

Kairos of Texas

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God's Special Time



From the State Chair, Ed Keefer

Special points of interest:

- Greetings from the Texas State Officers
- Announcements
- From the Units



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I, like many of you, have been reflecting back over this past year and contemplating what this new year will bring. Who would have predicted record fuel prices, a booming West Texas economy and stagnant in other places. Hurricanes, cell phones, and a gathering of the Kairos community the first week of November.

I had the privilege of attending a number of ACOP training sessions across the state as well as several of the regional chaplain's meetings that we held around the state. The common thread throughout the year, which could be described as "...the good, the bad and the ugly..." was the love that was voiced and exhibited for those men, women and youth that we in Kairos have the privilege of bringing the life changing reality of Jesus Christ to on an ongoing, continuing basis.

As we state on our web site home page, we address "...the spiritual needs of incarcerated men, women and children, and to their families and to those who work in the

prison environment..." Kairos sprang from the 4th day movements and "...is a ministry of the church...a ministry of the apostles whom Jesus, the Christ, has called into community and sent forth into the environment of the correctional institution. Kairos has been called the best example of the early church in existence today..."

The Texas Chapter of KPMI is active in 37 men's units, 4 women's units, 7 Kairos Outside locations across the state and one youth facility. KPMI is active in 350+ prisons in 31 states and 8 other countries. Kairos Outside is active in 19 states and 6 other countries while Kairos Torch is active in 10 locations across the country. But, as we know in our own state, this only represents a portion of the correctional institutions that we have sent forth to minister to in an ongoing fashion. Just as it is true in Texas, it is true in the rest of the United States and in the world. Our new starts committee is evaluating requests for Kairos programs on a continuing basis. Other states are also

receiving requests for new Kairos programs as is KPMI, which receives requests from new states and new countries. In each instance the request has to be considered and balanced with the availability of resources, money and even more importantly volunteers who have a heart for ministering in our chosen field, the prison environment.

Who among us, when we've been asked "Why are you here, why do you do this," hasn't replied, because we're told to by Jesus. We then cite Matt 25:35 "...I was in prison and you came to visit me..." No strings, expecting nothing in return, we only ask for the opportunity to Listen, Listen, Love, Love and by being there with him/her exhibit the life changing reality of Jesus Christ. And in Acts 1:7 we are also told "...you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth..." This sounds very much like in the prison environment surrounding our communities, our state, our country and the rest of the countries of the (cont. p. 2)

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world. We hear the cry, we see the need, we can and will share our time, talent and resources to send others into our chosen ministry field, because others shared their time, talent and resources

leading us into the ministry field we are in today. Just like you, I'm excited to see what this year has to bring. I know there will be many challenges, but those are just that, it is the many

opportunities that we will experience that will bring us the joy and completeness in Jesus Christ as we've been commanded to follow Him.

*Be still,
and know
that I am God;
I will be exalted
among the nations,
I will be exalted
in the earth."
~ Psalm 46:10*

From the Kairos Outside State Chair, Willa Bellard

Hello everyone; I am very excited to have been elected your KO Chairperson for 2009. I am totally committed to serving in the position I have been elected to. We have some very exciting

things going on in KO. Our summer international conference will be held in Ontario Canada and everyone is invited; the information is on the KPMI Website at www.kairosprisonministry.org

We had a great meeting in Orlando February 5th -7th even with the temperature in the 30-s and 40s. You will get all the updates at our 2nd quarterly state meeting in April.

From the Kairos Of Texas International Rep. John Kennell

John Kennell has been asked to take over as the Texas State Chapter International Rep with the leaving of Bob Bunch.

In considering who to select to fill the vacancy, the Executive Council looked at the qualifications of each candidate and appointed Mr. Kennell.

Among the qualifications submitted with his nomination were his dedication to his church, Alamo Heights UMC, the Emmaus

community and the Kairos Prison Ministry through continued Unit service, Advisory Council Chair, Financial Secretary for the Torres Unit and writing a continuity book of Lessons Learned that should be a tool for all of KPMI. He has also served with the Briscoe Unit.

He was noted as smart, articulate, and having developed the contacts within the community to know who to call when a problem requires a solution.

He is one of those rare people who know how to build a Team, get the paperwork straight, and has the natural charisma that people want to work with to move the mission of Kairos forward. He is the first to call when a task needs to be accomplished.

John Kennell is retired from the US Air Force. He is an obedient, dedicated servant of God.

We look forward to his report from the Conference in Florida



Keep on loving each other as brothers.

Do not forget to entertain strangers,

for by so doing some people have entertained angels without knowing it.

*Remember those in prison as if you were their fellow prisoners,
and those who are mistreated as if you yourselves were suffering.*

~ Hebrews 13:1-3

SPECIAL THANKS

A special note of appreciation to the Brothers and Sisters of the Hutchins State Jail Kairos Inside Team for Weekend #7 and Pastor Victor Jackson and members of the congregation of Building the Kingdom Community Church for providing scripture passages for the first edition of the Texas Chapter of Kairos Prison Ministry International State Newsletter. - Cyndi

KOT – New International Concerns Committee

There is a need for someone to be the spokesperson and organizer for the International Kairos communities. The Texas Chapter has been a strong supporter of this new ministry and there are many marvelous stories about the Holy Spirit working in the prisons around the world, just as

there are here in Texas.

Ken Sellers has been asked to head this committee and he has graciously accepted. He has been a very active Kairos volunteer, going back to Ferguson days. He and his wife Judith participated in a week-

end in Nicaragua this past June. He will be our go between with Wayne Park and communicating the needs to our Chapter.

If you are interested in serving on this committee, make your desire known to Ken:
pastorsellers@jesusanswers.com

Reflection from the International Conference

- From Ed Keefer, State Chair

The Winter Conference went well. One of the highlights for me was getting to spend a few minutes with Clarence Hodges, one of the original 9 “old men”. One of his sons, who is a Catholic priest, spoke about communications and led the devotional service on Thursday evening and another son accompanied him to

the banquet Friday night. While talking to him, Clarence, I thanked him for all he has done and is continuing to do. He said he appreciated the thanks, but he really wanted to thank all of us for our continuing what had been started 33 years or so ago. Clarence is truly a humble man with an aura of peace and understanding that envelops him. I came away knowing that regardless of the frustrations and, sometimes,

getting totally bogged down in the small details that seem to rise, that the efforts of these men and women that have come after them must continue on, not for personal recognition or pride but, rather, to carry out the mission of making disciples, just as they did. If we all will “just keep on keeping on” then the legacy will continue.

