Programs | | |
| Family Events | | |
| - events conducted | 25 | 114 |
| - volunteers attending | 27 | 229 |
| - volunteer hours | 792 | 5,283 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 10,013 |
| Marriage Programs | | |
| - events held | 27 | 149 |
| - volunteers attending | 84 | 417 |
| - volunteer hours | 609 | 2,264 |
| - offenders attending | 849 | 5,442 |
| - spouses attending | 96 | 936 |
| Parenting Programs | | |
| - events held | 47 | 196 |
| - volunteers attending | 361 | 1,086 |
| - offenders attending | 9,620 | 28,395 |
| - family members attending | 5,040 | 5,040 |
| Other Family Programs | | |
| - programs held | 39 | 265 |
| - volunteers attending | 93 | 370 |

| | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| - offenders attending | 1,773 | 4,769 |
| - family members attending | 918 | 7,125 |
| Visiting Room/Hospitality ministry | | |
| - volunteers attending | 239 | 1,320 |
| - volunteer hours | 1,018 | 4,897 |
| Life Changes Academy Track IV - Rehabilitation Programs | | |
| Life Skills | | |
| - classes held | 820 | 6,213 |
| - Volunteers attending | 1,744 | 10,940 |
| - Volunteer hours | 5,169 | 29,726 |
| - Offenders attending | 40,283 | 246,899 |
| Support Groups | | |
| - classes held | 436 | 2,366 |
| - Volunteers attending | 708 | 3,940 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,593 | 9,624 |
| - Offenders attending | 23,454 | 139,082 |
| Education Programs | | |
| - classes held | 169 | 1,148 |
| - Volunteers attending | 615 | 3,591 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,854 | 11,309 |
| - Offenders attending | 21,563 | 135,946 |
| Life Changes Academy Track V - Reentry Programs | | |
| - classes held | 343 | 2,189 |
| - Volunteers attending | 798 | 4,418 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,794 | 35,601 |
| - Offenders attending | 33,606 | 175,852 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VI - Spiritual Growth Programs | | |
| Primary Worship Services | | |
| - services held | 2,125 | 14,297 |
| - volunteers attending | 7,346 | 45,209 |
| - offenders attending | 249,983 | 3,368,347 |
| Additional Services | | |
| - services held | 829 | 5,305 |
| - volunteers attending | 1,584 | 9,747 |
| - offenders attending | 114,826 | 711,882 |
| Spiritual Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 2,136 | 14,521 |
| - volunteers attending | 10,817 | 75,342 |
| - offenders attending | 462,126 | 3,814,584 |
| Crusades | | |
| - Crusades held | 29 | 233 |
| - volunteers attending | 534 | 1,835 |
| - offenders attending | 134,946 | 315,539 |
| Other Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 317 | 1,910 |
| - volunteers attending | 3,527 | 20,297 |
| - offenders attending | 144,337 | 1,264,367 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VII - Non-Spiritual Programs | | |
| Classes meeting | 116 | 824 |
| Volunteers attending | 1,862 | 8,777 |
| offenders attending | 110,103 | 319,981 |

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| Staff Chaplains | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
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| UCC sessions participated in | 108 | 761 |
| Classes/Study groups led | 779 | 4334 |
| Offenders attending | 19241 | 128251 |
| Worship Services led | 714 | 4194 |
| Offenders attending | 61533 | 381074 |
| Primary Muslim Services Conducted on Unit | 500 | 3429 |
| Offenders attending | 10385 | 72125 |
| Additional Muslim Services/Class Conducted on Unit | 579 | 4291 |
| Offenders attending | 10117 | 78780 |
| Total Programs Supervised | 6133 | 38961 |
| Ministerial Visits Facilitated | 790 | 3270 |
| I-60's Answered | 32803 | 202336 |
| Counseling groups led | 415 | 1706 |
| Counseling interviews (15 min. or longer) | 3886 | 25640 |
| Offender contacts (less than 15 min.) | 40600 | 263412 |
| Offender family emergency messages delivered | 1692 | 9122 |
| Offender phone calls supervised | 1855 | 10762 |
| Phone calls made on behalf of offenders | 1455 | 7543 |
| Offender family phone calls received | 2634 | 25649 |
| Offender family letters written | 96 | 594 |
| Offender family letters received | 54 | 430 |
| Offender deaths worked | 28 | 252 |
| Approved volunteers supervised | 11339 | 71600 |
| Training hrs. conducted | 248 | 1537 |
| Hours TDCJ training received | 876 | 3948 |
| Hours Denominational training received | 201 | 1562 |
| Hours of Continuing Education | 234 | 1122 |
| Hours of Staff Ministry performed | 1234 | 7606 |
| USSO/Post Trauma Team hrs. | 46 | 216 |
| Safe Prison Program hrs. | 73 | 357 |
| Hours of Community Service | 385 | 2093 |
| Speaking engagements | 137 | 730 |

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- **Boyd Unit**

Mar 3-6: Kairos walk

- **Clements Unit**

Mar 17-20: Kairos retreat

- **Cleveland Unit**

Mar 4: Bill Glass crusade

- **Cotulla Unit**

Mar 11-12: Prison Fellowship seminar “Winning with Christ”

- **Daniel Unit**

Mar 17-20: Kairos weekend

- **Ellis Unit**

Mar 5: Bill Glass crusade

- **Ferguson Unit**

Mar 22-24: Straight from the Heart Ministry “Truth” seminar

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Ft. Stockton Unit**

Mar 25-27: People of Principle marriage seminar

- **Goodman Unit**

Mar 4-6: Pathmark Ministries revival

March 19-20: Unchained Ministries spiritual retreat

- **Goree Unit**

Mar 7: Bill Glass crusade

- **Halbert Unit**

Mar 26: Prison Fellowship seminar “Healing Emotional Hurts”

- **Hamilton Unit**

Mar 19: Churches of Christ of Bryan and College Station, TX Family Day

- **Henley Unit**

Mar 10-12: Mike Barber crusade

- **Hodge Unit**

Mar 3-5: Thrift Family revival

- **Huntsville Unit**

Mar 14-15: Prison Fellowship seminar “God’s Plan for Parenting”

Mar 18-20: Kairos walk

Mar 19: Ephesus Church concert and worship

Mar 26: Kairos prayer and share

Mar 27: Columbus Avenue Baptist Church choir and worship service

- **Johnston Unit**

Mar 10-13: Bill Glass crusade

- **Luther Unit**

Mar 4: Bill Glass crusade

- **Lychner Unit**

Mar 3-4: Bill Glass crusade

- **Lynaugh Unit**

Mar 25-27: People of Principle marriage seminar

- **C. Moore Unit**

Mar 10-12: Rock of Ages crusade

- **Pack Unit**

Mar 3-5: John Yaws Ministry crusade

Mar 10: Ronnie Warren Ministry concert and worship

Mar 19: Prison Fellowship marriage seminar

- **Plane Unit**

Mar 5: Life Seeking Ministry “Anger Management” seminar

Mar 19: Prison Fellowship “HOPE” seminar

Mar 26: Prison Fellowship “HIRE” seminar

- **Polunsky Unit**

Mar 3-5: Bill Glass crusade

- **Ramsey Unit**

Mar 4-5: In The Gap Prison Ministry crusade

- **Roach Unit**

Mar 19-20: Raymon Cantu Prison Ministries revival

- **Robertson Unit**

Mar 12: Kairos prayer and share

- **Rudd Unit**

Mar 17-20: Kairos reunion

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Sayle Unit**

Mar 6: Up From the Dust Ministry revival

- **Segovia Unit**

Mar 17-20: Kairos walk

Mar 26: Kairos reunion

- **Stevenson Unit**

Mar 5: Kairos reunion

- **Telford Unit**

Mar 19-20: Spanish Ministry Bible conference

- **Terrell Unit**

Mar 26: Prisoners of Christ drama "Heaven or Hell"

- **Wallace Unit**

Mar 5: Kairos reunion

Mar 11-12: Prison Fellowship marriage seminar

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

- Chaplaincy staff attended volunteer appreciation banquets for the Gatesville units and the Plane and Henley State Jails.

GOVERNMENTAL LIAISON FOR FAITH AND COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMS

- Number of contacts with faith and community based organizations
438
- Number of meetings attended related to faith and community based organizations
79

ISSUES

- There is on-going communication with Chaplains and volunteer groups on the operation of faith-based dorms at the following units:

| | |
|------------|---------------|
| Allred | Jester III |
| Beto | Kegans |
| Bradshaw | Lindsey |
| Bridgeport | Lockhart |
| Connally | Mineral Wells |
| Darrington | Montford |
| Dawson | Murray |
| Dominguez | Ney |
| Eastham | Plane |
| Estes | Polunsky |
| Ferguson | Terrell |
| Goree | Torres |
| Hightower | Travis |
| Hobby | Vance |
| Hutchins | Wynne |

CURRENT ACTION PLANS

Current Action Plans: None

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

The Chaplaincy Department of the Rehabilitation and Reentry Programs Division is committed to promoting an atmosphere, which allows those desiring spiritual wholeness, the necessary conditions for experiencing such. Emphasis is placed on the promotion and encouragement of family ties as well as other positive relationships, which will assist in the reintegration of offenders into society. Through the provision of religious services, one-on-one ministry, counseling and encouragement, offenders are given the capability of coping with the pressures, pain and consequently the reality of daily living. Chaplaincy, at the unit level, is dependent upon offender population and is staffed accordingly. Accommodations for unit Chaplaincy needs are based on such factors as population size and faith orientation. Unit programming is dependent on space and time allotment.

CIRC Update for March 2011

Bradshaw / Henderson

March 30, 2011 - The donor group has filed for their 501 (c)(3) and have completed a DVD showing a worship service as an avenue for fundraising. They will be distributing this DVD to ministries, churches and other faith-based organizations.

Eastham Unit / Lovelady

March 30, 2011 - Mr. Inmon had a meeting scheduled with Mr. Norman (donor) to get the exact wording for a new Major Work Request for the gum renovation project but due to a family emergency, the meeting has been

postponed.

Jordan Unit / Pampa

March 30, 2011 - The Pre-final Inspection is scheduled for April 13th and the Final Inspection is scheduled for April 20, 2011. Kairos is donating eight 72" round tables and four 6' x 4' rectangular tables to be used in the new multipurpose facility. The Jordan Chapel Builders are receiving a Governor's Volunteer Award on April 8th in Austin for their much appreciated volunteer services. The dedication for the new multipurpose building is scheduled for May 25th, 2011.

Lychner / Humble

March 30, 2011 - No update at this time

Robertson / Abilene

March 30, 2011 - No update at this time

Rudd Unit / Brownfield

March 30, 2011 - The donor group has hired a firm to assist with the fundraising for their project.

San Saba / San Saba

March 30, 2011 - No status to report

Torres Unit / Hondo

March 30, 2011 - Still raising funds with a little success

Work Measures

| Monthly Report for March 2011 | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|---|----------------|--------------|
| Volunteer Chaplain visits | 3,432 | 19,771 |
| Hours worked by Volunteer Chaplains | 14,700 | 83,161 |
| Life Changes Academy Track I - Speciality Programs | | |
| Svori | | |
| Volunteer visits | 59 | 567 |
| Volunteer vours | 347 | 1,463 |
| Offenders attending | 14,256 | 31,114 |
| InnerChange | | |
| Volunteer visits | 4,340 | 22,169 |
| Volunteer hours | 10,038 | 47,573 |
| Offenders attending | 81,289 | 428,150 |
| Grad | | |
| Volunteer visits | 9 | 137 |
| Volunteer hours | 13 | 149 |
| Offenders attending | 33 | 41 |
| YOP | | |
| Volunteer visits | 17 | 744 |
| Volunteer hours | 44 | 7,912 |
| Offenders attending | 255 | 30,856 |
| Operation Rebound | | |
| Volunteer visits | 57 | 404 |
| Volunteer hours | 230 | 1,556 |
| Offenders attending | 1,494 | 10,906 |
| Faith Based Dorms | | |
| Volunteer visits | 2,116 | 11,318 |
| Volunteer hours | 11,584 | 62,511 |
| Offenders attending | 99,574 | 520,749 |
| Life Changes Academy Track II - Mentor | | |
| Mentor visits | 1,829 | 9,397 |
| Offenders visited | 36,041 | 162,885 |
| Life Changes Academy Track III - Family Programs | | |
| Family Events | | |
| - Events conducted | 19 | 133 |
| - Volunteers attending | 12 | 241 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,052 | 6,335 |
| - Family members attending | 225 | 10,238 |
| Marriage Programs | | |
| - Events held | 25 | 174 |
| - Volunteers attending | 78 | 495 |
| - Volunteer hours | 304 | 2,568 |
| - Offenders attending | 1,200 | 6,642 |
| - Spouses attending | 495 | 1,431 |
| Parenting Programs | | |
| - Events held | 30 | 226 |
| - Volunteers attending | 180 | 1,266 |
| - Offenders attending | 3,885 | 32,280 |
| - Family members attending | 0 | 5,040 |
| Other Family Programs | | |
| - Programs held | 59 | 324 |
| - Volunteers attending | 54 | 424 |

| | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| - Offenders attending | 1,437 | 6,206 |
| - Family members attending | 114 | 7,239 |
| Visiting Room/Hospitality ministry | | |
| - Volunteers attending | 232 | 1,552 |
| - Volunteer hours | 909 | 5,806 |
| Life Changes Academy Track IV - Rehabilitation Programs | | |
| Life Skills | | |
| - Classes held | 1,039 | 7,252 |
| - Volunteers attending | 2,125 | 13,065 |
| - Volunteer hours | 6,123 | 35,849 |
| - Offenders attending | 57,289 | 304,188 |
| Support Groups | | |
| - Classes held | 455 | 2,821 |
| - Volunteers attending | 1,000 | 4,940 |
| - Volunteer hours | 2,579 | 12,203 |
| - Offenders attending | 38,099 | 177,181 |
| Education Programs | | |
| - Classes held | 231 | 1,379 |
| - Volunteers attending | 1,092 | 4,683 |
| - Volunteer hours | 3,350 | 14,659 |
| - Offenders attending | 56,463 | 192,409 |
| Life Changes Academy Track V - Reentry Programs | | |
| - Classes held | 338 | 2,527 |
| - Volunteers attending | 921 | 5,339 |
| - Volunteer hours | 2,291 | 37,892 |
| - Offenders attending | 31,776 | 207,628 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VI - Spiritual Growth Programs | | |
| Primary Worship Services | | |
| - Services held | 2,433 | 16,730 |
| - Volunteers attending | 9,061 | 54,270 |
| - Offenders attending | 732,736 | 4,101,083 |
| Additional Services | | |
| - Services held | 825 | 6,130 |
| - Volunteers attending | 2,157 | 11,904 |
| - Offenders attending | 168,088 | 879,970 |
| Spiritual Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 2,774 | 17,295 |
| - Volunteers attending | 16,920 | 92,262 |
| - Offenders attending | 730,728 | 4,545,312 |
| Crusades | | |
| - Crusades held | 44 | 277 |
| - Volunteers attending | 336 | 2,171 |
| - Offenders attending | 53,829 | 369,368 |
| Other Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 337 | 2,247 |
| - Volunteers attending | 3,934 | 24,231 |
| - Offenders attending | 176,784 | 1,441,151 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VII - Non-Spiritual Programs | | |
| - Classes meeting | 138 | 962 |
| - Volunteers attending | 2,224 | 11,001 |
| - Offenders attending | 73,909 | 393,890 |

Staff Chaplain's Work Measures**Report for March 2011**

| Staff Chaplains | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|-----------------------|---------------------|
| UCC sessions participated in | 121 | 882 |
| Classes/Study groups led | 794 | 5128 |
| Offenders attending | 20632 | 148883 |
| Worship services led | 661 | 4855 |
| Offenders attending | 83331 | 464405 |
| Primary Muslim Services conducted | 552 | 3981 |
| Offenders attending | 11122 | 83247 |
| Additional Muslim Services/Classes conducted | 646 | 4937 |
| Offenders attending | 12125 | 90905 |
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| Offender family emergency messages delivered | 1756 | 10878 |
| Offender phone calls supervised | 2119 | 12881 |
| Phone calls made on behalf of offenders | 1416 | 8959 |
| Offender family phone calls received | 2676 | 28325 |
| Offender family letters written | 89 | 683 |
| Offender family letters received | 80 | 510 |
| Offender deaths worked | 32 | 284 |
| Approved volunteers supervised | 13069 | 84669 |
| Training hours conducted | 238 | 1775 |
| Hours TDCJ training received | 261 | 4209 |
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- **Baten Unit**

