



# SET FREE—PARTNER EDITION

## EVANGEL PRISON MINISTRIES

### *Ladies' Brunch*

*May 21st 10:00 AM*

*Minors Lane Campus*

*Tickets \$10.00 each*

*This is our 3rd annual Ladies Brunch. It will be a hat exchange and a hat, jewelry and handbag auction. There will also be a 'cupcake' contest. Bake and bring 6 or 12 of your favorite cupcakes and enter one in the contest.*



*Could you be the hostess of a table? The tables will already be decorated. All you have to do is invite five other ladies to sit at your table and be there with your guests.*

Looking forward to seeing you at the Brunch!



God Bless!  
Nadine

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## Marion Co. Crusade



# Crusades

**On the Yard Cookouts  
Marion Adjustment Center  
St. Marys, KY  
May 7 and 14**

**W**e have to go two different days to Marion Adjustment Center because one side is Minimum Security and the other Medium Security.

Marion County was the first private minimum security prison in the country. It is an 826 bed facility. Minimum Security houses inmates for five years to parole or release. Medium over five years.

Rev. Delmetria Cayson-Combs is the chaplain. She served as a pastor of the Fannie Chapel CME Church in Campbellsville for five years until she resigned to complete her seminary education. As a chaplain, her duties and responsibilities include supervision and training of all volunteers and to ensure that all inmates' religious rights are met and not violated or hindered in any way for both minimum and medium security inmates. She oversees the Life Principles Community Programs and Celebrate Recovery, along with a variety of other faith-based programs.

Delmetria is also the Minister of Counseling at her church in Louisville and she is a full-time student at Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary, pursuing a Masters of Divinity Degree. She truly feels that being a chaplain is not just a job, but a calling. She is a shining example of positive encouragement to all staff at the prison, a wonderful person to work with, and a blessing to all who know her.



We will be grilling burgers to serve to each inmate as well as the officers. We furnish buns, fixings, chips, cookies & drinks. While the serving of the food is going on, there will be music, testimonies, preaching, and at the end—an invitation to accept Jesus.

The food is the bait we use to bring them out on the yard to hear the Word of God.

***The Holy Spirit convicts—the Lord saves.***

We thank each of you for helping make this possible through your prayers and financial support.

—Nadine

## Recent Inmate Thank You Notes

**T**hank you so much for sending me the Bible study. Its very hard at times to get Christian literature in here and I feel so blessed that your ministry has reached me. The studies are awesome and very informative. May God bless your ministry for all that you do.

—*Jim Stackhouse, Livingston, TN*

**I** really loved this study. It blessed me, convicted me, and encouraged me. Thanks. It took me back into the Old Covenant, which I find I am going to more and more for help in God's Word. Pastor Rodgers, your teaching on the blessings was just what I needed! It confirmed my prayers, and God's Word that He had just led me to a couple of days ago. Wow! I was hopping around my cell like Jiminy Cricket! I hope to continue on with your ministry, your studies, newsletters, and any other material you'd feel led to send me. I didn't realize there were people out there that really cared about prisoners. I'm glad I was mistaken! Hallelujah!

—*Doug Bacon, Herlong, CA*

**I** sincerely enjoyed doing each lesson and yes, all six chapters were a blessing. I often wonder if I've been called to preach to my fellow brothers doing time, but I keep wondering. Several people have told me I'm someone people listen to but I don't consider myself a preacher nor someone who will get up in front of a crowd of people and preach to them, at least not alone I won't. I enjoyed this lesson and I am looking forward to doing any and all other Bible courses your ministries have to offer.

—*Malcolm Bradshaw, McAlester, OK*

**T**hank you for this Bible study lesson. I am also taking lessons from Love Bible Study and I really liked some things a lot more with your lessons. Their lessons are good at teaching you about the books of the Bible and about Christianity, but I really felt these lessons helped with how to live the Christian life and the power and blessings we have in that life. I can't wait to get the next lessons from you! Thanks and God bless you all!

—*Christopher Federico, Springfield, TN*

**I** enjoyed so much in study with Evangel Prison Ministries, as it open my eyes, my heart and I've learned so much. This had helped me more than you'll know. I found peace within myself that I have never felt that way before. Thank you for all your teaching. I am grateful that I can feel complete by knowing about the Lord through your teaching.

—*Linda Lee, Honolulu, HI*

**I** am currently in jail in Robertson County, TN and I ran across your Set Free Devotional Newsletter and thoroughly enjoyed it. I will be out of jail the end of March and decided by reading your newsletter that I need to get back on track with my Lord and Savior, Jesus. So I would like very much to do your Bible study courses. I don't know how you send them out, but I really want to take all of the courses. Can you send them to my sister's address, that's where I call home when I can. I ask for your prayers for me, to help me get back on my feet when I get out of jail! My life has been, shall we say, less than desirable. I really do want to walk closer to my Lord! Thank you and bless you for the work you do.

—*Lonnie Pendleton, Springfield, TN*

**T**his is just to say thank you all so very much for the study courses. It seems that when something is troubling me, the course that you send opens my eyes and mind to solving the problem. Goes to prove that God works in ways we will not understand until we are meant to know.

—*Carl Crisp, Chillicothe, OH*

**I** love the in-depth study of our armor, it really made me understand the function in a way I'll be able to remember them. I've already used the shoes in sharing this study with another inmate and my wife. I want to thank you for the Bible studies and your ministries for the incarcerated, they're really helping me! Thank you!

—*Bruce Lewchynski, LaGrange, KY*

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*"By reading your newsletter I decided that I need to get back on track with my Lord."*

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Jesus commanded us to visit those in prison!



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The only people  
looking for signs are  
people that don't  
know the way.

## Volunteers Needed



We need a dedicated—called of God—couple to work with us in the area of the inmates' children:

Stockings  
Bibles for Kids  
Coats for Kids

*There are other doors that can be opened in the area of the children.*

*Please contact Nadine at 964-3304, ext. 1227.*

## Dear Volunteer

Greetings in the Name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Romans 10:15 “and how shall they preach except they be sent”---“*and how can they hear unless we go?*”

God is doing a tremendous work through Evangel Prison Ministries. We praise Him for the work that is continually going forth.

The Lords work is never sitting still. *It is either going forward-or going back. We can't afford to let this soul winning ministry go backward!*

*It is up to us---you and me--to make sure this ministry stays strong and continues to go forward. “How is this possible?” Through Prayer!!*

The fundraisers bring in money for the crusades, stockings, Bibles for kids, etc. But, we must also have the funds for the operating expenses of this ministry. **The answer, *prayer, prayer, prayer.***

There is power in numbers as we all come together (in unity), lifting this need before the throne of God, blessings *will* come down.

Ask the Lord to put it on people's hearts to partner with us for souls.

Thank you and God bless you and your Family.

P.S. Remember to pray every day for Evangel Prison Ministries.