A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another.
~ John 13:34-35

Kairos of Texas 2009 State Officers

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FROM THE EDITOR

I love Firsts. Anyone with KONT can tell you that. And it has been an honor to work on this - Kairos of Texas FIRST Edition Newsletter. I have many to thank but most especially my Sister in Christ, Audrey Rivera, for her hard work in helping me by contacting you. Cyndi Wineinger

2009 Kairos State Advanced Kairos Training Locations

March 20-22, 2009 **AMARILLO, TX**
(KI and Torch)

Location: Bishop DeFalco Retreat Center, 2100 North Spring, Amarillo, TX 79107, 806-383-1811. Arrive by 6:00 pm and start at 7:00 Pm.

Cost: \$195-single, (limited number of rooms) \$160-double, (each) and \$120-commuter. Fee includes two nights lodging, all training materials and the following meals: Friday evening; Saturday breakfast, lunch and dinner and Sunday breakfast.

Contact: Mike Stumbaugh, mstumbaugh@sbcglobal.net or 817-860-3500 (home) or 817-247-5403 (cell) for application and additional information. Checks should be made payable to KPMI – Texas

August 28-30, 2009 **CORINTH, TX (Dallas/Ft Worth Area)**
Kairos Outside

Location: Lake Sharon Christian Center

Cost: \$150.00 Fee includes transportation to and from the airport, two nights lodging, all training materials and the following meals: Friday evening, Saturday breakfast, lunch and dinner and Sunday breakfast and lunch.

Contact: Debra Wilmont, jedewilmont@yahoo.com cell 214-454-9162 or home 972-698-9877 (tele & fax) for application and additional information. Checks should be made payable to KONT. Mailing Address: Kairos Outside of North Texas, PO Box 836126, Richardson, TX 75083-6126

Note: Attendees need to bring towel and personal items only.

September 18–20, 2009 **HUNTSVILLE, TX**
Kairos Inside

Location: Criminal Justice Center of Sam Houston State University. Housing in Hotel operated by Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX

Cost: \$205.00 for single (limited number available). \$185.00 for double (each). \$125.00 for commuters. Fee includes two nights lodging, all training materials and the following meals: Friday evening, Saturday breakfast, lunch and dinner and Sunday breakfast.

Contact: Mike Stumbaugh, e-mail – mstumbaugh@sbcglobal.net; home - 817-860-3500; or cell - 817-247-5403 for application and additional information. Checks should be made payable to KPMI – Texas.

Note: Attendees need to bring personal items only.

December 4 – 6, 2009 **GRANBURY, TX**
Kairos Inside

Location: Camp Crucis, 2875 Camp Crucis Ct., Granbury, TX 76048. Arrive by 6:00pm and start at 7:00 pm.

Cost: \$185.00 per person. Commuter \$125.00. Price includes all training materials, 2 nights lodging (Friday and Saturday), Sandwiches Friday, 3 meals Saturday and breakfast Sunday.

Contact: Mike Stumbaugh: mstumbaugh@sbcglobal.net, 817-860-3500 (home); 817-247-5403 (cell) for application and additional information.

Notes: Attendees need to bring only personal items.

*For God so loved the
world that he gave his
one and only Son,
that whoever believes
in him shall not
perish but have
eternal life. ~ John
3:16*

2009 Kairos State Chapter and International Meetings

Kairos of Texas

State Chapter Meetings

April 18

July 18

October 17

Kairos Prison Ministry

International, Inc.

Board Meetings and Conferences

Summer Conference

July 28 - August 2

St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada

Must have current passport. BE sure to check the KPMI Canada website for additional information related to entry into Canada for ex-offenders - www.kairosprisonministry.ca

Mark Your Calendar

The deadlines for the remaining 2009 KOT Newsletters are:

2nd Edition (April Meeting) - May 2

3rd Edition (July Meeting) - August 1

4th Edition (October Meeting) - October 31

Kairos Firsts

March 25 - VA
Greenville I #1
Bob Creekmore, Leader

April 23 - FL
Marion CI #1
Dave Werner, Leader

FUNDRAISER OPPORTUNITY

H & R Block all across the US will contribute \$25 for every income tax file they prepare. Call any of their offices nationwide and let them know you have a favorite 501 (C) 3 non-profit organization you would like to have their donation of \$25 sent. Please call State Communications Chair or AC Treasurer for Federal Tax ID Number.



Important Information

If you are holding a Kairos Inside Weekend you are able to have a representative from Kairos Outside to speak during your Closing to share information about KO to the Brothers and Sisters in White. If you do not have a contact to speak at your closing please get in touch with Audrey Rivera: audreydr@sbcglobal.net or Cyndi Wineinger: cgwin8968@sbcglobal.net and we will find someone to be there. **Please allow enough time for the KO representative to submit their Closing Application.**

Please note: Kairos Outside representatives speak for all Kairos Outside Units during the Closing as participant loved ones may be located anywhere in the State or the country.

Glossary of Terms:

Resident - A person who resides in a Correctional Facility.

Candidate - a person who is being considered for a Kairos Inside Weekend. Unforeseen circumstances may preclude them from participating.

Participant - a person who is participating on a Kairos Inside Weekend.

Guest - a person who participates on a Kairos Outside Weekend.

Weekend - the two, three, or four day events whereby Kairos Team members serve God by providing an opportunity to share His love to those who are residents of Correctional Facilities or their

female loved ones.

Team/Weekend Leader - the person God has called to serve second to Christ on a Weekend.

Team Donation - a contribution made to a Unit for the purpose of meeting the financial needs of the Unit. The donation is made without expectation of services in return. It is non-refundable but is tax deductible. Team donations may be made in any amount by anyone.

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KPMI Financials have been sent to Unit AC Chairs and State Reps. Please review thoroughly prior to the next State Chapter meeting in April.

Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path. ~
Psalm 119:105

FYI

Allred to Wallace—

Alphabetically, Allred is the first and Wallace is the last Texas Units that currently have active Kairos Ministries. Inclusive, that is 48 units.

