



SHARING THE GOSPEL WITH PRISONERS AND THEIR FAMILIES
BREAKING THE CYCLE OF POVERTY AND IMPOSSIBILITIES

REPORT
2023





Our Core Values

We are Authentic
We are Proactive
We value Relationship
We Grow
We are Accountable



"Despite the numerous challenges within prison walls, learning about God and praying to Him has brought me immense hope and peace."

CHURCH IN PRISON

1192 Church services
680 Church attendants
59 Disciples

THE PRISONER'S JOURNEY

1150 Prisoners / Participants
65 Volunteers
610 Certifications
53 Courses completed

DIAKONIA & RESTORED DIGNITY

Helping 52 families of (ex-) prisoners with:

**House restoration, support for mason equipment,
support for 3 month house rent,
supporting small businesses such as poultry farm, small second
hand business, constructions.**

Every project happens in close cooperation with local churches.



SECURED CHILDHOOD

- 150** Sponsored children
- 1800** Food packages
- 420** School bags/ materials given
- 160** Christmas gifts
- 75** Children joined summer camp

RESTORATIVE JUSTICE

- 226** Certified participants
- 29** URA courses
- 13** Volunteers
- 5** Victims involved


WINTER PROJECT

- 450** Families received food parcels and wood
- 1800** Home visits over 4 months
- 275** Abandoned prisoners received support

DREAM ACADEMY

- 45** Teenagers involved
- 35** Mentors involved
- 634** Mentor - Dreamer Meetings
- 7** Multiple day seminars including field trips
- 1** Month summer school
- 5** Graduates
- 4** Students started University

CHURCH IN PRISON

A man in a yellow and blue shirt stands at the front of a room with pink walls, holding papers and addressing a group of men seated around a long table. The room features a large window on the left, a wooden cabinet, a television, and a whiteboard. The men are dressed in casual clothing, some in dark jackets. The scene is brightly lit, likely from the window.

"After many years in prison, I never received a Bible until you brought one to me. Now, thanks to you, I've been able to share it with my family, and we're all reading it together."



THE PRISONER'S
JOURNEY

"I had to go to prison to discover and comprehend the truth. While I always knew I was loved by someone, it wasn't until now that I understand that Christ's love for me surpasses anything I could have imagined."



**RESTORED
DIGNITY**

"Whenever I look at my house, I am overwhelmed with gratitude for you and your organization. Without your assistance, we would still be enduring life on the streets."

A woman with dark hair, wearing a grey long-sleeved top and dark pants, stands in a barn. She is leaning her right hand on the back of a black and white cow. The barn has a concrete block wall behind her and a wooden post-and-rail fence to the right. The floor is covered with straw. In the top right corner, there is a dark grey, irregularly shaped box with a white outline containing the word "DIAKONIA" in white capital letters.

DIAKONIA

"A cow has been instrumental in supplementing my income and allowing me to be present at home with my children. Especially now that they are entering their teenage years, they require my presence."



DREAM ACADEMY

"Initially, Edi was in panic to make new friends due to his social anxiety. However, after attending our seminars, he began to open up and create new connections. He is now actively involved in the local church community as well."

A group of children and young adults are dancing and raising their arms in a room with a stage and musical instruments. The scene is lively and joyful. In the background, there is a stage with a wooden floor, a music stand, and a large wooden structure. A man in a white t-shirt and khaki shorts is playing an acoustic guitar on the stage. Another man in a black t-shirt is playing a guitar. A woman in a red shirt is also on the stage. The children in the foreground are wearing various t-shirts and shorts, and they are all smiling and dancing. The room has a white wall and a tiled floor. There are some scaffolding structures on the right side of the room.

SECURED CHILDHOOD

**"Amidst poverty, stress and challenges,
your efforts in conveying a glimmer of hope and providing
joyous moments for our children are deeply appreciated.
Thank you!"**

A man in a green shirt stands at the front of a room, presenting to a group of men seated around a table. The room is decorated with a flag, a portrait, and a shield. A laptop on a desk shows a portrait of a man. The text "RESTORATIVE JUSTICE" is overlaid in a grey banner in the top right corner.

RESTORATIVE JUSTICE

“I want to share what I have learned in prison and how the course helped me to change my perspective for life and start a new life outside.”

A woman with short grey hair, wearing a black jacket and pants, stands with her hands on her hips next to a large pile of cut firewood. The firewood is stacked in the foreground. Behind her is a wire mesh fence. In the background, there is a concrete wall with a blue door on the left and a small wooden doghouse with a metal grate door. The scene is outdoors, possibly in a backyard or a community area. The lighting suggests it might be late afternoon or early morning.

WINTER
PROJECT

"Before, no one had remembered us. Thank you for ensuring food for my children during the winter."

MICRO LOAN




"Three trainings and follow-ups were conducted with nine attendees, facilitating the startup of two farming businesses."



STAFF

**“I was in prison and you came to visit me”
Matthew 25:36**

A group of people are dancing in a circle outdoors on a paved area. The dancers are wearing casual clothing like sweaters and jeans. The background is a plain, light-colored wall. A semi-transparent white callout box with a wavy border is overlaid on the right side of the image, containing text about achievements.

OTHER MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS:
Database for client registration and case management
Masterclass as a study tool for staff
Dream Academy application for lessons and communication



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