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- **Beto Unit**

Apr 23: Achor Restoration Ministry marriage seminar

Apr 23: Achor Restoration Ministry Day with Dad

- **Briscoe Unit**

Apr 9: Prison Fellowship seminar "New Life in Christ"

- **Byrd Unit**

Apr 9: Sonlight Fellowship special worship service

- **Central Unit**

April 1: Fort Bend Prison Ministry movie "Passion of the Christ"

April 22: Sugar Creek Church Good Friday special service

Apr 29: Church of the Called Out Ones special worship service

- **Coffield Unit**

Apr 4-7: Kairos weekend

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Crian Unit**

Apr 7-9: Mike Barber crusade

- **Dalhart Unit**

Apr 28-30: Kairos weekend

- **Daniel Unit**

Apr 1-2: Rock of Ages crusade

Apr 15-16: Bill Glass crusade

- **Darrington Unit**

Apr 29-30: Church of the Called Out Ones revival

- **Eastham Unit**

Apr 7-10: Kairos weekend

Apr 16: Kairos reunion

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Apr 28-30: Rock of Ages crusade

- **Havins Unit**

Apr 9-11: Unchained Life Inc. revival

- **Henley Unit**

Apr 23: Prison Fellowship "Parenting" seminar

- **Hightower Unit**

Apr 1-3: Kairos weekend

- **Hilltop Unit**

Apr 9: Kairos reunion

- **Hobby Unit**

Apr 15-17: Catholic retreat

- **Huntsville Unit**

Apr 2: Kairos prayer and share

Apr 9: Kairos prayer and share

Apr 11-12: Prison Fellowship seminar "God's Plan for Marriage"

Apr 16: Kairos prayer and share

Apr 16: Ephesus Church concert and worship service

Apr 23: Kairos reunion

Apr 11-12: Prison Fellowship marriage seminar

Apr 25-26: Prison Fellowship seminar "God's Plan for Marriage"

- **Jordan Unit**

Apr 29-1: Freedom in Jesus Ministries crusade

- **Kyle Unit**

Apr 2: Prison Fellowship marriage seminar

Apr 5: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Apr 12: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Apr 19: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

- **Luther Unit**

Apr 4: Bill Glass crusade

Apr 14-16: John Yaws Ministry crusade

- **Lynaugh Unit**

Apr 28-1: Kairos walk

- **McConnell Unit**

Apr 5-8: Kairos walk

Apr 28-1: Kairos walk

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Murray Unit**

Apr 28-1: Kairos weekend

- **Neal Unit**

Apr 2: Faith Clinic Prison Ministry special worship service

Apr 3: Johnson Chapel Ame Church special worship service

Apr 7-10: Kairos walk

Apr 16: Kairos walk

Apr 17: First Baptist Church special worship service

Apr 23: Level Ground Ministry special worship service

Apr 24: Take Up Your Cross Ministry special worship service

- **Plane Unit**

Apr 2: Prison Fellowship financial seminar

Apr 29-30: Lighthouse Baptist Church "Discipleship 101" seminar

- **Polunsky Unit**

Apr 17-19: Kairos weekend

- **Robertson Unit**

Apr 9: Kairos prayer and share

Apr 14-17: Kairos walk

Apr 27: Bridges to Life

- **Sayle Unit**

Apr 2: From the Dust Ministry revival

Apr 7: Gideons Ministry Bible distribution

- **Scott Unit**

Apr 22-24: Somebody's Coming Ministry revival

- **Segovia Unit**

Apr 3: Salvation Army special worship service

Apr 18: Calvary Commission special worship service

Apr 30: Kairos weekend

Apr 30: Freedom Prison Ministry special worship services

- **Smith Unit**

Apr 14-17: Kairos weekend

- **Stevenson Unit**

Apr 2: Kairos reunion

- **Stringfellow Unit**

Apr 29-30: Crossroads Unwinding Ministry revival

- **Wallace Unit**

Apr 2: Kairos reunion

Apr 8-10: Southwest Texas Prison Ministry revival

Apr 15-16: Bill Glass Ministry crusade

April 17: Unchained Life Ministry special worship service

- **Ware Unit**

Apr 15-16: Conquered Ground Ministry "Renew the Mind" seminar

- **Woodman Unit**

Apr 29-30: Set Them Free "Princess Warrior" workshop

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

- A Chaplaincy staff member spoke at Houston Methodist Church and presented on faith based dorms and offender needs for aftercare.
- Chaplaincy staff attended a volunteer appreciation banquet in Houston, Texas sponsored by Mike Barber Ministries in recognition of TDCJ staff and honoring his ministry volunteers.
- A Chaplaincy staff member attended the Kairos National meeting in Austin, Texas.
- A Chaplaincy staff member attended the American Correctional Chaplains Association conference in Eureka Springs, Arkansas and presented on the Religious Land Use and Institutionalized Persons Act of 2000 (RLUIPA).

GOVERNMENTAL LIAISON FOR FAITH AND COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMS

- Number of contacts with faith and community based organizations
450
- Number of meetings attended related to faith and community based organizations
73

ISSUES

- There is on-going communication with Chaplains and volunteer groups on the operation of faith-based dorms at the following units:

| | |
|------------|---------------|
| Allred | Jester III |
| Beto | Kegans |
| Bradshaw | Lindsey |
| Bridgeport | Lockhart |
| Connally | Mineral Wells |
| Darrington | Montford |
| Dawson | Murray |
| Dominguez | Ney |
| Eastham | Plane |
| Estes | Polunsky |
| Ferguson | Terrell |
| Goree | Torres |
| Hightower | Travis |
| Hobby | Vance |
| Hutchins | Wynne |

CURRENT ACTION PLANS

Current Action Plans: None

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

The Chaplaincy Department of the Rehabilitation and Reentry Programs Division is committed to promoting an atmosphere, which allows those desiring spiritual wholeness, the necessary conditions for experiencing such. Emphasis is placed on the promotion and encouragement of family ties as well as other positive relationships, which will assist in the reintegration of offenders into society. Through the provision of religious services, one-on-one ministry, counseling and encouragement, offenders are given the capability of coping with the pressures, pain and consequently the reality of daily living. Chaplaincy, at the unit level, is dependent upon offender population and is staffed accordingly. Accommodations for unit Chaplaincy needs are based on such factors as population size and faith orientation. Unit programming is dependent on space and time allotment.

CIRC – No Update for April 2011

Work Measures

| Monthly Report for April 2011 | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| Work Measures | | |
| Volunteer Chaplain Visits | 3,295 | 23,066 |
| Hrs. Worked by Volunteer Chaplains | 14,425 | 97,585 |
| Life Changes Academy Track I - Specialty Programs | | |
| Svori | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 0 | 567 |
| Volunteer Hours | 0 | 1,463 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 31,114 |
| InnerChange | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 1,695 | 23,864 |
| Volunteer Hours | 3,920 | 51,493 |
| Offenders attending | 36,265 | 464,415 |
| Grad | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 0 | 137 |
| Volunteer Hours | 0 | 149 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 41 |
| YOP | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 336 | 1,080 |
| Volunteer Hours | 4,939 | 12,851 |
| Offenders attending | 13,950 | 44,806 |
| Operation Rebound | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 69 | 473 |
| Volunteer Hours | 252 | 1,808 |
| Offenders attending | 1,464 | 12,370 |
| Faith Based Dorms | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 1,852 | 13,170 |
| Volunteer Hours | 13,601 | 76,113 |
| Offenders attending | 127,872 | 648,621 |
| Life Changes Academy Track II - Mentor | | |
| Mentor visits | 1,430 | 10,827 |
| Offenders visited | 24,271 | 187,156 |
| Life Changes Academy Track III - Family Programs | | |
| Family Events | | |
| - events conducted | 17 | 150 |
| - volunteers attending | 18 | 259 |
| - volunteer hours | 669 | 7,004 |
| - family members attending | 855 | 11,093 |
| Marriage Programs | | |
| - events held | 22 | 196 |
| - volunteers attending | 39 | 534 |
| - volunteer hours | 122 | 2,690 |
| - offenders attending | 510 | 7,152 |
| - spouses attending | 54 | 1,485 |
| Parenting Programs | | |
| - events held | 24 | 250 |
| - volunteers attending | 81 | 1,347 |
| - offenders attending | 1,608 | 33,888 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 5,040 |
| Other Family Programs | | |
| - programs held | 42 | 366 |
| - volunteers attending | 0 | 424 |

| | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| - offenders attending | 0 | 6,206 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 7,239 |
| Visiting Room/Hospitality ministry | | |
| - volunteers attending | 220 | 1,772 |
| - volunteer hours | 747 | 6,553 |
| Life Changes Academy Track IV - Rehabilitation Programs | | |
| Life Skills | | |
| - classes held | 932 | 8,184 |
| - Volunteers attending | 1,796 | 14,861 |
| - Volunteer hours | 5,180 | 41,029 |
| - Offenders attending | 40,791 | 344,979 |
| Support Groups | | |
| - classes held | 423 | 3,244 |
| - Volunteers attending | 801 | 5,741 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,960 | 14,162 |
| - Offenders attending | 29,235 | 206,416 |
| Education Programs | | |
| - classes held | 232 | 1,611 |
| - Volunteers attending | 737 | 5,420 |
| - Volunteer hours | 2,324 | 16,983 |
| - Offenders attending | 31,546 | 223,955 |
| Life Changes Academy Track V - Reentry Programs | | |
| - classes held | 306 | 2,833 |
| - Volunteers attending | 911 | 6,250 |
| - Volunteer hours | 2,331 | 40,223 |
| - Offenders attending | 28,000 | 235,628 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VI - Spiritual Growth Programs | | |
| Primary Worship Services | | |
| - services held | 2,396 | 19,126 |
| - volunteers attending | 8,950 | 63,220 |
| - offenders attending | 815,248 | 4,916,331 |
| Additional Services | | |
| - services held | 885 | 7,015 |
| - volunteers attending | 2,428 | 14,332 |
| - offenders attending | 185,289 | 1,065,259 |
| Spiritual Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 2,730 | 20,025 |
| - volunteers attending | 15,799 | 108,061 |
| - offenders attending | 879,153 | 5,424,465 |
| Crusades | | |
| - Crusades held | 55 | 332 |
| - volunteers attending | 474 | 2,645 |
| - offenders attending | 92,352 | 461,720 |
| Other Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 307 | 2,554 |
| - volunteers attending | 4,049 | 28,280 |
| - offenders attending | 179,845 | 1,620,996 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VII - Non-Spiritual Programs | | |
| Classes meeting | 147 | 1,109 |
| Volunteers attending | 1,917 | 12,918 |
| offenders attending | 41,330 | 435,220 |

**Staff Chaplain's Work Measures
Monthly Report for April 2011**

| Staff Chaplains | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|-----------------------|---------------------|
| UCC sessions participated in | 103 | 985 |
| Classes/Study groups led | 827 | 5955 |
| Offenders attending | 21941 | 170824 |
| Worship Services led | 936 | 5791 |
| Offenders attending | 55345 | 519750 |
| Primary Muslim Svcs Conducted on unit | 589 | 4570 |
| Offenders attending | 11799 | 95046 |
| Additional Muslim Svcs/Class conducted on unit | 610 | 5547 |
| Offenders attending | 10728 | 101633 |
| Total programs supervised | 6742 | 52408 |
| Ministerial visits facilitated | 253 | 4138 |
| I-60's answered | 37674 | 275633 |
| Counseling groups led | 262 | 2262 |
| Counseling interviews (15 min. or longer) | 4784 | 34718 |
| Offender contacts (less than 15 min.) | 39101 | 339830 |
| Offender family emergency messages delivered | 1522 | 12400 |
| Offender phone calls supervised | 1777 | 14658 |
| Phone calls made on behalf of offenders | 1353 | 10312 |
| Offender family phone calls received | 2739 | 31064 |
| Offender family letters written | 76 | 759 |
| Offender family letters received | 87 | 597 |
| Offender deaths worked | 27 | 311 |
| Approved volunteers supervised | 14837 | 99506 |
| Training hours conducted | 359 | 2134 |
| Hours TDCJ training received | 515 | 4724 |
| Hours denominational training received | 212 | 2063 |
| Hours of continuing education | 270 | 1549 |
| Hours of staff ministry performed | 1302 | 10120 |
| USSO/Post Trauma Team hrs. | 28 | 280 |
| Safe Prison Program Hours | 45 | 469 |
| Hours of community service | 580 | 3085 |
| Speaking engagements | 138 | 1015 |

**Texas Department of Criminal Justice
Rehabilitation Programs Division
Department Report**

CHAPLAINCY

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MISSION

The mission of the Chaplaincy Department of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice (TDCJ) is to positively impact public safety and the reduction of recidivism through the rehabilitation and re-integration of adult felons into society. This is accomplished by the availability of comprehensive pastoral care, by the management of quality programming, and through the promotion of therapeutic religious community activities. It is the purpose of Chaplaincy to provide guidance and nurture to those searching for meaning in life and to those offenders who are in transition. Programs, activities and community participation are prudently managed wherein individuals have an opportunity to pursue religious beliefs, reconcile relationships and strengthen the nuclear family.

AUTHORITY

Administrative Directive: AD 07.30 (rev. 6)

Chaplaincy services shall be provided within TDCJ operated units or contracted facilities in order to serve offenders who desire to practice elements of their religion. It is the policy of TDCJ to extend to offenders of all faiths, reasonable and equitable opportunities to pursue religious beliefs and participate in religious activities and programs that do not endanger the safe, secure and orderly operation of the Agency. Participation in all religious activities and attendance at religious services of worship is strictly voluntary. No employee, contractor or volunteer shall disparage the religious beliefs of any offender or compel any offender to make a change of religious preference. Chaplaincy services shall strive to assist offenders who desire to incorporate religious beliefs and practices into a process for positive change in personal behaviors by offering meaningful, rehabilitative religious programming as an important tool for successful reintegration into society.

ANNUAL BUDGET

POSITIONS ALLOCATED / FILLED

FY 2011 - \$4,764,455

126/117 (9 Professional Vacancies)

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Programs of the Chaplaincy Department include and are not limited to:

- | | |
|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provision of Services to Offenders/Families • Weekly Religious Services • Pastoral Care/Counseling/Small group • Specialized Programs • Mentoring • Family Programming • Rehabilitation Programming • Reentry Programming • Spiritual Growth Groups • Non-Religious Programming • Voyager Life Skills Programs • Religious Volunteer Programs | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Faith Based Pre-Release Programs • Youthful Offender Programming • Visitation/Hospitality Ministry • Building Projects/Chapel Construction • Hospice Care • Female Task Force • Faith-Based Pre-Release Facility • Family Visitors Center & Hospitality Houses • Ministry to death row offenders and their families • Ministry to the families of victims during the execution process |
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PROCEDURAL OVERVIEW

- Assist the offenders in their search for meaning in life in such a way as to encourage healthier attitudes and better decision-making.
- Provide pastoral care through worship events, instruction in spiritual matters, pastoral counseling, and a variety of therapeutic programs.
- Assess the religious needs of the offender population and develop programs appropriate to the meeting of those needs.
- Select, train, and place all unit Chaplaincy staff.
- Participate as active members of the Crisis Response Intervention Support Program.
- Develop continuum of care plans for release preparation through coordination with the TDCJ-Parole Division.
- Work directly with all other divisions of TDCJ to incorporate religious community input into every phase of offender treatment and rehabilitation.
- Coordinate and oversee religious volunteer program
 - ⇒ Recruit, train, place and manage a cross section of volunteers to support Chaplaincy programs;
 - ⇒ Process and serve as the clearing-house for religious volunteer applications.

FAITH BASED DORMS

In addition, the Chaplaincy Department coordinates the implementation of faith based dorms. These dorms offer support and accountability, along with faith based curriculum and mentoring program. The programming is conducted by local faith based community volunteers whose activities are directed by the unit chaplain and unit administration. Faith based dorms are open to offenders of all faiths and generally include:

- life skills classes
- spiritual classes
- worship services for multiple faiths
- structured activities
- limited television
- accountability/support groups

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM

The following is a representative, not an exhaustive, list of special ministry events conducted by chaplaincy departments at various units of the TDCJ.