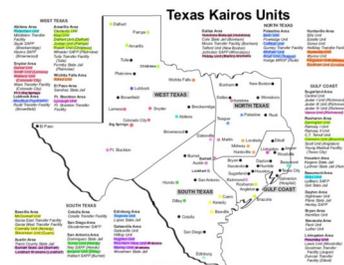
Geographically, the distance between the Allred Unit in Iowa Park and the Wallace Unit in

Colorado City is approximately 217 miles.

Comparatively speaking...

Dalhart (Dalhart Unit) to Edinburg (Segovia Unit) is approximately 852 miles.

Fort Stockton (Lynaugh Unit) to Beaumont (Stiles Unit) is approximately 595 miles.



Remember in Prayer

VANCE VOLUNTEER COMMUNITY PRAYER REQUESTS:

Pray that the hearts and minds of each of the 42 Men in White will be open to the Words of our Lord and the leading of the Holy Spirit during their Kairos Weekend #37 at Vance.

Pray for the health of each team member and their family as they prepare and present CVK 37.

Pray for the safety of each CVK 37 team member, inside and outside, as they travel to and from the team meeting and that their hearts will be seeking the closeness with the Holy Spirit to be prepared as He leads.

Pray for the Lord's guidance with strength of body, mind, and spirit for Jim Gibbs as he deals with spiritually building the CVK 37 team.

Pray for Nancy Darley and the support team men and women that they would have supernatural strength during CVK 37.

Pray for the new men on the CVK 37 team that they will experience the love of Christ as they never have before and become witnesses to the power of the Lord in this ministry.

Pray for Nancy Darley's father, Harold Roth for strength and health.

Pray for Nancy Paull, on a successful completion of treatment and a full recovery.

Pray that Forbes Baker will

remain in remission.

Pray for Lawrie Baker and her family as they cope with the recent loss of Murdock.

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KONT Prayer Requests:

Please remember in prayer our Sisters who have lost loved ones recently: Mrs. Georgia Place in the loss of her husband Jim and Ms. Angela Perez in the loss of her fiancé Michael Lopez.

Please remember our Sisters who are experiencing health concerns. Pray for healing and wellness throughout KONT.

Please pray for KONT #26. We have had a change in Weekend Leadership.

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Huntsville Prayer Requests: Please remember in prayer the family of Dr. John Wells Holcombe .

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Remember the Teams for those Units whose Weekends were postponed due to the contraband lockdown.

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Each other.

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Volunteers to serve on Kairos Teams in Units that do not currently have active Kairos Ministries.

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BETO Prayer Requests Please remember Earle Myers and family in the passing of his wife, Sandra Myers on December 31st.

Please remember John and Diane Wells in the passing of their daughter, Jennifer, on November 8th.

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Amarillo Prayer Requests

Please remember Beth Haney and her family in the passing of her father, Bob Sheehan, on December 8th.

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Keep in prayer all of our Brothers and Sisters who continue to recover from Hurricanes Katrina, Rita, Gustav, and Ike.

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Stiles Unit Prayer Request Please keep in prayer those who are having health concerns that the Lord will bless the members of the Stiles Team and their families with healing and well being.

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Remember in prayer First Weekends and New Starts.

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Remember our Leadership at all levels.

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The Officers, Chaplains, Wardens, and other employees of TDCJ.



Allred Unit

Allred #16

April 30 - May 2, 2009

Larry Mills, Weekend Leader

l.mills58@charter.net

Dan Hernandez, Closing Coordi-

nator

danlynn.hernandez@verizon.net

Deadline for closing applications is April 10.

Please pray that GOD will continue to bless HIS ministry at Allred with the unending and overwhelming abundance that HE has always provided.

www.kairosallred.org

Bartlett Unit

Bartlett #10

March 19-22, 2009

Deadline for Closing Applications is March 17. Contact Bill

Miller at BMiller@ltfr.org. for closing information.

Beto Unit

Beto #39 - November 20, 2008

Report from Leader, Dwayne Marshall

The Weekend was originally canceled due to the State lockdown to search for contraband after a cell phone was used to threaten a state representative. As the Leader I prayed for guidance to

see if we could reschedule the weekend. I asked God to open doors if it was His will. I witnessed many efforts by Satan to stop this event, but God did open doors and many willing servants answered His call to hold the Weekend in spite of Satan's efforts. I will always remember the miracles that the

Holy Spirit performed in the midst of the 42 He chose to be part of this event. The closing was filled with love and emotion from the participants, the free world community and all the Beto 1 Kairos #39 team members.

*Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. ~
Philippians 4:6-7*



Boyd Unit

Boyd #13

March 26 - 29, 2009

Briscoe Unit

Briscoe #4

April 2-5, 2009



Clemens Unit

Clemens #8
April 23 - 26, 2009

*Show me your ways,
O LORD,
teach me your paths;
guide me in your
truth and teach me,
for you are God my
 Savior,
and my hope is in
you all day long.
~ Psalm 25:4-5*

Clements Unit

The Clements Unit is way up here in Amarillo. How many of you have been to Amarillo? If you haven't then I can tell you that you might feel like you are in a totally different country compared to the more populated areas of the state. When it comes to Kairos, the only thing that makes it different is probably the weather. You know, you go into the unit in the morning and it is 20 degrees outside. When you come out that evening it could be 70 degrees.

The unit is so much like any other unit, full of men who need the Lord and men who can't get enough of Him? We all know the feeling of going in on the reunions to see our brothers, not knowing what the Lord has in store for everyone, but leaving with some blessings as say a scripture, or a talk given by a man in white, or a simple

"I love you" from someone the Lord has brought into our lives. No matter what the weekends hold for the men in white or what words of wisdom might be gleaned from the reunions, all of us, team members and residents alike, will find a blessing in the Lord's work if we will set our egos and agendas aside.

This last year, the man who helped get Kairos started in the Panhandle passed away from cancer. His name was Rich Melton. Now there are a lot of people that knew Rich and even more who did not but he loved the ministry with every fiber of his being and would talk to anyone about the great work the Lord was doing in the prison walls. He knew there were a lot of people who could not understand the calling on our hearts to let the residents know of God's grace and love, but he

also knew that if we gave God a little bit of our time behind the walls that we would find an abundance of blessings that we never knew existed before.

We are but one of many prisons in this state. Each one has its own personality, and none of them are truly run the same, but it is a fact that when Kairos is active in the unit the Lord brings light into the darkness. Bringing salvation to men who knew nothing of God's love. Clements and Kairos have taught me the true meaning of God's love, so how can I not share that with the men in white or the man on the street?

