

# PRISON LIGHTHOUSE MINISTRY NEWSLETTER, November, 2020

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**"Fear not, for I am with you; Be not dismayed, for I am your God, I will strengthen you, Yes, I will help you, I will uphold you with My righteous right hand." Isaiah 41:10**

Fear is one of the devil's tactics that he uses most in people's lives. It should not be as much a problem for believers as it is for non-believers. The evil one tries to fill us with fear if we allow him to, because he knows that fear can paralyze us. Most of the time fear causes anxiety, causing us to have a divided mind. II Timothy 1:7 says, "For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind." What a great promise God has for us in Timothy and in Isaiah 41:10, noted above! I have found God to be faithful to these promises!

Many of the men I visit with in prison have a lot of fear for what will happen when they are released. Some of them have been in prison 5 years up to 30 years, and fear the unknown. My goal is to not only help them to deal with fear through Bible promises and prayer, but also to give them applications to Christian half-way houses when needed.

Last week it we were notified that chaplains are not allowed in the prison because of the rise of Covid cases. I will stay busy with aftercare, Bible studies, and writing letters to inmates. During my time in the prison I was able to get Angel Tree

applications completed by the inmates. On the applications the men have an opportunity to write a note to their children telling them that they love them & miss them. The gifts will be delivered by church volunteers to the families, along with some Christian literature. It is a great way to reach families with the gospel! If you or your church are interested in sponsoring children, you can go online to: [www.prisonfellowship.org/about/angel-tree](http://www.prisonfellowship.org/about/angel-tree).



I received a letter from, "Prison Prayer Watch," a Texas prison ministry, saying they wanted inmates in all 50 states to pray for the persecuted church during the month of November. Their desire is to have Christian prison prayer warriors praying for the persecuted church throughout the world during the month of November, 2020. I had the opportunity to share this with the church at the prison and encouraged them that their prayers are important for the persecuted church! This gives the men behind the walls understanding that they can be a significant part of a prayer ministry. Sometimes I hear it said, "All we can do is pray", but prayer should be the first thing we do!

Thank you for your prayers and financial support! Psalm 103:1-5 is a reason to be thankful this Thanksgiving season and throughout the year!

Blessings,  
  
Harlan Moss

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