- **Allred Unit**

May 18-19: Christ's Prison Ministry hosted officer appreciation day

- **Bartlett Unit**

May 6: Salvation Army special worship service

May 20-21: Prison Fellowship revival

May 27: Gospel Train special worship service

- **Beto Unit**

May 12-16: Kairos weekend

May 28-29: Coalition of Churches of Dallas annual revival

- **Central Unit**

May 17: COOL Ministry concert and worship

May 26-28: Rock of Ages crusade

- **Cotulla Unit**

May 13-14: Prison Fellowship seminar "New Freedom"

- **Crain Unit**

May 12-14: Rock of Ages crusade

- **Dalhart Unit**

May 1: Kairos weekend

- **Daniel Unit**

May 13-14: Prison Fellowship seminar "Renewing the Mind"

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Duncan Unit**

May 7: Sports Reach Ministries softball games and evangelistic worship

- **Eastham Unit**

May 14: Kairos reunion

- **Ferguson Unit**

May 13-14: Mike Barber Ministry crusade

May 28: Betty and Jimmy Hageon marriage seminar

- **Ft. Stockton Unit**

May 2: Child Evangelism Fellowship worship service

- **Glossbrenner Unit**

May 19-21: Rock of Ages crusade

- **Goodman Unit**

May 15: Sanctuary Quartet music concert

May 15-18: Tupence Ministries drama and concert

- **Hamilton Unit**

May 14: Prisoners of Christ play "Heaven or Hell"

May 21: Texas A&M Church of Christ family day

- **Hilltop Unit**

May 20-22: Disciples for Christ Ministry crusade

- **Hobby Unit**

May 6-7: Somebody's Comin' Ministry revival

- **Huntsville Unit**

May 6: Mother's Day celebration

May 7: Sand Hill Boys concert and worship

May 7: Kairos prayer and share

May 14: Kairos prayer and share

May 21: Kairos prayer and share

May 22: Joy Prison Ministry special worship service

May 28: Kairos reunion

- **Kyle Unit**

May 6-7: Prison Fellowship "In Prison" seminar

May 17: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

- **Lockhart Unit**

May 5-8: Kairos weekend

- **Luther Unit**

May 2: COOL Ministries praise and worship concert

- **Michael Unit**

May 5-8: Kairos reunion

- **Montford Unit**

May 19-22: Kairos weekend

- **Murray Unit**

May 1: Kairos walk

- **Neal Unit**

May 1: Johnson Chapel Ame Church special worship service

May 7: Kairos prayer and share

May 7: Spirit Ministry English and Spanish special worship service

May 8: First Baptist Church special worship service

May 21: Pure Faith Ministry special worship service

May 21: Kairos reunion

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

May 22: Take Up Your Cross Ministry special worship service

May 28: City Hard Core Ministry special worship service

May 29: Comanche Trail Church of Christ special worship service

- **Ney Unit**

May 20-21: Prison Fellowship seminar “My Story, His Story”

- **Plane Unit**

May 7: The Heart of Texas foundation “Heart of Forgiveness” seminar

May 21: Prison Fellowship “Parenting from the Inside” seminar

- **Roach Unit**

May 5-8: Kairos weekend

- **Robertson Unit**

May 4: Bridges to Life

May 11: Bridges to Life

May 14: Kairos prayer and share

May 18: Bridges to Life

May 30: Bridges to Life

- **Rudd Unit**

May 14: Kairos reunion

- **San Saba Unit**

May 5-7: Rock of Ages Ministry crusade

- **Sayle Unit**

May 21-22: Unchained Life Ministry revival

- **Segovia Unit**

May 12: Volunteer appreciation banquet

May 28: Kairos reunion

- **Smith Unit**

May 7-8: Cantu Ministries revival

- **Stevenson Unit**

May 12-15: Kairos weekend

- **Stiles Unit**

May 6: Volunteer appreciation banquet

- **Torres Unit**

May 18-22: Kairos weekend

May 28: Kairos reunion

- **Wallace Unit**

May 7: Kairos reunion

May 14: People of Principle marriage seminar

- **Woodman Unit**

May 21: Men with Issues, Women with Issues Christian Band concert

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

- Chaplaincy staff members attended the Jordan Chapel dedication ceremony.
- Chaplaincy staff attended the Stiles Unit volunteer appreciation banquet.
- A Chaplaincy staff member attended the Texas Catholic Correctional Ministries annual planning meeting in Victoria, Texas

GOVERNMENTAL LIAISON FOR FAITH AND COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMS

- Number of contacts with faith and community based organizations
694
- Number of meetings attended related to faith and community based organizations
73

ISSUES

- There is on-going communication with Chaplains and volunteer groups on the operation of faith-based dorms at the following units:

| | |
|------------|----------------------|
| Allred | Jester III |
| Beto | Kegans |
| Bradshaw | Lindsey |
| Bridgeport | Lockhart |
| Connally | Mineral Wells |
| Darrington | Montford |
| Dawson | Murray |
| Dominguez | Ney |
| Eastham | Plane |
| Estes | Polunsky |
| Ferguson | Terrell |
| Goree | Torres and Torres TM |
| Hightower | Travis |
| Hobby | Vance |
| Hutchins | Wynne |

CURRENT ACTION PLANS

Current Action Plans: None

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

The Chaplaincy Department of the Rehabilitation and Reentry Programs Division is committed to promoting an atmosphere, which allows those desiring spiritual wholeness, the necessary conditions for experiencing such. Emphasis is placed on the promotion and encouragement of family ties as well as other positive relationships, which will assist in the reintegration of offenders into society. Through the provision of religious services, one-on-one ministry, counseling and encouragement, offenders are given the capability of coping with the pressures, pain and consequently the reality of daily living. Chaplaincy, at the unit level, is dependent upon offender population and is staffed accordingly. Accommodations for unit Chaplaincy needs are based on such factors as population size and faith orientation. Unit programming is dependent on space and time allotment.

CIRC –Update for May 2011

Bradshaw / Henderson

The donor group is going out and doing presentations to raise money. They also have been sending out letters and

setting up times and places to do their fund raising presentation. Still have a way to go in raising enough money. The donor group has also sent a photo of the new location of the chapel. Originally, the unit warden wanted it at the back of the unit. After the donor group met with the warden, the warden has now approved the chapel to be built at the front of the unit. The committee reviewed the new location and has approved it. It will be reviewed again at the next meeting so that those not in attendance may review and make comments.

Eastham / Lovelady

A meeting at the Eastham unit was scheduled for this morning at 9:00 to 10:00am with Mr. Norman, unit personnel, Facilities personnel, Mr. Dunbar and Ms. Ulmer to discuss finalizing who will be responsible for what supplies and tasks. Unit Maintenance, Facilities Personnel, Asst Warden Greg Oliver, the donor Mr. Keith Norman, Mr. Dunbar and Ms Ulmer met in the Warden's conference room. Mr. Norman stated he is working on bringing the states portion of the project down to or under the \$50,000 so quick approval for the project may proceed. Mr. Norman stated he would be able to do some of the labor if TDCJ would supply some of the materials. He is also working on more materials to be donated.

Jordan / Pampa

The dedication of the new Multipurpose Facility was held Wednesday, May 25th which was attended by Mr. Dunbar and Ms. Ulmer along with RPD Administration. Ms Ulmer has received a copy of the completion certificate and waiting on the donation form from the donor group.

Lychner / Humble

No Update

Rudd Unit / Brownfield

No Update

San Saba / San Saba

No Update

Torres Unit / Hondo

The donor group is still in the process of trying to raise funds. Little progress, lots of hope. Mr. Lehmborg also called and requested 5 copies of the CIRC manual which Ms. Ulmer will mail out this week. He also inquired about moving a fence and putting up more fencing around the construction site. Ms Ulmer informed him to put it in writing and a drawing for approval by Facilities Division.

Work Measures

| Monthly Report for May 2011 | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| Work Measures | | |
| Volunteer Chaplain Visits | 3,244 | 26,310 |
| Hrs. Worked by Volunteer Chaplains | 13,432 | 111,017 |
| Life Changes Academy Track I - Specialty Programs | | |
| Svori | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 0 | 567 |
| Volunteer Hours | 0 | 1,463 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 31,114 |
| InnerChange | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 3,330 | 27,194 |
| Volunteer Hours | 6,459 | 57,952 |
| Offenders attending | 59,798 | 524,213 |
| Grad | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 7 | 144 |
| Volunteer Hours | 9 | 158 |
| Offenders attending | 3 | 44 |
| YOP | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 12 | 1,092 |
| Volunteer Hours | 33 | 12,884 |
| Offenders attending | 321 | 45,127 |
| Operation Rebound | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 66 | 539 |
| Volunteer Hours | 253 | 2,062 |
| Offenders attending | 2,028 | 14,398 |
| Faith Based Dorms | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 1,895 | 15,065 |
| Volunteer Hours | 13,207 | 89,319 |
| Offenders attending | 69,597 | 718,218 |
| Life Changes Academy Track II - Mentor | | |
| Mentor visits | 1,403 | 12,230 |
| Offenders visited | 27,968 | 215,124 |
| Life Changes Academy Track III - Family Programs | | |
| Family Events | | |
| - events conducted | 30 | 180 |
| - volunteers attending | 61 | 320 |
| - volunteer hours | 8,296 | 15,300 |
| - family members attending | 1,578 | 12,671 |
| Marriage Programs | | |
| - events held | 18 | 214 |
| - volunteers attending | 51 | 585 |
| - volunteer hours | 173 | 2,863 |
| - offenders attending | 951 | 8,103 |
| - spouses attending | 6,393 | 7,878 |
| Parenting Programs | | |
| - events held | 38 | 288 |
| - volunteers attending | 195 | 1,542 |
| - offenders attending | 6,222 | 40,110 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 5,040 |
| Other Family Programs | | |
| - programs held | 48 | 414 |
| - volunteers attending | 57 | 481 |

| | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| - offenders attending | 567 | 6,773 |
| - family members attending | 1,113 | 8,352 |
| Visiting Room/Hospitality ministry | | |
| - volunteers attending | 226 | 1,998 |
| - volunteer hours | 1,020 | 7,573 |
| Life Changes Academy Track IV - Rehabilitation Programs | | |
| Life Skills | | |
| - classes held | 933 | 9,117 |
| - Volunteers attending | 1,857 | 16,718 |
| - Volunteer hours | 5,767 | 46,796 |
| - Offenders attending | 43,353 | 388,332 |
| Support Groups | | |
| - classes held | 465 | 3,709 |
| - Volunteers attending | 840 | 6,581 |
| - Volunteer hours | 2,001 | 16,163 |
| - Offenders attending | 30,477 | 236,893 |
| Education Programs | | |
| - classes held | 207 | 1,818 |
| - Volunteers attending | 396 | 5,816 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,304 | 18,287 |
| - Offenders attending | 13,269 | 237,224 |
| Life Changes Academy Track V - Reentry Programs | | |
| - classes held | 309 | 3,142 |
| - Volunteers attending | 213 | 6,463 |
| - Volunteer hours | 560 | 40,783 |
| - Offenders attending | 7,161 | 242,789 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VI - Spiritual Growth Programs | | |
| Primary Worship Services | | |
| - services held | 2,496 | 21,622 |
| - volunteers attending | 8,633 | 71,853 |
| - offenders attending | 715,381 | 5,631,712 |
| Additional Services | | |
| - services held | 943 | 7,958 |
| - volunteers attending | 2,008 | 16,340 |
| - offenders attending | 122,861 | 1,188,120 |
| Spiritual Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 2,798 | 22,823 |
| - volunteers attending | 15,281 | 123,342 |
| - offenders attending | 798,309 | 6,222,774 |
| Crusades | | |
| - Crusades held | 96 | 428 |
| - volunteers attending | 552 | 3,197 |
| - offenders attending | 88,479 | 550,199 |
| Other Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 335 | 2,889 |
| - volunteers attending | 3,826 | 32,106 |
| - offenders attending | 161,844 | 1,782,840 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VII - Non-Spiritual Programs | | |
| Classes meeting | 184 | 1,293 |
| Volunteers attending | 1,718 | 14,636 |
| offenders attending | 47,788 | 483,008 |

Staff Chaplain's Work Measures**Monthly Report for May 2011**

| Staff Chaplains | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|-----------------------|---------------------|
| UCC sessions participated in | 101 | 1086 |
| Classes/Study groups led | 824 | 6779 |
| Offenders attending | 21724 | 192548 |
| Worship Services led | 920 | 6711 |
| Offenders attending | 56441 | 576191 |
| Primary Muslim Svcs Conducted on Unit | 546 | 5116 |
| Offenders attending | 9963 | 105009 |
| Add't Muslim Svcs/Class Conducted on Unit | 691 | 6238 |
| Offenders attending | 12034 | 113667 |
| Total Programs supervised | 6212 | 58620 |
| Ministerial Visits Facilitated | 253 | 4391 |
| I-60's Answered | 34352 | 309985 |
| Counseling groups led | 315 | 2577 |
| Counseling interviews (15 min. or longer) | 4285 | 39003 |
| Offender contacts (less than 15 min.) | 36159 | 375989 |
| Offender family emergency messages delivered | 1544 | 13944 |
| Offender phone calls supervised | 1753 | 16411 |
| Phone calls made on behalf of offenders | 1293 | 11605 |
| Offender family phone calls received | 2569 | 33633 |
| Offender family letters written | 203 | 962 |
| Offender family letters received | 84 | 681 |
| Offender deaths worked | 44 | 355 |
| Approved volunteers supervised | 14054 | 113560 |
| Training hrs. conducted | 241 | 2375 |
| Hours TDCJ training received | 659 | 5383 |
| Hours Denominational training received | 189 | 2252 |
| Hours of Continuing Education | 311 | 1860 |
| Hrs. of Staff Ministry performed | 1323 | 11443 |
| USSO/Post Trauma Team hrs. | 29 | 309 |
| Safe Prison Program hrs. | 51 | 520 |
| Hours of Community Service | 346 | 3431 |
| Speaking engagements | 137 | 1152 |

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CHAPLAINCY

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MISSION

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- Work directly with all other divisions of TDCJ to incorporate religious community input into every phase of offender treatment and rehabilitation.
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 - ⇒ Recruit, train, place and manage a cross section of volunteers to support Chaplaincy programs;
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- life skills classes
- spiritual classes
- worship services for multiple faiths
- structured activities
- limited television
- accountability/support groups

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM

The following is a representative, not an exhaustive, list of special ministry events conducted by chaplaincy departments at various units of the TDCJ.

- **Allred Unit**

June 11: Kairos retreat

June 18: Kairos retreat

June 25: Kairos retreat

- **Bartlett Unit**

June 17: Bill Hutto Ministry special worship service

June 18: Ron Brigmon Ministry special worship service

- **Boyd Unit**

June 11-12: Kairos weekend

- **Briscoe Unit**

June 11: Prison Fellowship seminar "Set Free"

- **Clements Unit**

June 24-27: Freedom In Jesus Ministry crusade

- **Dallas Parole Office**

June 23: Community Partnership Council Ex-offender Art Show

- **Darrington Unit**

June 4: Charm Ministries basketball game and worship

- **Eastham Unit**

June 11: Kairos reunion

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Garza East Unit**

June 23-24: Gospel Blimp International Ministries crusade

- **Gurney Unit**

June 26: Sports Reach basketball tournament and worship

- **Halbert Unit**

June 25: Prison Fellowship seminar "HIRE, Here Is A Responsible Employee"

- **Hamilton Unit**

June 11: Prison Fellowship seminar "Helping Ourselves Procure Employment"

- **Havins Unit**

June 25: Mercy Heart Day with Dad

June 30-2: Rock of Ages Prison Ministry crusade

- **Hilltop Unit**

June 9-11: Mike Barber Ministry crusade

- **Hobby Unit**

June 4: Kairos prayer and share

June 11: Kairos prayer and share

June 18: Kairos prayer and share

June 25: Kairos prayer and share

- **Hodge Unit**

June 23-25: Emmanuel Baptist Church revival

- **Hughes Unit**

June 23-25: Rock of Ages Prison Ministry crusade

- **Huntsville Unit**

June 4: Randy Wilkins concert and worship

June 4: Kairos prayer and share

June 11: Kairos prayer and share

June 18: Kairos prayer and share

June 18: Ephesus Church concert and worship

- **Jester III Unit**

June 3-4: Worldwide Voice in the Wilderness Ministry motorcycle crusade

- **Johnston Unit**

June 3-4: Residents Encounter Christ weekend

- **Kyle Unit**

June 7: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

June 14: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

June 21: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

June 28: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

- **Lockhart Unit**

June 2: Kairos reunion

June 17: Truth Be Told Ministry seminar "Exploring Creativity"

- **Lynaugh Unit**

June 4: Volunteer Appreciation Picnic

- **Mineral Wells Unit**

June 21: Gideons Bible distribution

- **Murray Unit**

June 9-11: Mike Barber Ministry crusade

- **Pack Unit**

June 6: Answer Prison Ministry revival

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Plane Unit**

June 11: Prison Fellowship “Parenting” seminar

June 25: Prison Fellowship seminar “Anger Management”

- **Rudd Unit**

June 11: Kairos reunion

- **Sayle Unit**

June 25-26: Freedom In Jesus Ministry revival

- **Segovia Unit**

June 25: Kairos reunion

- **Skyview Unit**

June 23-25: Emmanuel Baptist Church revival

- **Smith Unit**

June 24-26: Believer’s Faith Ministries crusade

- **Stevenson Unit**

June 4: Kairos reunion

- **Stringfellow Unit**

June 24-25: Believer’s Faith Ministry crusade

- **Vance Unit**

June 4: InnerChange Freedom Initiative graduation

June 10-12: Kairos reunion

- **Wallace Unit**

June 4: Kairos reunion

June 18: Ron Brewer marriage seminar

- **Woodman Unit**

June 9-11: Mike Barber Ministry crusade

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

- No Supplemental Information for June 2011

GOVERNMENTAL LIAISON FOR FAITH AND COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMS

- Number of contacts with faith and community based organizations
574
- Number of meetings attended related to faith and community based organizations
58

ISSUES

- There is on-going communication with Chaplains and volunteer groups on the operation of faith-based dorms at the following units:

| | |
|------------|----------------------|
| Allred | Jester III |
| Beto | Kegans |
| Bradshaw | Lindsey |
| Bridgeport | Lockhart |
| Connally | Mineral Wells |
| Darrington | Montford |
| Dawson | Murray |
| Dominguez | Ney |
| Eastham | Plane |
| Estes | Polunsky |
| Ferguson | Terrell |
| Goree | Torres and Torres TM |
| Hightower | Travis |
| Hobby | Vance |
| Hutchins | Wynne |

CURRENT ACTION PLANS

Current Action Plans: None

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

The Chaplaincy Department of the Rehabilitation and Reentry Programs Division is committed to promoting an atmosphere, which allows those desiring spiritual wholeness, the necessary conditions for experiencing such. Emphasis is placed on the promotion and encouragement of family ties as well as other positive relationships, which will assist in the reintegration of offenders into society. Through the provision of religious services, one-on-one ministry, counseling and encouragement, offenders are given the capability of coping with the pressures, pain and consequently the reality of daily living. Chaplaincy, at the unit level, is dependent upon offender population and is staffed accordingly. Accommodations for unit Chaplaincy needs are based on such factors as population size and faith orientation. Unit programming is dependent on space and time allotment.