God Bless,
Dean Cook

Clements #31
March 26 - 29, 2009



Coffield Unit

Plans are well under way for Coffield #27. The Weekend dates are April 16 - April 19. Our Closing will be at 3 PM April 19th. Robert Dillard is our Leader and already has well over 40 team members recruited. Our first Team meeting will be on March 7

at 9:00 AM at Lakeland Baptist Church in Lewisville. We have a Kairos Kar Wash fund raising event scheduled for March 14 at King of Glory Lutheran Church in Fort Worth. The church is located at 1659 Sandy Lane which is near the intersection of I

30 and Loop 820.
Team Meetings: 3/7, 3/21, 3/28, 4/4, 4/15
Syd Rauworth
State Representative

Connally Unit

Connally #13
April 23 - 26, 2009

Dalhart Unit

Hello,
I would like to let you know that we had a meeting and decided to pursue changing Kairos #20 from Mother's Day weekend to May 1, 2, and 3. The Advisory Council, Trailer Co-coordinator, Chaplain, and Warden have all

agreed to the change. I hope that all of you that would have liked to spend Mother's Day at the Closing will like the change and can still come. The deadline for Closing Applications is April 12. Please send them to: Ralph Bamber, 725 College, Springfield, CO.

81073. The Closing Application says that the Closing is at 1:00 PM. I am looking forward to what God will do on that Weekend and praying for His Blessings on all that are involved.
Your Brother In Christ,
Ralph Bamber

*If anyone speaks, he should do it as one speaking the very words of God. If anyone serves, he should do it with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ. To him be the glory and the power for ever and ever.
Amen. ~ I Peter 4:11*

Daniel Unit

Daniel #11
March 26 - 29, 2009

Darrington Unit

Darrington #43
April 16 - 19, 2009



Eastham Unit

The Eastham prison in Lovelady, Texas will be having its seventeenth Kairos Weekend (Eastham Kairos #17) in March, from March 19th - 22nd, and the Team Leader is Mike McGuinness. The

closing ceremony will be at the Eastham Unit, in the North Gym, starting at 4:00 PM on Sunday, March 22nd, 2009. Gordon Loomis, g9473@att.net, P.O. Box 9491, Spring, TX 77387-

9491, is handling the Closing Ceremony Applications (deadline, March 12th, 2009).

In His Service,
John Munro
Eastham State Rep.

FCI - Big Spring Unit

FCI - Big Spring #9
February 26 - March 1, 2009

Jesus answered, "I tell you the truth, no one can enter the kingdom of God unless he is born of water and the Spirit. Flesh gives birth to flesh, but the Spirit gives birth to spirit. You should not be surprised at my saying, 'You must be born again.' The wind blows wherever it pleases. You hear its sound, but you cannot tell where it comes from or where it is going. So it is with everyone born of the Spirit." ~ John 3:5-8

Ferguson Unit

Ferguson Unit sends greetings and prayers to our Brothers and

Sisters throughout Kairos of Texas.

Hightower Unit

Greetings from the Volunteers of the Hightower Unit,

I have great news about Hightower #2 which will be held March 26th to 29th. The team is completely filled and has 33 inside members and 15 support team members. Of the 48, there are 6 Clergy and 8 members who have never served on a Kairos team. The team meetings began on January 31st and are dated as follows: #2 - February 14th, #3 - February 28th, #4 - March 14th, and finally the Cookie Baking Day of March 21st. The team would ask for everyone's

thoughts and prayers. Please email any Agape to Daniece Peck at daniecepeck@comcast.net. Mail Agape to Doug Chapman, 1815 Chestnut Grove Lane, Kingwood, TX 77345.

The weekly Prayer and Share meetings (Saturdays at the Unit) are going fantastically. We have from 50 to 60 Brothers in White and 6 to 10 Volunteers every week. The witnesses are great and the Brothers, along with the Volunteers, are uplifted and strengthened weekly. I think this is the power of Kairos in the Hightower Unit. The Brothers

are given opportunity to fellowship every week. This has also set off an explosion of Weekly Bible Studies that have been filled to capacity. Praise God for his work at Hightower. Also, the Hightower UAC meeting elected new officers and we had our first meeting on January 27th. The new UAC chair is Stoney Burke and the State Board Representative is Scotty Scott.

Praise to Him and Blessing to All,

Scotty Scott

Hobby Unit

We were privileged to have Hobby # 25 take place January 1 through January 4th, 2009. With lockdowns happening and our team being told on Wednesday that we, perhaps, would not be going in, it was indeed apparent that God was in favor of

Kairos. We were allowed to go in and we witnessed another God anointed weekend.

For anyone wishing to work a women's weekend, inside or out, please contact our next team leader for Hobby 26, Delores Pietzch at

Da_pietzch@hotmail.com The weekend will take place July 2nd through the 5th, 2009.

Respectfully submitted,
Judi Kenyon
State Board Representative

Hughes Unit

Every Kairos Weekend is filled with great quotes: "I spent my life changing my brand of beer trying to find one that would fill

me. Now I know that what I really wanted was God to fill my heart." Then there was the scariest in-

mate I've ever seen. His head was shaved and the entire area was tattooed to look like a Satanic Goat, (cont. p. 11)



Hughes Unit (cont. from page 10)

complete with horns that wrapped around his ears and stylized "666" in place of sideburns. He told me, "All my life I've looked for proof that God exists and could love someone like me. I could never find Him. So I went the other way and made myself into this. God showed Himself to me in the words of a six year old this weekend, I can't remove my tattoos but now I can witness that I know Him."

There are always great quotes, but Kairos is about numbers. There are the 45-65 freeworld team members who put on the Weekend. Then there are the 10-20 inmate stewards who are also part of the team. We can't forget the 700-800 meals that are served on a normal weekend. The meals are lovingly cooked by the "Outside" team using the finest food we can afford to purchase. That's because the free-world food is the bait for the most important people on a Kairos Weekend; the 42 candidates who have been chosen for the Weekend.

I don't have any idea how many thousands of miles are involved in the travel to churches around Central Texas by team members to the 5 meetings needed to prepare the team for the Weekend. I do know that each meeting lasts at least 6 hours giving team members at least 30 hours of training. Each team member also has to attend 4 hours of TDCJ training.

