

MEET THE VOLUNTEERS!!

We really praise and thank God for the concern for the incarcerated that He has given to the Christ Behind The Wall volunteers! It is very difficult to find a place to seek out men and women with this passion to serve the Lord, but somehow He provided the following fifteen dedicated volunteers!

We thought we'd take this moment to refresh you about our mission field and the volunteers who are in the field harvesting for the Lord.

At Corcoran SATF, we have Bill Vander Kooi handling a Wednesday night class and Riley Harper handling a Tuesday afternoon and night class.

At Pleasant Valley State Prison in Coalinga, we have Patrick McGinnis on Sunday mornings, Joshua Long, spearheading Prison Fellowship's TUMI program (The Urban Ministerial Institute by World Impact) on Monday nights, Addison Jones & trainee Bennie Williams with a Monday afternoon class, Oscar Paz, Monday mornings and PVSP's Chaplain Edwin Peraza, Thursday mornings, each handling a Spanish class.

At the Fresno County Jail, we have Jason Pitts on Monday mornings, Addison Jones on Monday, Wednesday & Thursday afternoons, (Bennie will be taking one or two of these classes as soon as he is cleared), Tim Hoover on Tuesday evenings and Lupe Flores with two classes (English & Spanish) on Saturday mornings.

At Madera County Jail, we have Maria Contreras with a Women's class on Monday nights, Juliana Morales with another Women's class on Thursday nights, and Sterling Kyle, Jr. with a Men's class on Saturday mornings.

And finally, at FCI Mendota Federal prison, we have Dick Stoltz doing a Grief Share program twice a year, and Riley Harper preaching twice on the 4th Sunday of the month. The CBTW Bible Study will be starting shortly, probably Wednesday afternoons, and will be handled by Riley and Bennie Williams.

APRIL ACTIVITY

In April, 14 volunteers held 44 classes, out of 62 scheduled (71%) consisting of 505 students.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Blessings first!!! I was involved in a car accident coming home from Corcoran SATF in April, totaling my car and the other vehicle, yet neither myself or the two in the other vehicle were injured!

Also, God richly honored our request and prayers for donations to cover CBTW's printing costs for the year! The full amount was received.

1. Travel mercies on all the CBTW volunteers traveling to the prisons.
2. God to continue to supply volunteers desiring to minister to the incarcerated.

ZAC'S CORNER

No matter how bad the battle seems to be, always hold on to hope!

Hebrews 10:23



"Christ Behind The Wall exists to disciple the incarcerated with life-changing classes, based on The Word of God, to deepen their relationship with, and strengthen their faith in Jesus Christ."

"Remember those in prison as if you were their fellow prisoners..." Hebrews 13:3



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QUIPS FROM INSIDE

“Greetings Brother Riley,

“Today I received the April 2013 Newsletter, and I was so sad to hear about the ordeal with Brother Adrian at the Chino Prison (God bless him!).***

“I could not really understand why the Brothers in the faith are always facing problems. But I was thinking with my mind...I had to view it from the spirit side. If the world was, and is, willing to talk trash about our Lord Jesus, who do we think we are not to go in and out of battles and the same problems.

“When we decided to receive Jesus as our Lord and King, we signed up for all the pain and trouble too. BUT, by God’s grace we also will have the glory!

“Please give Adrian my favorite verse, Psalm 30:5:

**“WEEPING MAY LAST FOR THE NIGHT,
BUT A SHOUT OF JOY COMES IN THE MORNING.”**

“To all the Brothers in the faith, I beg you to hold on to and trust in the power of God!

God bless, Zac, D Yard Corcoran SATF

***** A reference to A WORD FROM THE HOLE in April’s CBTW Newsletter.**



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