CIRC – No Update for June 2011

Monthly Report for June 2011

| Work Measures | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| Work Measures | | |
| Volunteer Chaplain Visits | 3,415 | 29,725 |
| Hrs. Worked by Volunteer Chaplains | 14,040 | 125,058 |
| Life Changes Academy Track I - Specialty Programs | | |
| Svori | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 0 | 567 |
| Volunteer Hours | 0 | 1,463 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 31,114 |
| InnerChange | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 4,203 | 31,397 |
| Volunteer Hours | 9,740 | 67,691 |
| Offenders attending | 103,949 | 628,162 |
| Grad | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 5 | 149 |
| Volunteer Hours | 6 | 164 |
| Offenders attending | 162 | 206 |
| YOP | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 54 | 1,146 |
| Volunteer Hours | 205 | 13,089 |
| Offenders attending | 1,944 | 47,071 |
| Operation Rebound | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 55 | 594 |
| Volunteer Hours | 179 | 2,240 |
| Offenders attending | 1,551 | 15,949 |
| Faith Based Dorms | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 1,215 | 16,280 |
| Volunteer Hours | 5,700 | 95,019 |
| Offenders attending | 58,749 | 776,967 |
| Life Changes Academy Track II - Mentor | | |
| Mentor visits | 1,491 | 13,721 |
| Offenders visited | 20,875 | 235,999 |
| Life Changes Academy Track III - Family Programs | | |
| Family Events | | |
| - events conducted | 27 | 207 |
| - volunteers attending | 12 | 332 |
| - volunteer hours | 915 | 16,215 |
| - family members attending | 243 | 12,914 |
| Marriage Programs | | |
| - events held | 14 | 228 |
| - volunteers attending | 3 | 588 |
| - volunteer hours | 423 | 3,285 |
| - offenders attending | 570 | 8,673 |
| - spouses attending | 210 | 8,088 |
| Parenting Programs | | |
| - events held | 25 | 313 |
| - volunteers attending | 192 | 1,734 |
| - offenders attending | 4,233 | 44,343 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 5,040 |
| Other Family Programs | | |
| - programs held | 44 | 458 |
| - volunteers attending | 30 | 511 |

| | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| - offenders attending | 1,860 | 8,633 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 8,352 |
| Visiting Room/Hospitality ministry | | |
| - volunteers attending | 175 | 2,173 |
| - volunteer hours | 743 | 8,316 |
| Life Changes Academy Track IV - Rehabilitation Programs | | |
| Life Skills | | |
| - classes held | 886 | 10,003 |
| - Volunteers attending | 1,977 | 18,695 |
| - Volunteer hours | 6,121 | 52,917 |
| - Offenders attending | 53,833 | 442,165 |
| Support Groups | | |
| - classes held | 400 | 4,109 |
| - Volunteers attending | 726 | 7,307 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,613 | 17,776 |
| - Offenders attending | 24,744 | 261,637 |
| Education Programs | | |
| - classes held | 208 | 2,026 |
| - Volunteers attending | 609 | 6,425 |
| - Volunteer hours | 2,038 | 20,325 |
| - Offenders attending | 27,180 | 264,404 |
| Life Changes Academy Track V - Reentry Programs | | |
| - classes held | 294 | 3,436 |
| - Volunteers attending | 882 | 7,345 |
| - Volunteer hours | 2,390 | 43,173 |
| - Offenders attending | 40,860 | 283,649 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VI - Spiritual Growth Programs | | |
| Primary Worship Services | | |
| - services held | 2,293 | 23,915 |
| - volunteers attending | 8,871 | 80,724 |
| - offenders attending | 728,048 | 6,359,760 |
| Additional Services | | |
| - services held | 755 | 8,713 |
| - volunteers attending | 1,758 | 18,098 |
| - offenders attending | 80,334 | 1,268,454 |
| Spiritual Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 2,855 | 25,678 |
| - volunteers attending | 11,811 | 135,153 |
| - offenders attending | 584,612 | 6,807,386 |
| Crusades | | |
| - Crusades held | 36 | 464 |
| - volunteers attending | 417 | 3,614 |
| - offenders attending | 74,100 | 624,299 |
| Other Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 341 | 3,230 |
| - volunteers attending | 4,050 | 36,156 |
| - offenders attending | 196,600 | 1,979,440 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VII - Non-Spiritual Programs | | |
| Classes meeting | 167 | 1,460 |
| Volunteers attending | 1,771 | 16,407 |
| offenders attending | 46,593 | 529,601 |

Monthly Report for June 2011

Staff Chaplain's Work Measures

| Staff Chaplains | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| UCC sessions participated in | 90 | 1176 |
| Classes/Study groups led | 850 | 7629 |
| Offenders attending | 21498 | 214046 |
| Worship Services led | 1391 | 8102 |
| Offenders attending | 98233 | 674424 |
| Primary Mulsim Svcs Conducted on Unit | 528 | 5644 |
| Offenders attending | 12487 | 117496 |
| Additional Muslim Svcs/Class Conducted on Unit | 648 | 6886 |
| Offenders attending | 12667 | 126334 |
| Total Programs Supervised | 6534 | 65154 |
| Ministerial Visits Facilitated | 580 | 4971 |
| I-60's Answered | 32991 | 342976 |
| Counseling groups led | 225 | 2802 |
| Counseling interviews (15 min. or longer) | 3738 | 42741 |
| Offender contacts (less than 15 min.) | 37212 | 413201 |
| Offender family emergency messages delivered | 1628 | 15572 |
| Offender phone calls supervised | 1753 | 18164 |
| Phone calls made on behalf of offenders | 1283 | 12888 |
| Offender family phone calls received | 2533 | 36166 |
| Offender family letters written | 85 | 1047 |
| Offender family letters received | 66 | 747 |
| Offender deaths worked | 49 | 404 |
| Approved volunteers supervised | 11962 | 125522 |
| Training hours conducted | 187 | 2562 |
| Hours TDCJ training received | 280 | 5663 |
| Hours Denominational training received | 272 | 2524 |
| Hours of Continuing Education | 263 | 2123 |
| Hours of Staff Ministry performed | 1017 | 12460 |
| USSO/Post Trauma Team Hours. | 33 | 342 |
| Safe Prison Program Hours. | 80 | 600 |
| Hours of Community Service | 400 | 3831 |
| Speaking Engagements | 117 | 1269 |

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- **Bridgeport Unit**

July 16: Bill Robinson Ministry orchestra and worship service

July 24: Silent Voices of Colorado revival

- **Central Unit**

July 3: Shoot from the Hip Ministry revival

July 9: Sugarland Catholic Church confirmation ceremonies

July 9: Joyce Meyers Ministries special worship service and care package giveaway

July 15: Volunteer Farewell Appreciation Dinner

- **Clements Unit**

July 29-31: Outer Camp Ministries revival

- **Cotulla**

July 15-16: Prison Fellowship seminar "Helping Ourselves Prepare for Employment"

- **Eastham Unit**

July 9: Kairos reunion

- **Ferguson Unit**

July 23-24: Warriors for Christ Ministry revival

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Garza East Unit**

July 23: To All Prisons Ministry revival

- **Glossbrenner Unit**

July 7-10: Fredricksberg Catholic Church ACTS retreat

- **Goodman Unit**

July 11: Institute in Basic Life Principles “Life Principles” seminar

- **Halbert Unit**

July 9: Prison Fellowship seminar “HIRE, Here Is A Responsible Employee”

July 23: Mercy Heart Ministries Legacy Day with Mom

- **Hamilton Unit**

July 23: Prison Fellowship Family Day

- **Havins Unit**

July 16: Gideons Bible distribution

- **Huntsville Unit**

July 2: Kairos prayer and share

July 9: Kairos prayer and share

July 10: Hand of Calvary special worship service

July 16: Kairos prayer and share

July 17: Set Free Ministries special worship service

July 21: Bridges to Life reunion

July 30: Set Free Ministries special worship service

- **Jester IV Unit**

July 3: Shoot from the Hip Ministry revival

July 9: Joyce Meyers Ministries special worship service and care package giveaway

- **Kyle Unit**

July 5: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

July 12: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

July 19: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

July 26: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

- **Lockhart Unit**

July 9: Kairos retreat

- **Murray Unit**

July 23: Calvary Commission Day with Mom

- **Neal Unit**

July 2: Spirit Ministry Spanish and English special worship service

July 2: Kairos prayer and share

July 3: Johnson Chapel AME Church special worship service

July 9: Kairos prayer and share

July 10: First Baptist Church special worship service

July 16-17: Kairos reunion

July 17: Believers Faith Ministry special worship service

July 23: Kairos prayer and share

July 23: Pure Faith Ministry special worship service

July 24: Take Up Your Cross Ministry special worship service

July 30: Kairos prayer and share

July 31: Comanche Trail Church of Christ Ministry special worship service

- **Plane Unit**

July 16: Prison Fellowship marriage seminar

July 22-23: Light House Baptist Church “Discipleship 101” seminar

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Robertson Unit**

July 9: Kairos prayer and share

July 27: Bridges to Life graduation

- **Rudd Unit**

July 7-10: Kairos weekend

July 16: Kairos reunion

- **Sayle Unit**

July 3: Up From the Ashes/Beyond the Wire Ministry revival

July 29-31: Freedom In Jesus Ministry revival

- **Segovia Unit**

July 23: Kairos reunion

- **Stevenson Unit**

July 9: Kairos reunion

- **Stiles Unit**

July 28-30: Forgiven Ministries One Day with God Camp

- **Stringfellow Unit**

July 7-8: Joyce Meyers Ministry revival

- **Terrell Unit**

July 11-12: Covenant Ranch Rehabilitation Center crusade

- **Torres Unit**

July 9: Prison Fellowship seminar "My Story, His Story"

July 16-17: Kairos retreat

- **Wallace Unit**

July 2: Kairos reunion

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

- Chaplaincy staff attended events recognizing offender program graduations for the Ferguson and Wynne Units.
- Chaplaincy staff attended the Central Unit volunteer banquet.

GOVERNMENTAL LIAISON FOR FAITH AND COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMS

- Number of contacts with faith and community based organizations
457
- Number of meetings attended related to faith and community based organizations
40

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|------------|----------------------|
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| Bradshaw | Lindsey |
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| Connally | Mineral Wells |
| Darrington | Montford |
| Dawson | Murray |
| Dominguez | Ney |
| Eastham | Plane |
| Estes | Polunsky |
| Ferguson | Terrell |
| Goree | Torres and Torres TM |
| Hightower | Travis |
| Hobby | Vance |
| Hutchins | Wynne |

CURRENT ACTION PLANS

Current Action Plans: None

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CIRC Update for July 2011

Bradshaw / Henderson

The donor group is going out and doing presentations to ministries, organizations, churches and groups in an effort to raise money for the project.

Darrington/Brazoria

This chapel renovation came up quickly. The donor group is expanding a bathroom, framing and dry walling office/classroom space, putting in new flooring and modifying the stage. The legal agreement was drawn up and has signatures from the donors and Mr. McGinty. The Notice to Proceed was issued, signed and returned by the donor. The renovation is to be mostly completed by the end of August for the Darrington's Seminary College Convocation ceremony. Mr. Dunbar and Ms Ulmer made a visit to the Darrington Unit and noted the progress made on the renovation. The office structure was up, the structure of the ceilings were installed in the two front room on each side of the stage and the modification to the stage was ready for audio/ visual wiring to be installed. The project is being monitored by Allen Tangler, Facilities Division

Eastham / Lovelady

Ms Ulmer had a meeting with Mr. Keith Norman and Rich Cox (Treasurer for Chapel of Hope – Eastham) to discuss the Legal Agreement. They had recommended changes which were reviewed and approved by Erik Brown from OGC. The new agreement has been forwarded to Mr. Norman and Mr. Cox to present to their Board. OGC's only concern was Mr. Cox's authority to sign the agreement. That concern was addressed in the email to Mr. Cox. The current status of the agreement is pending with the donor.

Jordan / Pampa

The donation forms at in the Business Office ready for TBCJ's signature at the August, 2011 board meeting.

Lychner / Humble

Robert Wallrath is the new president of the donor group, New Life Chapel Inc. They are moving full speed ahead with fund raising and meeting with other ministries for their support.

Rudd Unit / Brownfield

No Update

San Saba / San Saba

The donor group has preliminary drawings from the Architect. They are in the process of reviewing them. In a week or so, they will be contacting Ms. Ulmer for a preliminary drawing review meeting.

Torres Unit / Hondo

The donor group reports that they are still in the process of raising funds.