I'll never forget the first time I was told that the team needed to bake 48,000 cookies for the Weekend. This allows us to give 12 cookies to each of the 3000 inmates and 500 staff in the Hughes Unit. That barely leaves us enough cookies to inundate

the 42 candidates with more cookies than they can eat. This is not an exercise in gluttony, but a spiritual exercise. All cookies are baked in prayer and represent God's Grace. By the end of the Weekend the goal is to have the men so full of cookies and Grace that they are prepared to share. For some, voluntarily giving a dozen cookies to someone they need to forgive is the hardest part of the Weekend.

I mustn't forget the letters and place mats. Each team member writes a letter to each candidate. We also solicit letters from non-team members, children's letters are especially powerful. I've never been on a Weekend where I haven't heard some variation of: "All this was great but the letters/place mats from the kids are what broke down my wall." Did I mention that we need 650 place mats created by children? That's a vitally important number. Inmates have twice yearly shakedowns where they generally lose anything they can't fit in their unlocked lockers. I know some inmates who have kept their place mats for ten years. It's as close as they can get to "refrigerator art."

Then there is prayer. The hardest ingredient to collect for the Weekend isn't the money, the cookies, place mats or even the letters, it's prayers. We ask people to donate a half hour of prayer. We put their names on a little strip of colored paper and we make those into a colorful prayer chain. Our goal is to have it circle the whole chapel, and that rarely happens, because to circle the half of the chapel we use for a conference room requires at least 1400 links.

This Kairos Weekend was different. We were not allowed to

bring in freeworld food. Frankly many of us were worried that we wouldn't be able to get 42 candidates to agree to spend four days with us. We also feared that those that did come would leave when they found we didn't have any food for them. After all, most inmates confess, at some point, they came for the food.

Our Weekend leader said that since we couldn't have food we needed more prayer. So each team member was asked to enlist as many prayer warriors as possible.

St. John's supplied 65 links and I know some must wonder what happened. As is the case in every Weekend, I heard men express awe at what the Holy Spirit had done during the Weekend. I don't know how many links our chain had but it not only circled the whole chapel, it went half way back around. I'm certain I've seen a more awesome sight, but I can't remember when my allergies watered my eyes quite as much on a Weekend as when it was brought in.

I could go on, but there is one other set of numbers that I think explains Hughes #22. Of the 3,000 inmates, 600 are in Ad Seg and are never allowed out of their cells and about 400 have already been through a Kairos Weekend of the roughly 2000 about half aren't eligible for various reasons. Of the roughly 1000 left 863 requested to attend this Weekend. When they learned we would not have freeworld food, not a single one withdrew his request. Did your prayers make a difference? The numbers speak for themselves.



But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law. ~ Galatians 5:22-23

Huntsville Unit

Dr. John Wells Holcombe (68) died suddenly in early December. He served both the Huntsville and Wynne Units. He served on the very first Kairos in Texas-- Ferguson # 1, 1986. To say he will be sorely missed is a huge understatement. He was a treasure. Perhaps the most godly and kind servant I have ever known.

Ed Davis

Huntsville Representative

The Huntsville "Walls" Unit will be having its eleventh Kairos Weekend (Walls Kairos #11) March 13 - 15, 2009 and the Team Leader is Chris Lallier. The Closing Ceremony will be at the Walls Unit in the Chapel starting at 3:30 PM on Sunday,

March 15th. John Munro (jdmunro@windstream.net), P.O. Box 993, Riverside, Texas 77367-0993, is handling the Closing Ceremony Applications (deadline, March 6th, 2009).

In His Service,

John Munro

Eastham State Rep.

God is our refuge
and strength,
an ever-present
help in trouble.
~ Psalm 46:1

Hutchins Unit

Hutchins 7

February 19 - 22, 2009

Virgil Van Schuyver, Leader

virgilann@charter.net

The power and the Spirit of the Father was definitely moving through Hutchins during the

Weekend. There was incredible bonding between the participants.

We experienced two situations that we ask you to keep in prayer: one of the officers on the unit passed away unexpectedly and one of the participants

learned that his mother had passed away. We also ask that you pray for continued Spiritual growth for the participants of this Weekend through the Prayer and Share groups and other opportunities available to our Brothers in White..

Jordan Unit

Jordan #5

March 5 - 8, 2009

Kairos Outside Amarillo

KO Amarillo sends greetings and prayers to our Brothers and

Sisters throughout Kairos of Texas.

Kairos Outside Corpus Christi

KO Corpus Christi sends greetings and prayers to our Brothers and

Sisters throughout Kairos of Texas.

Kairos Outside Houston

KO Houston sends greetings and prayers to our Brothers and

Sisters throughout Kairos of Texas.



Kairos Outside Midland

KO Midland #19

April 17-19

Andrews, TX

Gloria Cork, Leader

Kairos Outside North Texas

KONT has been blessed beyond our imagination! Just when we thought we were disappointed regarding the postponement of our KONT #26 Spring '09 Weekend to Fall '09, God saw a plan in place we were unaware.

Date: KONT Oct 2-4, 2009

Contacts: Team App.: Jessica Hatcher -

jess09021978@yahoo.com

Guest App: Guest Coordinator: Amber Gonzales - agonza-les@kysorpanel.com

We are pleased to be hosting the **KO AKT Training** this summer **August 28-30th, 2009**. We encourage all to attend regardless if you have weekend leadership planned. There will be attendees on this training who have not been selected for leaders and have not even had the calling. It will be great fun and fellowship with **Emma Jones and Inez Thompson** as our **Trainers**. Please join us; the **cost is \$150** with shuttle to and from the airport for the weekend. All meals will be provided from Friday night to noon Sunday. All you need is your personal/hygiene/towel and if there's something you forget God will provide. Bring COOL, comfortable attire and trust Him!

Place: Lake Sharon Christian Center **Registrar:** Debra jedewilmont@yahoo.com

We have been greatly enthused by the 1st Kairos Statewide Conference **ever** last November and welcome the opportunity to focus on our fundraising incentives. This may be our golden opportunity to show our International Office KONT really knows

what great servants God has in North Texas that are truly good stewards to His ministry.

We have joined up with a local church in **Cedar Hill, TX – Building the Kingdom Community Church – 308 Beltline Road for a Flea Market Trading Day: April 25th, 2009**. If you have anything you would like to donate please contact aud-reydr@sbcglobal.net or 214.662.1302 and we will make arrangements. We will provide a receipt for your tax deductible donation, hurry, before April 15th. This will be hard work that will be eased with great fellowship and bonding for KONT. Also, let us know if you'd like to help we don't want to have all the fun alone!