Monthly Report for JULY 2011

| Work Measures | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|-----------------------|---------------------|
| Work Measures | | |
| Volunteer Chaplain Visits | 2,894 | 32,619 |
| Hrs. Worked by Volunteer Chaplains | 12,825 | 137,883 |
| Life Changes Academy Track I - Specialty Programs | | |
| Svori | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 0 | 567 |
| Volunteer Hours | 0 | 1,463 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 31,114 |
| InnerChange | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 2,780 | 34,177 |
| Volunteer Hours | 5,289 | 72,980 |
| Offenders attending | 56,568 | 684,730 |
| Grad | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 0 | 149 |
| Volunteer Hours | 0 | 164 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 206 |
| YOP | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 24 | 1,170 |
| Volunteer Hours | 63 | 13,153 |
| Offenders attending | 843 | 47,914 |
| Operation Rebound | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 45 | 639 |
| Volunteer Hours | 164 | 2,404 |
| Offenders attending | 1,305 | 17,254 |
| Faith Based Dorms | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 1,234 | 17,514 |
| Volunteer Hours | 6,343 | 101,362 |
| Offenders attending | 50,583 | 827,550 |
| Life Changes Academy Track II - Mentor | | |
| Mentor visits | 1,053 | 14,774 |
| Offenders visited | 15,227 | 251,226 |
| Life Changes Academy Track III - Family Programs | | |
| Family Events | | |
| - events conducted | 28 | 235 |
| - volunteers attending | 12 | 344 |
| - volunteer hours | 761 | 16,976 |
| - family members attending | 312 | 13,226 |
| Marriage Programs | | |
| - events held | 17 | 245 |
| - volunteers attending | 24 | 612 |
| - volunteer hours | 118 | 3,403 |
| - offenders attending | 420 | 9,093 |
| - spouses attending | 180 | 8,268 |
| Parenting Programs | | |
| - events held | 27 | 340 |
| - volunteers attending | 144 | 1,878 |
| - offenders attending | 3,729 | 48,072 |
| - family members attending | 156 | 5,196 |
| Other Family Programs | | |
| - programs held | 32 | 490 |
| - volunteers attending | 99 | 610 |

| | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| - offenders attending | 2,112 | 10,745 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 8,352 |
| Visiting Room/Hospitality Ministry | | |
| - volunteers attending | 213 | 2,386 |
| - volunteer hours | 909 | 9,225 |
| Life Changes Academy Track IV - Rehabilitation Programs | | |
| Life Skills | | |
| - classes held | 926 | 10,929 |
| - Volunteers attending | 1,674 | 20,369 |
| - Volunteer hours | 5,147 | 58,064 |
| - Offenders attending | 47,809 | 489,974 |
| Support Groups | | |
| - classes held | 343 | 4,452 |
| - Volunteers attending | 771 | 8,078 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,923 | 19,699 |
| - Offenders attending | 29,649 | 291,286 |
| Education Programs | | |
| - classes held | 299 | 2,325 |
| - Volunteers attending | 588 | 7,013 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,868 | 22,192 |
| - Offenders attending | 32,853 | 297,257 |
| Life Changes Academy Track V - Reentry Programs | | |
| - classes held | 214 | 3,650 |
| - Volunteers attending | 756 | 8,101 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,963 | 45,137 |
| - Offenders attending | 33,747 | 317,396 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VI - Spiritual Growth Programs | | |
| Primary Worship Services | | |
| - services held | 2,379 | 26,294 |
| - volunteers attending | 8,543 | 89,267 |
| - offenders attending | 737,130 | 7,096,890 |
| Additional Services | | |
| - services held | 847 | 9,560 |
| - volunteers attending | 2,007 | 20,105 |
| - offenders attending | 135,390 | 1,403,844 |
| Spiritual Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 2,631 | 28,309 |
| - volunteers attending | 11,307 | 146,460 |
| - offenders attending | 530,053 | 7,337,439 |
| Crusades | | |
| - Crusades held | 26 | 490 |
| - volunteers attending | 336 | 3,950 |
| - offenders attending | 60,304 | 684,603 |
| Other Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 320 | 3,550 |
| - volunteers attending | 3,107 | 39,263 |
| - offenders attending | 149,929 | 2,129,369 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VII - Non-Spiritual Programs | | |
| Classes meeting | 150 | 1,610 |
| Volunteers attending | 1,320 | 17,727 |
| offenders attending | 28,084 | 557,685 |

**Staff Chaplain's Work Measures
Monthly Report for JULY 2011**

| Staff Chaplains | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|-----------------------|---------------------|
| UCC sessions participated in | 100 | 1276 |
| Classes/Study groups led | 758 | 8387 |
| Offenders attending | 21407 | 235453 |
| Worship services led | 583 | 8685 |
| Offenders attending | 97446 | 771870 |
| Primary Muslim Services conducted on unit | 533 | 6177 |
| Offenders attending | 11982 | 129478 |
| Add't Muslim Services /Classes conducted on unit | 667 | 7553 |
| Offenders attending | 13451 | 139785 |
| Total programs supervised | 5994 | 71148 |
| Ministerial Visits facilitated | 227 | 5198 |
| I-60's answered | 34540 | 377516 |
| Counseling groups led | 225 | 3027 |
| Counseling interviews (15 min. or longer) | 4449 | 47190 |
| Offender contacts (less than 15 min.) | 37171 | 450372 |
| Offender family emergency messages delivered | 1573 | 17145 |
| Offender phone calls supervised | 1701 | 19865 |
| Phone calls made on behalf of offenders | 1243 | 14131 |
| Offender family phone calls received | 2519 | 38685 |
| Offender family letters written | 96 | 1143 |
| Offender family letters received | 77 | 824 |
| Offender deaths worked | 39 | 443 |
| Approved volunteers supervised | 11751 | 137273 |
| Training hours conducted | 263 | 2825 |
| Hours TDCJ training received | 326 | 5989 |
| Hours Denominational training received | 233 | 2757 |
| Hours of Continuing Education | 221 | 2344 |
| Hours of staff ministry performed | 1335 | 13795 |
| USSO/Post Trauma Team hours | 40 | 382 |
| Safe Prison Program hours. | 67 | 667 |
| Hours of community service | 357 | 4188 |
| Speaking engagements | 143 | 1412 |

**Texas Department of Criminal Justice
Rehabilitation Programs Division
Department Report**

CHAPLAINCY

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ANNUAL BUDGET

POSITIONS ALLOCATED / FILLED

FY 2011 - \$4,764,455

130/124 (6 Professional Vacancies)

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

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|--|---|
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PROCEDURAL OVERVIEW

- Assist the offenders in their search for meaning in life in such a way as to encourage healthier attitudes and better decision-making.
- Provide pastoral care through worship events, instruction in spiritual matters, pastoral counseling, and a variety of therapeutic programs.
- Assess the religious needs of the offender population and develop programs appropriate to the meeting of those needs.
- Select, train, and place all unit Chaplaincy staff.
- Participate as active members of the Crisis Response Intervention Support Program.
- Develop continuum of care plans for release preparation through coordination with the TDCJ-Parole Division.
- Work directly with all other divisions of TDCJ to incorporate religious community input into every phase of offender treatment and rehabilitation.
- Coordinate and oversee religious volunteer program
 - ⇒ Recruit, train, place and manage a cross section of volunteers to support Chaplaincy programs;
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- spiritual classes
- worship services for multiple faiths
- structured activities
- limited television
- accountability/support groups

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM

The following is a representative, not an exhaustive, list of special ministry events conducted by chaplaincy departments at various units of the TDCJ.

- **Bartlett Unit**

Aug 19: Myron Hickey Ministry special worship service

- **Beto Unit**

Aug 13: Kairos retreat

Aug 27: Spanish Connection special worship service

- **Boyd Unit**

Aug 13: Kairos reunion

Aug 20: Achor Ministries marriage seminar

- **Briscoe Unit**

Aug 6: Prison Fellowship seminar "Surviving and Thriving"

- **Daniel Unit**

Aug 13: People of Principle marriage seminar

Aug 16: Aleph Institute rabbinical students special visitation of Jewish offenders

- **Eastham Unit**

Aug 13: Kairos reunion

- **Ft. Stockton Unit**

Aug 19-21: People of Principle marriage seminar

- **Hilltop Unit**

Aug 20: Diocese of Austin Catholic retreat

Aug 26-28: Tammy Schaefer Ministries crusade

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Huntsville Unit**

Aug 6: Kairos prayer and share

Aug 13: Kairos prayer and share

Aug 14: Roger Reno Ministries concert and worship

Aug 20: Kairos prayer and share

Aug 20: Ephesus Church concert and worship

Aug 27: Kairos reunion

Aug 28: Joy Ministry special worship service

- **Hutchins Unit**

Aug 18-21: Kairos reunion

- **Johnston Unit**

Aug 15-17: Worldwide Voice in the Wilderness marriage seminar

- **Kyle Unit**

Aug 2: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Aug 9: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Aug 16: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

- **Lockhart Unit**

Aug 4: Kairos retreat

Aug 28: Bridges to Life orientation

- **Montford Unit**

Aug 21-22: Freedom In Jesus Ministry crusade

- **Plane Unit**

Aug 19-20: Prisoner's Bible Institute Ministry crusade

Aug 27: Prison Fellowship "Heart of the Problem" seminar

- **Polunsky Unit**

Aug 5-7: Dallas Millwood Church revival

Aug 27-28: C. F. Hazelwood and The One Percenters revival

- **Rudd Unit**

Aug 13-14: Freedom in Jesus Ministry crusade

Aug 20: Kairos retreat

- **Sayle Unit**

Aug 20-21: Freedom In Jesus Ministry revival

Aug 27-28: Unchained Life Ministry revival

- **Scott Unit**

Aug 5-6: Brotherhood of St. Andrews retreat

- **Segovia Unit**

Aug 27: Kairos reunion

- **Smith Unit**

Aug 6-7: People of Principle marriage seminar

- **Stevenson Unit**

Aug 6: Kairos reunion

- **Terrell Unit**

Aug 13: People of Principle marriage seminar

Aug 19: People of Principle marriage seminar

- **Woodman Unit**

Aug 19-20: Set Them Free Ministries seminar "Untying the Lies That Bind"

- **Wallace Unit**

Aug 4-7: Kairos weekend

Aug 13: Kairos follow-up

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

Aug 21:Unchained Life Ministry revival

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

- No activity to report for August 2011

GOVERNMENTAL LIAISON FOR FAITH AND COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMS

- Number of contacts with faith and community based organizations
526
- Number of meetings attended related to faith and community based organizations
51

ISSUES

- There is on-going communication with Chaplains and volunteer groups on the operation of faith-based dorms at the following units:

| | |
|------------|----------------------|
| Allred | Jester III |
| Beto | Kegans |
| Bradshaw | Lindsey |
| Bridgeport | Lockhart |
| Connally | Mineral Wells |
| Darrington | Montford |
| Dawson | Murray |
| Dominguez | Ney |
| Eastham | Plane |
| Estes | Polunsky |
| Ferguson | Terrell |
| Goree | Torres and Torres TM |
| Hightower | Travis |
| Hobby | Vance |
| Hutchins | Willacy |
| | Wynne |

CURRENT ACTION PLANS

Current Action Plans: None

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

The Chaplaincy Department of the Rehabilitation and Reentry Programs Division is committed to promoting an atmosphere, which allows those desiring spiritual wholeness, the necessary conditions for experiencing such. Emphasis is placed on the promotion and encouragement of family ties as well as other positive relationships, which will assist in the reintegration of offenders into society. Through the provision of religious services, one-on-one ministry, counseling and encouragement, offenders are given the capability of coping with the pressures, pain and consequently the reality of daily living. Chaplaincy, at the unit level, is dependent upon offender population and is staffed accordingly. Accommodations for unit Chaplaincy needs are based on such factors as population size and faith orientation. Unit programming is dependent on space and time allotment.

No CIRC Update for August 2011

| Work Measures | | |
|--|-----------------------|---------------------|
| Monthly Report for August 2011 | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
| Volunteer Chaplain Visits | 3,403 | 33,128 |
| Hrs. Worked by Volunteer Chaplains | 14,293 | 139,350 |
| Life Changes Academy Track I - Specialty Programs | | |
| Svori | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 0 | 567 |
| Volunteer Hours | 0 | 1,463 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 31,114 |
| InnerChange | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 2,095 | 33,492 |
| Volunteer Hours | 4,995 | 72,686 |
| Offenders attending | 38,673 | 666,835 |
| Grad | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 0 | 149 |
| Volunteer Hours | 0 | 164 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 206 |
| YOP | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 60 | 1,206 |
| Volunteer Hours | 218 | 13,308 |
| Offenders attending | 1,155 | 48,226 |
| Operation Rebound | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 72 | 666 |
| Volunteer Hours | 253 | 2,493 |
| Offenders attending | 1,905 | 17,854 |
| Faith Based Dorms | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 2,008 | 18,288 |
| Volunteer Hours | 7,576 | 102,596 |
| Offenders attending | 71,301 | 848,268 |
| Life Changes Academy Track II - Mentor | | |
| Mentor visits | 1,260 | 14,981 |
| Offenders visited | 34,592 | 270,591 |
| Life Changes Academy Track III - Family Programs | | |
| Family Events | | |
| - events conducted | 23 | 230 |
| - volunteers attending | 26 | 358 |
| - volunteer hours | 967 | 17,182 |
| - family members attending | 804 | 13,718 |
| Marriage Programs | | |
| - events held | 22 | 250 |
| - volunteers attending | 66 | 654 |
| - volunteer hours | 390 | 3,675 |
| - offenders attending | 675 | 9,348 |
| - spouses attending | 0 | 8,088 |
| Parenting Programs | | |
| - events held | 25 | 338 |
| - volunteers attending | 138 | 1,872 |
| - offenders attending | 3,342 | 47,685 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 5,040 |
| Other Family Programs | | |
| - programs held | 51 | 509 |
| - volunteers attending | 30 | 541 |

| | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| - offenders attending | 294 | 8,927 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 8,352 |
| Visiting Room/Hospitality ministry | | |
| - volunteers attending | 164 | 2,337 |
| - volunteer hours | 600 | 8,915 |
| Life Changes Academy Track IV - Rehabilitation Programs | | |
| Life Skills | | |
| - classes held | 899 | 10,902 |
| - Volunteers attending | 1,967 | 20,662 |
| - Volunteer hours | 6,015 | 58,932 |
| - Offenders attending | 43,951 | 486,116 |
| Support Groups | | |
| - classes held | 485 | 4,594 |
| - Volunteers attending | 866 | 8,173 |
| - Volunteer hours | 2,014 | 19,790 |
| - Offenders attending | 30,437 | 292,074 |
| Education Programs | | |
| - classes held | 272 | 2,298 |
| - Volunteers attending | 813 | 7,238 |
| - Volunteer hours | 2,766 | 23,090 |
| - Offenders attending | 44,637 | 309,041 |
| Life Changes Academy Track V - Reentry Programs | | |
| - classes held | 359 | 3,795 |
| - Volunteers attending | 708 | 8,053 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,730 | 44,903 |
| - Offenders attending | 32,628 | 316,277 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VI - Spiritual Growth Programs | | |
| Primary Worship Services | | |
| - services held | 2,367 | 26,282 |
| - volunteers attending | 7,479 | 88,203 |
| - offenders attending | 607,124 | 6,966,884 |
| Additional Services | | |
| - services held | 2,358 | 11,071 |
| - volunteers attending | 1,893 | 19,991 |
| - offenders attending | 121,568 | 1,390,022 |
| Spiritual Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 3,596 | 29,274 |
| - volunteers attending | 13,161 | 148,314 |
| - offenders attending | 624,929 | 7,432,315 |
| Crusades | | |
| - Crusades held | 149 | 613 |
| - volunteers attending | 262 | 3,876 |
| - offenders attending | 85,429 | 709,728 |
| Other Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 459 | 3,689 |
| - volunteers attending | 4,073 | 40,229 |
| - offenders attending | 165,314 | 2,144,754 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VII - Non-Spiritual Programs | | |
| Classes meeting | 146 | 1,606 |
| Volunteers attending | 1,689 | 18,096 |
| offenders attending | 55,454 | 585,055 |

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Monthly Report for August 2011

| Staff Chaplains | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| UCC sessions participated in | 120 | 1296 |
| Classes/Study groups led | 826 | 8455 |
| Offenders attending | 21960 | 236006 |
| Worship Services led | 624 | 8726 |
| Offenders attending | 84328 | 758752 |
| Primary Muslim Services Conducted on Unit | 791 | 6435 |
| Offenders attending | 17735 | 135231 |
| Additional Muslim Svcs/Class Conducted on Unit | 3399 | 10285 |
| Offenders attending | 65801 | 192135 |
| Total Programs supervised | 8440 | 73594 |
| Ministerial Visits Facilitated | 254 | 5225 |
| I-60's Answered | 37546 | 380522 |
| Counseling groups led | 263 | 3065 |
| Counseling interviews (15 min. or longer) | 4567 | 47308 |
| Offender contacts (less than 15 min.) | 33262 | 446463 |
| Offender family emergency messages delivered | 1619 | 17191 |
| Offender phone calls supervised | 1720 | 19884 |
| Phone calls made on behalf of offenders | 1275 | 14163 |
| Offender family phone calls received | 2644 | 38810 |
| Offender family letters written | 112 | 1159 |
| Offender family letters received | 43 | 790 |
| Offender deaths worked | 41 | 445 |
| Approved volunteers supervised | 12962 | 138484 |
| Training hours. conducted | 181 | 2743 |
| Hours. TDCJ training received | 380 | 6043 |
| Hours. Denominational training received | 142 | 2666 |
| Hours. of Continuing Education | 208 | 2331 |
| Hours. of Staff Ministry performed | 1028 | 13488 |
| USSO/Post Trauma Team hours | 42 | 384 |
| Safe Prison Program hours. | 113 | 713 |
| Hours of Community Service | 304 | 4135 |
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Sept 16-17: Rock of Ages Ministry crusade

Sept 23: Unchained Ministry special worship service

- **Beto Unit**

Sept 24: Achor Restoration Ministry Day with Dad

- **Boyd Unit**

Sept 10: Kairos reunion

- **Clements Unit**

Sept 22-25: Kairos retreat

- **Cotulla Unit**

Sept 23-24: Prison Fellowship seminar "Staying on Track"

- **Dalhart Unit**

Sept 17: Prisoners of Christ Ministry drama, play and special worship service

- **Darrington Unit**

Sept 23-24: Prison Fellowship seminar "Staying on Track"