We will have a **Fundraiser Dinner/Donation Drawing/Silent Auction June 13th** at Saturn Road Church of Christ, 3030 Saturn Rd., Garland and will advise you of the exact time. We always are blessed to have the best arts and crafts to raise donations from (and for) our brothers and sisters in white. You must attend just to see what surprise we have for entertainment.

All our Kairos Volunteers in the Dallas/Ft. Worth Area: please don't bake a single cookie without your **cookie dough purchase from KONT**. We know when your weekend is planned so we will be expecting to hear from you for cookie dough purchases. Won't it be great to share with the guests; the cookies they are enjoying

were with the intent their female loved ones could enjoy a weekend just as they are attending? And sharing our KO presentation at their closing has been a most successful way to grow our Lord's Ministry and Extend His Love to all our Sister's in Christ! **Contact:** Shy Wilson - swilson@parkercc.edu; Audrey Rivera - aud-reydr@sbcglobal.net

Spreading the Word? If anyone's church or missions group would like a KO, KI or KT presentation please contact aud-reydr@sbcglobal.net. KONT will send someone out for a presentation of the Kairos Ministry and an awesome testimony and/or TDCJ Success Story! All volunteers recruited and donations taken do not have to go to KONT. We are serving God and He will designate His people and contributions to where they are most needed according to His will.

We would like all KI, KO, KT closing ceremonies well attended. Please inform us of your important dates via this Newsletter or contact us directly through Cyndi cgwin8968@sbcglobal.net or audreydr@sbcglobal.net and we will see someone somewhere gets there. It's important to have the Kairos support and not just closings but any special occasions for prayers and moral support!

We want to hear about you and from you in Jesus' name!!! Be blessed.



Not that I have already obtained all this, or have already been made perfect, but I press on to take hold of that for which Christ Jesus took hold of me. Brothers, I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus. ~ Philippians 3:12-14

Kairos Outside San Antonio

KOSA has had their 1st Team meeting for KOSA #17 and it promises to be another blessed time for everyone involved! We had a fun filled Saturday this past weekend when we went from 8-6 with a Team meeting, Advisory

Council meeting and then a reunion...of course therer was plenty of food at all 3 events. Our Unit is working hard to put together fund raising for this upcoming year so if anyone wants to order Butterbraid bread during the

month of February...just call me!!!

Blessings to all,

Susan Roach

Treasurer and State Rep

susanroach@ustx.rr.com

Therefore I tell
you,
whatever you ask
for in prayer,
believe that you
have received it,
and it will be
yours.
~ Mark 11:24

Kairos Outside Wichita Falls

KOWF will be holding Weekend #6 on May 15-17, We are currently forming a team. The Weekend Leader will be Sue

Ellen Williams, our first Leader who has been a guest. The theme for the Weekend is Phillipians 1: 4 " I thank God in all my

remembrance of you, always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy."

Lockhart Unit

Lockhart #9 is fast approaching and the Team is excited to see what God has in store for April 23-26. Lockhart Team meetings began on January 24, 2009 at Emmanuel Episcopal Church in Lockhart, TX which has been so gracious to our ladies and our ministry. We are all prayerfully looking forward to what God is planning and are excited to be a part of what HE is preparing for

the Lockhart ladies whom He is choosing as we move forward.

We have submitted a proposal to the Warden to provide Agape cookies for approximately 1000 men and women who are at the Lockhart Geo facility. If approved, God will provide over 13,000 cookies, a new endeavor for the Lockhart Team. Lois Lister will be our Leader for

Lockhart #9 and we are excited that God has called her and that she is faithful and obedient. The next Lockhart Team meeting will be on February 21, 2009.

For God did not give us a spirit of timidity, but a spirit of power, of love and of self-discipline. 2 Timothy 1:7

**TELL SOMEONE ABOUT
KAIROS**



Lynaugh Unit

Lynaugh Unit sends greetings and prayers to our Brothers and

Sisters throughout Kairos of Texas.

McConnell Unit

Our October McConnell #27 was cancelled because of the lockdown. Tom Mooney was the Leader and we are sliding every-

thing till the spring; everything will stay the same, even the candidates, if they are still on the unit. We pray that all will get

back on track.

Dave Gibbud

State Rep

Michael Unit

Kairos at the Michael Unit has a very strong and committed community of both volunteers and men in white. We are well on our way to Kairos #34, which is scheduled for April 23 - 26, 2009. The leader is Jim Clark and he has assembled a super team and

team meetings are going great. The closing will be on Sunday, April 26, 2009 and anyone wishing to attend can find closing information on the unit website: <http://www.michaelunit.org>. If you can't deal with a website, just email: Name as it appears on

driver's license, DL#, and ex-offender - yes or no, charles_1947@yahoo.com. I will need the closing information no later than Monday, April 13, 2009.

Mountain View Unit

Mountain View Unit sends greetings and prayers to our

Brothers and Sisters throughout Kairos of Texas.



Montford Unit

Please keep the inside and outside team for Kairos #21 at the Montford Unit in Lubbock, TX in your prayers. The team leader is Dennis Watts (dbw@spbins.com). This is a restart, so we are

literally starting from scratch as far as funding, team building, you name it. God is leading our efforts and we have been meeting as a team the last two months every other weekend. Our next team

meeting is February 21, 2009. The weekend is scheduled to begin Thursday March 5 and end Sunday March 8.

Murray Unit

Murray #8
May 1 - 3, 2009



Neal Unit

Neal #21 - October 9, 2008
Report from Weekend Leader,
Brian Selman

The Holy Spirit poured out great blessings on the Participants and the Team. One comment expressed at the Closing Ceremony sort of sums up the

impact of the Kairos Weekend: I came with nothing inside - I was like a balloon, just taking up space. But this Weekend, my soul was restored in Christ and the Holy Spirit has filled me up with Love. I will never be the same, and I am not going back to my old self!