- **Eastham Unit**

Sept 9-11: Southwest Texas Prison Ministry crusade

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Gist Unit**

Sept 16-18: Somebody's Comin' Ministry crusade

- **Havins Unit**

Sept 3: Next Step and Brownwood Family Service Inside/Out Dads graduation ceremony

- **Hodge Unit**

Sept 15-17: John Yaws Ministry crusade

- **Huntsville Unit**

Sept 3: Kairos prayer and share

Sept 3-5: Kairos walk

Sept 10: Kairos prayer and share

Sept 17: Kairos prayer and share

Sept 17: Ephesus Church concert and worship

Sept 23: COOL Ministries concert and worship

Sept 24: Kairos reunion

Sept 28: Randy Wilkins concert and worship

- **Johnston Unit**

Sept 8-10: Rock of Ages crusade

- **Kegans Unit**

Sept 10: Alpha Prison Ministry marriage seminar

Sept 14: City of Houston, Director of Program Services seminar "Make that Change"

Sept 17: Alpha Prison Ministry marriage seminar

Sept 24: Alpha Prison Ministry marriage seminar

Sept 28: Goodwill Industries, Employment Specialist seminar for Veteran's Assistance

- **Kyle Unit**

Sept 13: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Sept 20: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Sept 20: Chaplain Omar Shakir special Muslim service

Sept 27: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

- **Lockhart Unit**

Sept 30: Kairos reunion

- **Lockhart Unit**

Sept 19: COOL Ministries praise and worship concert

- **Neal Unit**

Sept 4: Johnson Chapel Ame Church special worship service

Sept 10: Kairos prayer and share

Sept 11: First Baptist Church special worship service

Sept 17-18: Believer Faith Ministry crusade

Sept 17: Kairos reunion

Sept 24: Faith Clinic Prison Ministry special worship service

Sept 25: Take Up Your Cross Ministry special worship service

- **Pack Unit**

Sept 25: The Answer Prison Ministry crusade

- **Plane Unit**

Sept 17: Prison Fellowship "HOPE" seminar

- **Polunsky Unit**

Sept 9-11: John Yaws Ministry revival

- **Robertson Unit**

Sept 10: Kairos reunion

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Rudd Unit**

Sept 10: Kairos retreat

- **Sayle Unit**

Sept 8-10: Mike Barber Ministries crusade

- **Segovia Unit**

Sept 24: Kairos reunion

- **Smith Unit**

Sept 15-18: Kairos reunion

- **Stevenson Unit**

Sept 10: Kairos reunion

- **Terrell Unit**

Sept 9-11: LifeLine Ministries crusade

Sept 25: Salvation Army special worship service

- **Torres Unit**

Sept 16-17: Prison Fellowship “Winning the Victory” seminar

- **Wallace Unit**

Sept 3-4: Cantu Prison Ministry bi-lingual special worship service

Sept 23-24: Conquering Ground Ministries seminar “Renewing the Mind”

- **Woodman Unit**

Sept 1-4: Cross Prison Ministry crusade

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

- During this period, Chaplaincy Department staff attended the Stringfellow volunteer appreciation banquet.
- Chaplaincy staff attended The Heart of Texas Foundation banquet, a fundraiser headed by volunteers of Heart of Texas Ministries, to benefit the Darrington Unit seminary.

GOVERNMENTAL LIAISON FOR FAITH AND COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMS

- Number of contacts with faith and community based organizations
509
- Number of meetings attended related to faith and community based organizations
95

ISSUES

- There is on-going communication with Chaplains and volunteer groups on the operation of faith-based dorms at the following units:

| | |
|------------|----------------------|
| Allred | Jester III |
| Beto | Kegans |
| Bradshaw | Lindsey |
| Bridgeport | Lockhart |
| Connally | Mineral Wells |
| Darrington | Montford |
| Dawson | Murray |
| Dominguez | Ney |
| Eastham | Plane |
| Estes | Polunsky |
| Ferguson | Terrell |
| Goree | Torres and Torres TM |
| Hightower | Travis |
| Hobby | Vance |
| Hutchins | Willacy |
| | Wynne |

CURRENT ACTION PLANS

Current Action Plans: None

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CIRC Update for September 2011

Bradshaw / Henderson

The donor group is doing presentations to raise money.

Darrington/Brazoria

The construction is 98% complete. The plumbing in the staff bathroom had some issues when they went to tie into the sewer lines and found out that it was not the correct lines. Mr. Allen Tangler, Facilities and the donor group are working to finalize this project. During the last rain, the Chaplain reported that the new roof was leaking. Since the donor group just completed renovations inside the chapel, this could impact the newly completed renovations.

Eastham / Lovelady

The legal agreement has been signed by the Donor and Mr. McGinty. The donor group, Mr. Norman and Ms. Durda-Withers, Facilities Division have been notified and the Notice to Proceed is in process.

Jordan / Pampa

The signed donation forms were sent to me the day after the CIRC meeting. All the paperwork has been finalized and the project is complete.

Lychner / Humble

The donor group is still in the process of raising funds.

Rudd Unit / Brownfield

No Update

San Saba / San Saba

No Update

Torres Unit / Hondo

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Monthly Report for September 2011

| Work Measures | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| Work Measures | | |
| Volunteer Chaplain Visits | 3,327 | 3,327 |
| Hrs. Worked by Volunteer Chaplains | 13,690 | 13,690 |
| Life Changes Academy Track I - Specialty Programs | | |
| Svori | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 0 | 0 |
| Volunteer Hours | 0 | 0 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 0 |
| InnerChange | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 3,260 | 3,260 |
| Volunteer Hours | 6,353 | 6,353 |
| Offenders attending | 54,846 | 54,846 |
| Grad | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 4 | 4 |
| Volunteer Hours | 4 | 4 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 0 |
| YOP | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 30 | 30 |
| Volunteer Hours | 120 | 120 |
| Offenders attending | 1,054 | 1,054 |
| Operation Rebound | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 60 | 60 |
| Volunteer Hours | 196 | 196 |
| Offenders attending | 1,440 | 1,440 |
| Faith Based Dorms | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 1,632 | 1,632 |
| Volunteer Hours | 7,839 | 7,839 |
| Offenders attending | 72,515 | 72,515 |
| Life Changes Academy Track II - Mentor | | |
| Mentor visits | 1,296 | 1,296 |
| Offenders visited | 29,078 | 29,078 |
| Life Changes Academy Track III - Family Programs | | |
| Family Events | | |
| - events conducted | 16 | 16 |
| - volunteers attending | 12 | 12 |
| - volunteer hours | 18 | 18 |
| - family members attending | 324 | 324 |
| Marriage Programs | | |
| - events held | 30 | 30 |
| - volunteers attending | 39 | 39 |
| - volunteer hours | 116 | 116 |
| - offenders attending | 618 | 618 |
| - spouses attending | 102 | 102 |
| Parenting Programs | | |
| - events held | 40 | 40 |
| - volunteers attending | 186 | 186 |
| - offenders attending | 4,449 | 4,449 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 0 |
| Other Family Programs | | |
| - programs held | 60 | 60 |
| - volunteers attending | 57 | 57 |

| | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| - offenders attending | 246 | 246 |
| - family members attending | 1,176 | 1,176 |
| Visiting Room/Hospitality ministry | | |
| - volunteers attending | 199 | 199 |
| - volunteer hours | 706 | 706 |
| Life Changes Academy Track IV - Rehabilitation Programs | | |
| Life Skills | | |
| - classes held | 887 | 887 |
| - Volunteers attending | 1,919 | 1,919 |
| - Volunteer hours | 5,858 | 5,858 |
| - Offenders attending | 47,316 | 47,316 |
| Support Groups | | |
| - classes held | 462 | 462 |
| - Volunteers attending | 669 | 669 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,550 | 1,550 |
| - Offenders attending | 23,685 | 23,685 |
| Education Programs | | |
| - classes held | 258 | 258 |
| - Volunteers attending | 753 | 753 |
| - Volunteer hours | 2,564 | 2,564 |
| - Offenders attending | 38,532 | 38,532 |
| Life Changes Academy Track V - Reentry Programs | | |
| - classes held | 234 | 234 |
| - Volunteers attending | 753 | 753 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,670 | 1,670 |
| - Offenders attending | 33,375 | 33,375 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VI - Spiritual Growth Programs | | |
| Primary Worship Services | | |
| - services held | 2,324 | 2,324 |
| - volunteers attending | 7,687 | 7,687 |
| - offenders attending | 611,756 | 611,756 |
| Additional Services | | |
| - services held | 822 | 822 |
| - volunteers attending | 2,121 | 2,121 |
| - offenders attending | 135,275 | 135,275 |
| Spiritual Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 2,746 | 2,746 |
| - volunteers attending | 13,610 | 13,610 |
| - offenders attending | 684,011 | 684,011 |
| Crusades | | |
| - Crusades held | 45 | 45 |
| - volunteers attending | 111 | 111 |
| - offenders attending | 22,272 | 22,272 |
| Other Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 353 | 353 |
| - volunteers attending | 4,185 | 4,185 |
| - offenders attending | 190,125 | 190,125 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VII - Non-Spiritual Programs | | |
| Classes meeting | 126 | 126 |
| Volunteers attending | 1,520 | 1,520 |
| offenders attending | 45,072 | 45,072 |

Staff Chaplain's Work Measures

| Staff Chaplains | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
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| UCC sessions participated in | 133 | 133 |
| Classes/Study groups led | 761 | 761 |
| Offenders attending | 40987 | 40987 |
| Worship services led | 13996 | 13996 |
| Offenders attending | 104907 | 104907 |
| Primary Muslim services conducted on unit | 587 | 587 |
| Offenders attending | 13048 | 13048 |
| Additional Muslim Services/Class conducted on unit | 758 | 758 |
| Offenders attending | 11199 | 11199 |
| Total programs supervised | 6484 | 6484 |
| Ministerial visits facilitated | 250 | 250 |
| I-60's answered | 37954 | 37954 |
| Counseling groups led | 676 | 676 |
| Counseling interviews (15 min. or longer) | 4131 | 4131 |
| Offender contacts (less than 15 min.) | 40108 | 40108 |
| Offender family emergency messages delivered | 1615 | 1615 |
| Offender phone calls supervised | 1716 | 1716 |
| Phone calls made on behalf of offenders | 1770 | 1770 |
| Offender family phone calls received | 2413 | 2413 |
| Offender family letters written | 78 | 78 |
| Offender family letters received | 66 | 66 |
| Offender deaths worked | 43 | 43 |
| Approved volunteers supervised | 11709 | 11709 |
| Training hours conducted | 240 | 240 |
| Hours TDCJ training received | 386 | 386 |
| Hours Denom training received | 253 | 253 |
| Hours. of Continuing Education | 167 | 167 |
| Hours of staff ministry performed | 1288 | 1288 |
| USSO/Post Trauma Team hours | 14 | 14 |
| Safe Prison Program hrs. | 82 | 82 |
| Hours of Community Service | 414 | 414 |
| Speaking engagements | 155 | 155 |

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- **Bartlett Unit**

Oct 27-30: Kairos weekend

- **Beto Unit**

Oct 22: Achor Restoration Ministry marriage seminar

- **Briscoe Unit**

Oct 1: Prison Fellowship seminar "Surviving"

Oct 19-23: Kairos walk

- **Clements Unit**

Oct 21-22: Bill Glass crusade

- **Coffield Unit**

Oct 20-23: Kairos weekend

- **Daniel Unit**

Oct 6-9: Kairos weekend

- **Darrington Unit**

Oct 4: Conviction for Christ Ministry concert and revival

Oct 20-23: Kairos crusade

Oct 28-29: Kairos and Prison Fellowship revival

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Eastham Unit**

Oct 8: Kairos reunion

- **Ferguson Unit**

Oct 21-23: LifeLine Ministry crusade

- **Garza East Unit**

Oct 3-5: Rock of Ages Ministry crusade

- **Gist Unit**

Oct 21-23: Last Call Ministry crusade

- **Goodman Unit**

Oct 8-9: Unchained Ministry revival

- **Gurney Unit**

Oct 14-16: Prisoners Bible Institute crusade

- **Hamilton Unit**

Oct 28-30: Somebody's Comin' Ministry crusade

- **Havins Unit**

Oct 7-9: New Life Behavior fall revival

- **Hightower Unit**

Oct 13-16: Kairos weekend

- **Hilltop Unit**

Oct 20-23: Kairos weekend

- **Hodge Unit**

Oct 8: Living Proof Ministry concert and worship

Oct 22: Truth and Compassion Ministry concert and worship

- **Hutchins Unit**

Oct 6-8: Mike Barber crusade

- **Johnston Unit**

Oct 1: Foot of the Cross Ministries special worship service

Oct 7-9: Residents Encounter Christ revival

Oct 9: Fruitful Harvest hygiene bag giveaway

- **Kyle Unit**

Oct 4: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Oct 11: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Oct 14-15: Chariots of Light Christian Bikers crusade

Oct 18: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Oct 25: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

- **Lockhart Unit**

Oct 13-16: Kairos retreat

Oct 29: Florescitos de Cristo Ministry revival and retreat

- **Michael Unit**

Oct 13-16: Kairos weekend

- **Neal Unit**

Oct 1: Spirit Ministry special worship service

Oct 2: Johnson Chapel Ame Church special worship service

Oct 6-9: Kairos walk

Oct 16: First Baptist Church special worship service

Oct 21-22: Bill Glass crusade

Oct 23: Take Up Your Cross Ministry special worship service

Oct 29: City Hard Core Ministry special worship service

Oct 30: Comanche Trail Church of Christ special worship service

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Pack Unit**

Oct 13-15: John Yaws Ministry crusade

Oct 16: Myoken Temple Buddhist retreat

- **Plane Unit**

Oct 8: Prison Fellowship Anger Management seminar

Oct 21-22: The Lighthouse Church Discipleship 101

- **Ramsey Unit**

Oct 22-23: Streets of Houston crusade

- **Roach Unit**

Oct 21-23: Believers Faith Ministry revival

- **Rudd Unit**

Oct 8: Kairos reunion

Oct 8-9: Freedom in Jesus Ministries crusade

- **Sayle Unit**

Oct 2: Up from the Ashes Ministry revival

Oct 8-9: Freedom in Jesus Ministry crusade

Oct 22: Warriors for Christ praise and worship

- **Segovia Unit**

Oct 22: Kairos reunion

- **Skyview Unit**

Oct 8: Living Proof Ministry concert and worship

Oct 22: Truth and Compassion Ministry concert and worship

- **Smith Unit**

Oct 7-9: Southwest Texas Prison Ministry reconcilers crusade

- **Stevenson Unit**

Oct 8: Kairos reunion

- **Stiles Unit**

Oct 14-16: Kairos reunion

- **Torres Unit**

Oct 6-9: Kairos walk

- **Tulia Unit**

Oct 22-23: Outer Camp Ministries crusade

- **Wallace Unit**

Oct 1: Kairos weekend

Oct 13: Eagle Ministries special worship service

Oct 16: Unchained Life Ministries special worship service

Oct 27-29: Rock of Ages crusade

- **Ware Unit**

Oct 7-8: Prison Fellowship seminar "You are Somebody Special"

- **Woodman Unit**

Oct 21-22: Set Them Free Ministry workshop "Princess Warrior"

Oct 29: Christian Community Church concert and worship

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

- Chaplaincy staff attend the first Restorative Justice Ministry Network Ex-offender Conference in Huntsville, Texas.
- During this period, Chaplaincy Department staff attended the Stringfellow and Ellis Unit volunteer appreciation banquet.
- A Chaplaincy staff member attended the Kairos State meeting in Austin, Texas.
- Chaplaincy staff attended the Eastham Therapon Bible Institute offender graduation.

GOVERNMENTAL LIAISON FOR FAITH AND COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMS

- Number of contacts with faith and community based organizations
723
- Number of meetings attended related to faith and community based organizations
84

ISSUES

- There is on-going communication with Chaplains and volunteer groups on the operation of faith-based dorms at the following units:

| | |
|------------|----------------------|
| Allred | Jester III |
| Beto | Kegans |
| Bradshaw | Lindsey |
| Bridgeport | Lockhart |
| Connally | Mineral Wells |
| Darrington | Montford |
| Dawson | Murray |
| Dominguez | Ney |
| Eastham | Plane |
| Ellis | Polunsky |
| Estelle | Stevenson |
| Estes | Terrell |
| Ferguson | Torres and Torres TM |
| Goree | Travis |
| Hightower | Vance |
| Hobby | Willacy |
| Hutchins | Wynne |

CURRENT ACTION PLANS

Current Action Plans: None

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

The Chaplaincy Department of the Rehabilitation and Reentry Programs Division is committed to promoting an atmosphere, which allows those desiring spiritual wholeness, the necessary conditions for experiencing such. Emphasis is placed on the promotion and encouragement of family ties as well as other positive relationships, which will assist in the reintegration of offenders into society. Through the provision of religious services, one-on-one ministry, counseling and encouragement, offenders are given the capability of coping with the pressures, pain and consequently the reality of daily living. Chaplaincy, at the unit level, is dependent upon offender population and is staffed accordingly. Accommodations for unit Chaplaincy needs are based on such factors as population size and faith orientation. Unit programming is dependent on space and time allotment.

CIRC Update for September 2011

Bradshaw / Henderson

The donor group is doing presentations to raise money.

Darrington/Brazoria

The construction is 98% complete. The plumbing in the staff bathroom had some issues when they went to tie into the sewer lines and found out that it was not the correct lines. Mr. Allen Tangler, Facilities and the donor group are working to finalize this project. During the last rain, the Chaplain reported that the new roof was leaking. Since the donor group just completed renovations inside the chapel, this could impact the newly completed renovations.

Eastham / Lovelady

The legal agreement has been signed by the Donor and Mr. McGinty. The donor group, Mr. Norman and Ms. Durda-Withers, Facilities Division have been notified and the Notice to Proceed is in process.

Jordan / Pampa

The signed donation forms were sent to me the day after the CIRC meeting. All the paperwork has been finalized and the project is complete.

Lychner / Humble

The donor group is still in the process of raising funds.

Rudd Unit / Brownfield

No Update

San Saba / San Saba

No Update

Torres Unit / Hondo

The donor group is still in the process of raising funds.

Monthly Report for October 2011

| Work Measures | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|-----------------------|---------------------|
| Work Measures | | |
| Volunteer Chaplain Visits | 3,448 | 6,775 |
| Hrs. Worked by Volunteer Chaplains | 14,807 | 28,497 |
| Life Changes Academy Track I - Specialty Programs | | |
| Svori | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 0 | 0 |
| Volunteer Hours | 0 | 0 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 0 |
| InnerChange | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 3,323 | 6,583 |
| Volunteer Hours | 7,094 | 13,447 |
| Offenders attending | 62,152 | 116,998 |
| Grad | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 0 | 4 |
| Volunteer Hours | 0 | 4 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 0 |
| YOP | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 261 | 291 |
| Volunteer Hours | 4,372 | 4,492 |
| Offenders attending | 9,792 | 10,846 |
| Operation Rebound | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 72 | 132 |
| Volunteer Hours | 268 | 465 |
| Offenders attending | 1,617 | 3,057 |
| Faith Based Dorms | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 2,313 | 3,945 |
| Volunteer Hours | 17,524 | 25,363 |
| Offenders attending | 94,236 | 166,751 |
| Life Changes Academy Track II - Mentor | | |
| Mentor visits | 1,131 | 2,427 |
| Offenders visited | 19,288 | 48,366 |
| Life Changes Academy Track III - Family Programs | | |
| Family Events | | |
| - events conducted | 29 | 45 |
| - volunteers attending | 0 | 12 |
| - volunteer hours | 736 | 754 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 324 |
| Marriage Programs | | |
| - events held | 49 | 79 |
| - volunteers attending | 48 | 87 |
| - volunteer hours | 108 | 224 |
| - offenders attending | 837 | 1,455 |
| - spouses attending | 30 | 132 |
| Parenting Programs | | |
| - events held | 44 | 84 |
| - volunteers attending | 225 | 411 |
| - offenders attending | 5,142 | 9,591 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 0 |
| Other Family Programs | | |
| - programs held | 72 | 132 |
| - volunteers attending | 69 | 126 |

| | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| - offenders attending | 504 | 750 |
| - family members attending | 783 | 1,959 |
| Visiting Room/Hospitality ministry | | |
| - volunteers attending | 181 | 380 |
| - volunteer hours | 632 | 1,338 |
| Life Changes Academy Track IV - Rehabilitation Programs | | |
| Life Skills | | |
| - classes held | 1,002 | 1,889 |
| - Volunteers attending | 1,992 | 3,911 |
| - Volunteer hours | 6,186 | 12,044 |
| - Offenders attending | 53,218 | 100,534 |
| Support Groups | | |
| - classes held | 465 | 927 |
| - Volunteers attending | 765 | 1,434 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,659 | 3,209 |
| - Offenders attending | 24,684 | 48,369 |
| Education Programs | | |
| - classes held | 305 | 563 |
| - Volunteers attending | 771 | 1,524 |
| - Volunteer hours | 2,884 | 5,448 |
| - Offenders attending | 41,742 | 80,274 |
| Life Changes Academy Track V - Reentry Programs | | |
| - classes held | 390 | 624 |
| - Volunteers attending | 1,155 | 1,908 |
| - Volunteer hours | 2,856 | 4,526 |
| - Offenders attending | 54,101 | 87,476 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VI - Spiritual Growth Programs | | |
| Primary Worship Services | | |
| - services held | 2,506 | 4,830 |
| - volunteers attending | 9,151 | 16,838 |
| - offenders attending | 730,684 | 1,342,440 |
| Additional Services | | |
| - services held | 902 | 1,724 |
| - volunteers attending | 2,000 | 4,121 |
| - offenders attending | 121,652 | 256,927 |
| Spiritual Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 2,724 | 5,470 |
| - volunteers attending | 18,069 | 31,679 |
| - offenders attending | 959,404 | 1,643,415 |
| Crusades | | |
| - Crusades held | 81 | 126 |
| - volunteers attending | 552 | 663 |
| - offenders attending | 84,825 | 107,097 |
| Other Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 354 | 707 |
| - volunteers attending | 3,944 | 8,129 |
| - offenders attending | 198,994 | 389,119 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VII - Non-Spiritual Programs | | |
| Classes meeting | 169 | 295 |
| Volunteers attending | 1,724 | 3,244 |
| offenders attending | 39,744 | 84,816 |

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|---|-----------------------|---------------------|
| UCC sessions participated in | 121 | 254 |
| Classes/Study groups led | 861 | 1622 |
| Offenders attending | 24657 | 65644 |
| Worship Services led | 663 | 14659 |
| Offenders attending | 153612 | 258519 |
| Primary Muslim Services Conducted on Unit | 523 | 1110 |
| Offenders attending | 11734 | 24782 |
| Additional Muslim Srvices/Class Conducted on Unit | 710 | 1468 |
| Offenders attending | 12203 | 23402 |
| Total Programs supervised | 6639 | 13123 |
| Ministerial Visits Facilitated | 315 | 565 |
| I-60's Answered | 37918 | 75872 |
| Counseling groups led | 584 | 1260 |
| Counseling interviews (15 min. or longer) | 3922 | 8053 |
| Offender contacts (less than 15 min.) | 43881 | 83989 |
| Offender family emergency messages delivered | 1669 | 3284 |
| Offender phone calls supervised | 1741 | 3457 |
| Phone calls made on behalf of offenders | 1276 | 3046 |
| Offender family phone calls received | 2550 | 4963 |
| Offender family letters written | 86 | 164 |
| Offender family letters received | 61 | 127 |
| Offender deaths worked | 59 | 102 |
| Approved volunteers supervised | 13656 | 25365 |
| Training hours. conducted | 384 | 624 |
| Hours TDCJ training received | 1532 | 1918 |
| Hours Denominational training received | 612 | 865 |
| Hours of Continuing Education | 328 | 495 |
| Hours of Staff Ministry performed | 1129 | 2417 |
| USSO/Post Trauma Team hours. | 31 | 45 |
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Nov 10-13: Kairos weekend

- **Connally Unit**

Nov 5-8: Kairos weekend

Nov 18-19: One Day with God

- **Cotulla Unit**

Nov 12: Crusade to Every Prison Ministry

- **Crain Unit**

Nov 17-19: Rock of Ages Crusade

- **Daniel Unit**

Nov 10-11: Isaiah 42:16 Ministries

- **Dalhart Unit**

Nov 10-13: Kairos weekend

- **Eastham Unit**

Nov 10-13: Kairos weekend

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Halbert Unit**

Nov 5: "From the Dust" Concert

- **Hamilton Unit**

Nov 12: Family Day (Sponsored by Church of Christ, Bryan/College Station)

- **Hightower Unit**

Nov 12: Prison Fellowship (PFM) Crusade

- **Hobby Unit**

Nov 3-5: Mike Barber Crusade

Nov 9-12: Kairos weekend

Nov 18-20: Vineyard of Hope Retreat

- **Kyle Unit**

Nov 1: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Nov 8: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Nov 15: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Nov 22: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Nov 29: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

- **Lockhart Unit**

Nov 11: Daughters of Destiny (female unit)

Nov 19: Family Day (male unit)

- **Lynaugh Unit**

Nov 4-6: Southwest Texas Prison Ministries and Family Outreach Revival

Nov 10-13: Kairos weekend

- **Marlin Unit**

Nov 3-5: Mike Barber Crusades

- **McConnell Unit**

Nov 3-6: Kairos weekend

- **Mineral Well Unit**

Nov 4-5: Bill Glass Crusades

- **Montford Unit**

Nov 17-20: Kairos weekend

- **Neal Unit**

Nov 5: Ground Level Ministry (special service)

Nov 6: Johnson Chapel Church (special service)

Nov 12: Kairos prayer and share

Nov 13: First Baptist Church (special service)

Nov 19: Kairos Weekend

Nov 20: Believers Faith Ministry (special service)

Oct 29: Take Up Your Cross Ministry (special service in English & Spanish)

- **Plane Unit**

Nov 19: Parenting from the Inside Out (PFM)

Nov 26: Financial Seminar (PFM)

Nov 26: Christmas Card Distribution- Somebody's Coming Ministry

- **Ramsey Unit**

Nov 19-20: Trinity Crusades

- **Roach Unit**

Nov 25-27: Three Day Revival (conducted by CVCA, Carl Cox)

- **Rudd Unit**

Nov 12: Kairos reunion

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Sayle Unit**

Nov 19-20: Unchained Life Ministries Revival

- **Scott Unit**

Nov 11-13: Streets of Houston Crusade

- **Segovia Unit**

Nov 19: Kairos reunion

- **Stevenson Unit**

Nov 12: Kairos reunion

- **Stiles Unit**

Nov 12: Annual Veterans' Meeting

- **Wallace Unit**

Nov 5: Kairos weekend

Nov 18-19: PFM Seminar

- **Ware Unit**

Nov 8-9: Isaiah 42:16 Revival

Nov 19: Crown Financial Ministry Seminar

- **Woodman Unit**

Nov 3-6: Discipleship Unlimited Crusade

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

- During this period, Chaplaincy Department staff attended the Halbert and Glossbrenner Unit volunteer appreciation banquet.
- A Chaplaincy staff member attended a statewide annual Texas Catholic Correctional Ministries (TCCM) in Austin, Texas.

GOVERNMENTAL LIAISON FOR FAITH AND COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAMS

- Number of contacts with faith and community based organizations
685
- Number of meetings attended related to faith and community based organizations
69

ISSUES

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|------------|----------------------|
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| Bradshaw | Lockhart |
| Bridgeport | Mineral Wells |
| Connally | Montford |
| Darrington | Murray |
| Dawson | Ney |
| Dominguez | Plane |
| Eastham | Polunsky |
| Ellis | Ramsey |
| Estelle | Stevenson |
| Estes | Stringfellow |
| Ferguson | Terrell |
| Goree | Torres and Torres TM |
| Hightower | Travis |
| Hobby | Vance and Vance TM |
| Hutchins | Willacy |
| Jester III | Wynne |

CURRENT ACTION PLANS

Current Action Plans: None

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

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Lychner / Humble

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Rudd Unit / Brownfield

No Update

San Saba / San Saba

No Update

Torres Unit / Hondo

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| Monthly Report for November 2011 | | |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
| Work Measures | | |
| Volunteer Chaplain Visits | 3,281 | 10,056 |
| Hrs. Worked by Volunteer Chaplains | 13,086 | 41,584 |
| Life Changes Academy Track I - Specialty Programs | | |
| SVORI | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 0 | 0 |
| Volunteer Hours | 0 | 0 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 0 |
| InnerChange | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 482 | 7,065 |
| Volunteer Hours | 829 | 14,276 |
| Offenders attending | 5,478 | 122,476 |
| GRAD | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 0 | 4 |
| Volunteer Hours | 0 | 4 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 0 |
| YOP | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 15 | 306 |
| Volunteer Hours | 43 | 4,535 |
| Offenders attending | 126 | 10,972 |
| Operation Rebound | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 51 | 183 |
| Volunteer Hours | 185 | 649 |
| Offenders attending | 1,011 | 4,068 |
| Faith Based Dorms | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 1,628 | 5,573 |
| Volunteer Hours | 9,488 | 34,851 |
| Offenders attending | 72,990 | 239,741 |
| Life Changes Academy Track II - Mentor | | |
| Mentor visits | 762 | 3,189 |
| Offenders visited | 17,601 | 65,967 |
| Life Changes Academy Track III - Family Programs | | |
| Family Events | | |
| - events conducted | 80 | 125 |
| - volunteers attending | 0 | 12 |
| - volunteer hours | 218 | 972 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 324 |
| Marriage Programs | | |
| - events held | 27 | 106 |
| - volunteers attending | 18 | 105 |
| - volunteer hours | 38 | 262 |
| - offenders attending | 249 | 1,704 |
| - spouses attending | 0 | 132 |
| Parenting Programs | | |
| - events held | 37 | 121 |
| - volunteers attending | 165 | 576 |
| - offenders attending | 4,119 | 13,710 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 0 |
| Other Family Programs | | |
| - programs held | 59 | 191 |
| - volunteers attending | 51 | 177 |

| | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|----------------|--------------|
| - offenders attending | 540 | 1,290 |
| - family members attending | 780 | 2,739 |
| Visiting Room/Hospitality ministry | | |
| - volunteers attending | 190 | 570 |
| - volunteer hours | 732 | 2,070 |
| Life Changes Academy Track IV - Rehabilitation Programs | | |
| Life Skills | | |
| - classes held | 881 | 2,770 |
| - Volunteers attending | 1,338 | 5,249 |
| - Volunteer hours | 3,097 | 15,141 |
| - Offenders attending | 34,287 | 134,821 |
| Support Groups | | |
| - classes held | 374 | 1,301 |
| - Volunteers attending | 585 | 2,019 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,295 | 4,504 |
| - Offenders attending | 22,191 | 70,560 |
| Education Programs | | |
| - classes held | 215 | 778 |
| - Volunteers attending | 426 | 1,950 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,480 | 6,928 |
| - Offenders attending | 30,576 | 110,850 |
| Life Changes Academy Track V - Reentry Programs | | |
| - classes held | 381 | 1,005 |
| - Volunteers attending | 1,035 | 2,943 |
| - Volunteer hours | 2,632 | 7,158 |
| - Offenders attending | 45,739 | 133,215 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VI - Spiritual Growth Programs | | |
| Primary Worship Services | | |
| - services held | 2,287 | 7,117 |
| - volunteers attending | 7,452 | 24,290 |
| - offenders attending | 629,219 | 1,971,659 |
| Additional Services | | |
| - services held | 873 | 2,597 |
| - volunteers attending | 1,878 | 5,999 |
| - offenders attending | 157,588 | 414,515 |
| Spiritual Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 2,524 | 7,994 |
| - volunteers attending | 13,436 | 45,115 |
| - offenders attending | 707,935 | 2,351,350 |
| Crusades | | |
| - Crusades held | 142 | 268 |
| - volunteers attending | 1,152 | 1,815 |
| - offenders attending | 121,193 | 228,290 |
| Other Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 356 | 1,063 |
| - volunteers attending | 3,272 | 11,401 |
| - offenders attending | 178,062 | 567,181 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VII - Non-Spiritual Programs | | |
| Classes meeting | 145 | 440 |
| Volunteers attending | 1,357 | 4,601 |
| offenders attending | 37,434 | 122,250 |

Staff Chaplain's Work Measures

| Staff Chaplains | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
|--|-----------------------|---------------------|
| UCC sessions participated in | 105 | 359 |
| Classes/Study groups led | 752 | 2374 |
| Offenders attending | 24429 | 90073 |
| Worship Services led | 625 | 15284 |
| Offenders attending | 58335 | 316854 |
| Primary Muslim Svcs Conducted on Unit | 506 | 1616 |
| Offenders attending | 13091 | 37873 |
| Add't Muslim Svcs/Class Conducted on Unit | 643 | 2111 |
| Offenders attending | 10884 | 34286 |
| Total Programs supervised | 5937 | 19060 |
| Ministerial Visits Facilitated | 237 | 802 |
| I-60's Answered | 36136 | 112008 |
| Counseling groups led | 208 | 1468 |
| Counseling interviews (15 min. or longer) | 4598 | 12651 |
| Offender contacts (less than 15 min.) | 40843 | 124832 |
| Offender family emergency messages delivered | 1782 | 5066 |
| Offender phone calls supervised | 1715 | 5172 |
| Phone calls made on behalf of offenders | 1115 | 4161 |
| Offender family phone calls received | 2540 | 7503 |
| Offender family letters written | 76 | 240 |
| Offender family letters received | 46 | 173 |
| Offender deaths worked | 43 | 145 |
| Approved volunteers supervised | 11726 | 37091 |
| Training hrs. conducted | 241 | 865 |
| Hrs. TDCJ training received | 624 | 2542 |
| Hrs. Denom training received | 263 | 1128 |
| Hrs. of Continuing Education | 260 | 755 |
| Hrs. of Staff Ministry performed | 1210 | 3627 |
| USSO/Post Trauma Team hrs. | 24 | 69 |
| Safe Prison Program hrs. | 58 | 225 |
| Hrs. of Community Service | 370 | 1171 |
| Speaking engagements | 120 | 489 |

**Texas Department of Criminal Justice
Rehabilitation Programs Division
Department Report
December 2011**

CHAPLAINCY

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| Manager III Marvin Dunbar | Department or Program Head: Bill Pierce and Richard Lopez | Phone #: (936) 437-3028 |
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MISSION

The mission of the Chaplaincy Department of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice (TDCJ) is to positively impact public safety and the reduction of recidivism through the rehabilitation and re-integration of adult felons into society. This is accomplished by the availability of comprehensive pastoral care, by the management of quality programming, and through the promotion of therapeutic religious community activities. It is the purpose of Chaplaincy to provide guidance and nurture to those searching for meaning in life and to those offenders who are in transition. Programs, activities and community participation are prudently managed wherein individuals have an opportunity to pursue religious beliefs, reconcile relationships and strengthen the nuclear family.