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning. Through him all things were made; without him nothing was made that has been made. In him was life, and that life was the light of men. The light shines in the darkness, but the darkness has not understood it.
~ John 1:1-5

Polunsky Unit

Polunsky #22 – April 23-26, 2009

Team Meeting #1 – Feb 28th in Livingston, TX – Central Baptist Church

Team Meeting #2 – March 14th in Kingwood, TX – Kingwood United Methodist Church

Team Meeting #3 – March 28th in Livingston, TX – Memorial Point Club House

Team Meeting #4 – April 18th in Kingwood, TX – Kingwood United Methodist Church

The Team of Polunsky #22 extends an invitation for you to join us at closing and witness the miracles that God provides to the 42 Men-in-White and our Team during this Kairos. Closing is Sunday, April 26, 2009 at 3:00PM. You must be at the Polunsky gate no later than 2:00PM. Deadline for Closing Applications is Wednesday, April 1, 2009.

Dave Andrus is the Team Leader for the weekend. You may contact Dave at 281-312-5603 or email Closing Applications to Dave

at dandru01@earthlink.net.

Weekend preparations are well under way and we would appreciate your prayers for the 42 Men-in-White yet to be chosen, the Wardens, Chaplains, Correctional Officers, and the entire staff and population at Polunsky Prison. Also, pray for the Team of Polunsky #22 to be equipped to deliver God's word with the Love of Jesus to all who might hear.



Roach Unit

Roach #19
April 16 - 19, 2009

And do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased. Obey your leaders and submit to their authority. They keep watch over you as men who must give an account. Obey them so that their work will be a joy, not a burden, for that would be of no advantage to you.
~ Hebrews 13:16-17

Robertson Unit

Robertson's next Weekend was scheduled to start the weekend of April 16th. We utilize the State Health Board approved kitchen at St. Paul's Methodist Church in Abilene for the cooking and the other facilities for the Outside Team. Our outgoing AC, Jim Finley, just had ONE of those feelings and stopped by the

church to make sure everything was in order. Well, come to find out the church is celebrating its one hundred year anniversary on that weekend and we would not be able to use the church. Jim went ahead and scheduled the church for the next weekend. This all took place on Friday. Sunday we checked with the

prison Chaplain and that weekend was approved. Thus our Weekend has been moved from April 16 to April 23rd. Isn't God good? I am the leader on this Weekend (Mike Carter). It will be a great Weekend because it is God's Weekend.

Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have, because God has said, "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you."
~ Hebrews 13:5

Rudd Unit

Rudd #4
March 19 - 22, 2009

Segovia Unit

Segovia Unit sends greetings and prayers to our Brothers and Sisters throughout Kairos of Texas.

Smith Unit

Smith #24
April 16 - 19, 2009

Stevenson Unit

Stevenson Unit sends greetings and prayers to our Brothers and Sisters throughout Kairos of Texas.

Stiles Unit

Kairos Stiles Unit update:

We are preparing for and getting excited about our next Kairos weekend, March 19th – 22nd at the Stiles Unit in Beaumont , TX . We had our first team meeting on Saturday, February 7th. Several team members attended and are excited. Scott Miller is our Team Leader for our weekend. Scott is a dedicated leader and we feel he will do a fantastic job. Scott has been a Kairos team member for many years.

Since we are close to the weekend, we are getting everyone on board for baking cookies, making placemats and preparing agape for the event. For those wishing to attend closing, we must have

your closing application no later than Monday, March 2nd. Closing applications should be sent to our Database Coordinator, Mark Fox. His address is 3549 15th Street , Port Arthur , TX 77642 .

As always, we encourage prayers for the weekend. Pray that the weekend will be spirit filled and that Jesus will do a mighty work.

We recently held our first Stiles Unit Advisory council meeting and elected new officers. This is an important part of the Kairos ministry. Please pray for the Holy Spirit to provide leadership guidance of our group.

Currently we are facing minor issues with Team Members getting in the Stiles Unit for meet-

ings and the weekly Prayer and Share Groups. The New Year means new lists of approved members and it's been a challenge. Pray that all issues will be worked out and that we can get all approved members back in the unit for meetings and Prayer and Share.

We are excited and ready to serve!

Mike Ruiz
Chairman
Stiles Unit Advisory Council



Rejoice
in the Lord
always.
I will say it again:
Rejoice! ~
Philippians 4:4



Kairos Torch



Torch started out in the state of Oklahoma. They asked KPMI to come up with something for the youth in their state and Torch was born. The Weekends that are put on run from Friday afternoon to Saturday afternoon, and it may be a little shorter than the standard Kairos but as a Team member you commit to return each week to mentor the person you sponsored for the next 6 months. Can you wrap your heart around the fact that you could be helping a young person not to end up behind prison walls? Torch, just like KI, has no guarantees. These kids have the same free will to

choose Jesus or to continue on the path they are currently on. It can break your heart. A man by the name of Doug Baker had the calling to get Torch into the Youth Center of the High Plains here in Amarillo, and to say the least it was very well received. But as with any ministry, there can come times that make it hard to keep it running smoothly. As we all know every one of us get busy in our lives and don't always listen to God's calling about our time and commitment. As the AC Chair of this Unit I can say that I have not been the leader that I think the

Lord has wanted me to be, as such we have been struggling to have another Weekend for the youth. The Lord calls, we listen with one ear and the devil trips us in midstride. The joy in all this is how God continues to call and even picks us up during the rough times. I would ask everyone to pray for God's leadership over Torch as we try to make plans for the Weekend sometime in May.

Your Brother in Christ,
Dean Cooke



Torres Unit

KPMI – Texas - Torres

The Torres Unit in Hondo Texas is ready to kickoff Torres #20 19-22 March, 2009. Al Talamantez can be contacted at atalamantez@GVTC.com or Alfred.Talamantez@kci1.com for closing applications. We all feel

very Blessed to be able to go back into the unit. As most of you know, we have had a few problem areas but Satan has been put back in place. We are also most grateful for a grant that will provide new chairs, tables, trailer, and sound equipment. The Briscoe, Lockart, McConnell, and

Torres units will all be able to share these badly needed items that will replace broken and damaged materials. We ask that all remain in prayer for what we know God will do during this weekend.

*"Who shall separate us
from the love of Christ?
Shall trouble or
hardship or persecution
or famine or nakedness
or danger or sword?
No, in all these things
we are more than
conquerors through him
who loved us.
" Romans 8:35, 37*

Vance Unit

KOT Newsletter - February 2009 - Vance Unit
News by Don Lipke - Feb 2, 09

INSIDE WEEKEND NEWS

The most recent Weekend at Vance was Kairos # 36 led by Dennis Crowe in mid

October 2008. Now we are midway through training for Kairos #37 led by Jim Gibbs. Jim has assembled a great team with experience ranging from first timers to some with over ten years and twenty weekends under their belts.