AUTHORITY

Administrative Directive: AD 07.30 (rev. 6)

Chaplaincy services shall be provided within TDCJ operated units or contracted facilities in order to serve offenders who desire to practice elements of their religion. It is the policy of TDCJ to extend to offenders of all faiths, reasonable and equitable opportunities to pursue religious beliefs and participate in religious activities and programs that do not endanger the safe, secure and orderly operation of the Agency. Participation in all religious activities and attendance at religious services of worship is strictly voluntary. No employee, contractor or volunteer shall disparage the religious beliefs of any offender or compel any offender to make a change of religious preference. Chaplaincy services shall strive to assist offenders who desire to incorporate religious beliefs and practices into a process for positive change in personal behaviors by offering meaningful, rehabilitative religious programming as an important tool for successful reintegration into society.

ANNUAL BUDGET

POSITIONS ALLOCATED / FILLED

FY 2012 - \$5,055,776

130/121 (9 Professional Vacancies)

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Programs of the Chaplaincy Department include and are not limited to:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provision of Services to Offenders/Families • Weekly Religious Services • Pastoral Care/Counseling/Small group • Specialized Programs • Mentoring • Family Programming • Rehabilitation Programming • Reentry Programming • Spiritual Growth Groups • Non-Religious Programming • Voyager Life Skills Programs | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Religious Volunteer Programs • Faith Based Pre-Release Programs • Youthful Offender Programming • Visitation/Hospitality Ministry • Building Projects/Chapel Construction • Hospice Care • Female Task Force • Faith-Based Pre-Release Facility • Family Visitors Center & Hospitality Houses • Ministry to death row offenders and their families |
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PROCEDURAL OVERVIEW

- Assist the offenders in their search for meaning in life in such a way as to encourage healthier attitudes and better decision-making.
- Provide pastoral care through worship events, instruction in spiritual matters, pastoral counseling, and a variety of therapeutic programs.
- Assess the religious needs of the offender population and develop programs appropriate to the meeting of those needs.
- Select, train, and place all unit Chaplaincy staff.
- Participate as active members of the Crisis Response Intervention Support Program.
- Develop continuum of care plans for release preparation through coordination with the TDCJ-Parole Division.
- Work directly with all other divisions of TDCJ to incorporate religious community input into every phase of offender treatment and rehabilitation.
- Coordinate and oversee religious volunteer program
 - ⇒ Recruit, train, place and manage a cross section of volunteers to support Chaplaincy programs;
 - ⇒ Process and serve as the clearing-house for religious volunteer applications.

FAITH BASED DORMS

In addition, the Chaplaincy Department coordinates the implementation of faith based dorms. These dorms offer support and accountability, along with faith based curriculum and mentoring program. The programming is conducted by local faith based community volunteers whose activities are directed by the unit chaplain and unit administration. Faith based dorms are open to offenders of all faiths and generally include:

- life skills classes
- spiritual classes
- worship services for multiple faiths
- structured activities
- limited television
- accountability/support groups

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM

The following is a representative, not an exhaustive, list of special ministry events conducted by chaplaincy departments at various units of the TDCJ.

- **Allred Unit**

Dec 10: Kairos Reunion

Dec 14: Christmas Snack Distribution- Christ's Prison Ministry

Dec 17: Horizon Program Graduation

- **Boyd Unit**

Dec 10: Day With Dads- Achor Prison Ministries

Dec 16: Christmas Concert- Lakeview Methodist Church

Dec 17: Christmas Bag Distribution- Dallas Coalition

- **Beto Unit**

Dec 10: Christmas Party- Kairos Prison Ministry

Dec 17: Christmas Bag Distribution- Coalition of Churches

- **Cotulla Unit**

Dec 9: Christmas Concert- Prison Fellowship

Dec 18: Christmas Bag Distribution- Salvation Army

- **Daniel Unit**

Dec 10: Roman Catholic Christmas Service (special service)

Dec 12: Native American Celebration- Winter Solstice

Dec 17: Christmas Bag Distribution- First Baptist Church

- **Duncan Unit**

Dec 4: Evangelistic Sports Event- Sports Reach Ministries

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Estes Unit**

Dec 15-18: Kairos Weekend

- **Gist State Jail**

Dec 2-3: Bill Glass Crusade

- **Goodman Unit**

Dec 16: Mothers Holiday Program

- **Havins Unit**

Dec 10: Annual Christmas Hygiene- Salvation Army

- **Hightower Unit**

Dec 3: Bill Glass Crusade

- **Hilltop Unit**

Dec 3: Christmas Bag Distribution- North Texas Assemblies of God Church

Dec 10: Christmas Bag Distribution- Salvation Army

Dec 10: Christmas Bag Distribution- Mannequin Ministries

Dec 11: Majestic Reign Christmas Play

- **Hobby Unit**

Dec 9-11 Somebody's Comin' Ministry Crusade

- **Hospital Galveston**

Dec 8: Christmas Bag Distribution- Salvation Army

Dec 17: Christmas Bag Distribution- Lionzbride Ministry

Dec 27: Christmas Bag Distribution- Christ's Hope and Reconciliation Ministry

- **Kyle Unit**

Dec 6: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Dec 11: Life Unlimited Church/Chariots of Light (special service)

Dec 13: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

Dec 20: Bridges to Life Victim/Offender Encounter

- **Lockhart Unit**

Dec 9: Rock of Ages Crusade

Dec 17: Kairos Reunion

Dec 17: Crossfire Concert- Tim and Jack Revell

Dec ____: Sample of Bread of Life Ministry (special service)

Dec 31: Ta'Leem (special Muslim event)

- **Luther Unit**

Dec 11: Christmas Special Worship- Spring First Assembly

Dec 17: Christmas Cantata- Memorial Baptist Church

Dec 24: Annual Christmas Eve Praise and Worship- Hope Ministry of Texas

- **McConnell Unit**

Dec 2-9: Kerygma Catholic Retreat- Prison Ministry of the Diocese of Corpus Christ

- **Mountain View Unit**

Dec 2: Christmas Bag Distribution- North Texas Assemblies of God Church

- **Neal Unit**

Dec 10: Kairos Prayer and Share

Dec 11: First Baptist Church (special service)

Dec 17-18: Bible Believers Baptist Church (special service)

- **Pack Unit**

Dec 3: Christmas Concert- Sugar Creek Baptist Church

Dec 18: Christmas Concert- Christ Our Light Catholic Church

- **Plane State Jail**

Dec 1-2: Bill Glass Crusade

CURRENT STATUS OF PROGRAM (Continued)

- **Robertson Unit**

Dec 10: Kairos Reunion

Dec 17: Kairos Community

- **Sayle Unit**

Dec 1: Christmas Card Distribution- Truth Forum Institute

Dec 8: Bible Distribution- Gideons

Dec 17: Christmas Bag Distribution- Salt and Light Ministry

Dec 18: Revival- Up From the Ashes

- **Segovia Unit**

Dec 17: Kairos Reunion

- **Skyview Unit**

Dec 03: Singing Christmas Tree Program- Baylor Baptist Church

- **Stevenson Unit**

Dec 3: Kairos Reunion

- **Stiles Unit**

Dec 2-4: Bill Glass Crusade

- **Wallace Unit**

Dec 3: Kairos

- **Ware Unit**

Dec 3: First Baptist Church (special service)

Dec 25: Christmas Bag Distribution

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

- During this period, Chaplaincy Department staff attended Eastham Unit volunteer appreciation banquet.
- Chaplaincy Department staff attended the Bridges to Life Vision Luncheon in Houston, Texas and the Angel Tree Christmas Party at the Vance Unit.

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| Dawson | Ney |
| Dominguez | Pack |
| Duncan | Plane |
| Eastham | Polunsky |
| Ellis | Ramsey |
| Estelle | Stevenson |
| Estes | Stringfellow |
| Ferguson | Terrell |
| Goree | Torres and Torres TM |
| Hightower | Travis |
| Hobby | Vance and Vance TM |
| Hutchins | Willacy |
| Jester III | Woodman |
| | Wynne |

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Current Action Plans: None

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Rudd / Brownfield

No update

San Saba / San Saba

No update

Torres / Hondo

Plans approved and the donor group is still in the process of raising funds.

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| | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
| Work Measures | | |
| Volunteer Chaplain Visits | 2,898 | 12,954 |
| Hrs. Worked by Volunteer Chaplains | 11,830 | 53,413 |
| Life Changes Academy Track I - Specialty Programs | | |
| SVORI | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 0 | 0 |
| Volunteer Hours | 0 | 0 |
| Offenders attending | 0 | 0 |
| InnerChange | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 1,399 | 8,464 |
| Volunteer Hours | 2,914 | 17,190 |
| Offenders attending | 45,304 | 167,780 |
| GRAD | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 5 | 9 |
| Volunteer Hours | 9 | 13 |
| Offenders attending | 150 | 150 |
| YOP | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 42 | 348 |
| Volunteer Hours | 211 | 4,746 |
| Offenders attending | 2,043 | 13,015 |
| Operation Rebound | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 51 | 234 |
| Volunteer Hours | 191 | 840 |
| Offenders attending | 945 | 5,013 |
| Faith Based Dorms | | |
| Volunteer Visits | 1,276 | 6,849 |
| Volunteer Hours | 6,075 | 40,926 |
| Offenders attending | 59,109 | 298,850 |
| Life Changes Academy Track II - Mentor | | |
| Mentor visits | 1,012 | 4,201 |
| Offenders visited | 21,991 | 87,958 |
| Life Changes Academy Track III - Family Programs | | |
| Family Events | | |
| - events conducted | 16 | 141 |
| - volunteers attending | 71 | 83 |
| - volunteer hours | 942 | 1,914 |
| - family members attending | 4,440 | 4,764 |
| Marriage Programs | | |
| - events held | 21 | 127 |
| - volunteers attending | 27 | 132 |
| - volunteer hours | 51 | 313 |
| - offenders attending | 558 | 2,262 |
| - spouses attending | 0 | 132 |
| Parenting Programs | | |
| - events held | 20 | 141 |
| - volunteers attending | 96 | 672 |
| - offenders attending | 1,299 | 15,009 |
| - family members attending | 0 | 0 |
| Other Family Programs | | |
| - programs held | 70 | 261 |
| - volunteers attending | 33 | 210 |

| | | |
|--|---------|-----------|
| - offenders attending | 117 | 1,407 |
| - family members attending | 1,452 | 4,191 |
| Visiting Room/Hospitality ministry | | |
| - volunteers attending | 191 | 761 |
| - volunteer hours | 763 | 2,833 |
| Life Changes Academy Track IV - Rehabilitation Programs | | |
| Life Skills | | |
| - classes held | 751 | 3,521 |
| - Volunteers attending | 1,383 | 6,632 |
| - Volunteer hours | 4,301 | 19,442 |
| - Offenders attending | 74,213 | 209,034 |
| Support Groups | | |
| - classes held | 279 | 1,580 |
| - Volunteers attending | 339 | 2,358 |
| - Volunteer hours | 690 | 5,194 |
| - Offenders attending | 11,934 | 82,494 |
| Education Programs | | |
| - classes held | 161 | 939 |
| - Volunteers attending | 348 | 2,298 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,180 | 8,108 |
| - Offenders attending | 26,235 | 137,085 |
| Life Changes Academy Track V - Reentry Programs | | |
| - classes held | 322 | 1,327 |
| - Volunteers attending | 700 | 3,643 |
| - Volunteer hours | 1,659 | 8,817 |
| - Offenders attending | 41,456 | 174,671 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VI - Spiritual Growth Programs | | |
| Primary Worship Services | | |
| - services held | 2,337 | 9,454 |
| - volunteers attending | 7,041 | 31,331 |
| - offenders attending | 670,074 | 2,641,733 |
| Additional Services | | |
| - services held | 767 | 3,364 |
| - volunteers attending | 1,431 | 7,430 |
| - offenders attending | 89,367 | 503,882 |
| Spiritual Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 2,239 | 10,233 |
| - volunteers attending | 9,063 | 54,178 |
| - offenders attending | 515,083 | 2,866,433 |
| Crusades | | |
| - Crusades held | 95 | 363 |
| - volunteers attending | 84 | 1,899 |
| - offenders attending | 10,170 | 238,460 |
| Other Classes | | |
| - Classes held | 294 | 1,357 |
| - volunteers attending | 3,618 | 15,019 |
| - offenders attending | 446,687 | 1,013,868 |
| Life Changes Academy Track VII - Non-Spiritual Programs | | |
| Classes meeting | 119 | 559 |
| Volunteers attending | 1,159 | 5,760 |
| offenders attending | 56,547 | 178,797 |

| Staff Chaplain's Work Measures | | |
|--|-----------------------|---------------------|
| Staff Chaplains | Monthly Totals | Year to Date |
| UCC sessions participated in | 96 | 455 |
| Classes/Study groups led | 631 | 3,005 |
| Offenders attending | 19,304 | 109,377 |
| Worship Services led | 765 | 16,049 |
| Offenders attending | 82,424 | 399,278 |
| Primary Muslim Svcs Conducted on Unit | 523 | 2,139 |
| Offenders attending | 11,511 | 49,384 |
| Add't Muslim Svcs/Class Conducted on Unit | 645 | 2,756 |
| Offenders attending | 10,024 | 44,310 |
| Total Programs supervised | 5,910 | 24,970 |
| Ministerial Visits Facilitated | 212 | 1,014 |
| I-60's Answered | 58,783 | 170,791 |
| Counseling groups led | 300 | 1,768 |
| Counseling interviews (15 min. or longer) | 3,671 | 16,322 |
| Offender contacts (less than 15 min.) | 39,689 | 164,521 |
| Offender family emergency messages delivered | 1,498 | 6,564 |
| Offender phone calls supervised | 1,478 | 6,650 |
| Phone calls made on behalf of offenders | 988 | 5,149 |
| Offender family phone calls received | 2,443 | 9,946 |
| Offender family letters written | 71 | 311 |
| Offender family letters received | 38 | 211 |
| Offender deaths worked | 133 | 278 |
| Approved volunteers supervised | 10,342 | 47,433 |
| Training hrs. conducted | 486 | 1,351 |
| Hrs. TDCJ training received | 269 | 2,811 |
| Hrs. Denom training received | 98 | 1,226 |
| Hrs. of Continuing Education | 162 | 917 |
| Hrs. of Staff Ministry performed | 1,754 | 5,381 |
| USSO/Post Trauma Team hrs. | 47 | 116 |
| Safe Prison Program hrs | 62 | 287 |
| Hrs. of Community Service | 374 | 1,545 |
| Speaking engagements | 90 | 579 |