A great Security Meeting was arranged by Liaison Rich Nichols and held on January 16. Assistant Warden, Captain, Chaplain, and InnerChange Freedom Initiative Leader and Program Manager met with the following key people from the Kairos #37 (cont. p. 23)

Vance Unit

(cont. from p. 22) Team: Team Leader Jim Gibbs, UAC Leader Pat Robson, Advising Leader Butch Alexander, Inside Coordinator Rich Nichols, Head Servant Gerald Sellers. A key concern that occupied most of the meeting was planning to accommodate tighter restrictions for getting equipment and food inside as well as for team members and Closing guests. The prison staff was very helpful with guidance as well as planning to have experienced available during the weekend. The tighter inspections will take more time for each group entry including the Closing guests.

Details for Vance Kairos #37 are:

Leader: Jim Gibbs
jimlgibbs@gmail.com

Weekend: March 13 – 15, 2009.
Closing March 15 @ 4:00PM

Closing contact: Rich Nichols nicholsri@yahoo.com

The next weekend at Vance, Kairos #38, will be held June 12-14 and led by Rusty Paull.

TEAM NEWS:

At the recent State Meeting in Austin on January 17, one of the subjects emphasized was for volunteers to be careful about personal involvement with inmates whether related to Kairos or

not. Two important TDCJ rules to remember are: 1) You may not volunteer in a unit where you are on the visitors list or otherwise closely associated with a resident. 2) You must keep TDCJ Volunteer Services (936-581-0445) informed if you are on the visitor's list or otherwise closely associated with a resident in TDCJ other than where you volunteer. I (Don Lipke, past liaison at Vance who should have known better) have associated with a friend at the Estelle unit since 2007 without notifying Volunteer Services. As a result, I have been suspended from the Vance (or any other) volunteer gate list for a year! **Pay attention to these rules!**

And my God will meet all your needs according to his glorious riches in Christ Jesus. To our God and Father be glory for ever and ever. Amen.
~ Philippians 4:19, 20



Wallace Unit

Good Morning,

Sonny Etheridge asked me to pass along a little info.

KAIROS # 20 at the Wallace Unit in Colorado City TX was a tremendous weekend. (Feb. 5, 6, 7, & 8) The Lord showed up and ministered to men's hearts, like He always does, but this weekend had a special sweet spirit to it. I haven't quite figured out yet exactly what it was but it sure was good. We had 12 or 13 men accept the Lord this weekend. That is the most

we have had on a weekend in a long time.

Dr. Dirt (Scott Van Pelt, our weekend leader) did an awesome job of preparing the team and leading the weekend. All the "Marbles" (we used marbles as our introduction ice breaker) fell right into place and I don't think anyone lost theirs.

This weekend being # 20 marked the 10 year anniversary for KAIROS at the Wallace Unit. Chaplin Riley and some of the Residents made

a plaque with a list of every Participant and every Team Member of all 20 KAIROS's. The Plaque will be on display in the Webb Center at the Colorado City facility. They also made pamphlets that listed all 20 KAIROS Participants and Team members for all the Free World People that were there.

God is good, and what a privilege it is to be able to serve Him through the KAIROS ministry.

Jerry W. Mason



February

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5 Wallace #20	6 Wallace #20	7 Wallace #20
8 Wallace #20	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19 Hutchins #7	20 Hutchins #7	21 Hutchins #7
22 Hutchins #7	23	24	25	26 FCI - Big Spring #9	27 FCI - Big Spring #9	28 FCI - Big Spring #9
KOSA Butter-braid Bread Fundraiser all month	KONT Cookie Dough Fundraiser					

March

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 FCI - Big Spring #9	2	3	4	5 Jordan #5 Montford #21	6 Jordan #5 Montford #21	7 Jordan #5 Montford #21
8 Jordan #5 Montford #21	9	10	11	12	13 Huntsville #11 Vance #37 KO Houston #21	14 Huntsville #11 Vance #37 KO Houston #21 Coffield Kairos Kar Wash Fund-raiser
15 Huntsville #11 Vance #37 KO Houston #21	16	17	18	19 Eastham #17 Stiles #24 Rudd #4 Torres #21 Bartlett #10	20 Eastham #17 Stiles #24 Rudd #4 Torres #21 Bartlett #10	21 Eastham #17 Stiles #24 Rudd #4 Torres #21 Bartlett #10
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April

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2 Briscoe #4	3 Briscoe #4	4 Briscoe #4
5 Briscoe #4	6	7	8	9	10	11
12 Polunsky #22	13	14	15	16 Coffield #27 Darrinton #43 Hughes #24 Neal #22 Roach #19 Smith #24	17 KOT Ex Co/KO St. Mtg Coffield #27 Darrington #43 Hughes #24 Neal #22 Roach #19 Smith #24 KO Midland #19	18 KOT St Chap Meeting - Austin Coffield #27 Darrington #43 Hughes #24 Neal #22 Roach #19 Smith #24 KO Midland #19
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26 Robertson #28 Connally #13 Michael #34 Clemens #8 Lockhart #9	27	28	29 Murray #8	30 Murray #8 Allred #16 McConnell #27 Dalhart #20		

May

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Murray #8 Allred #16 McConnell #27 Dalhart #20	2 Murray #8 Allred #16 McConnell #27 Dalhart #20 <u>Deadline for KOT Newslet- ter 2nd edition articles.</u>
3 Murray #8 Allred #16 McConnell #27 Dalhart #20	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14 Beto #40	15 Beto #40 KO Wichita Falls #6	16 Beto #40 KO Wichita Falls #6
17 Beto #40 KO Wichita Falls #6	18	19	20	21	22	23
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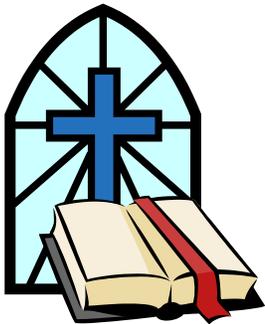
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God's Special Time

The mission of Kairos Prison Ministry International is to bring Christ's unconditional love and forgiveness to...

- All incarcerated individuals
- Their families
- Those who work with them and to assist the incarcerated in the transition to becoming a productive citizen.

Meditation



*For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat,
I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink,
I was a stranger and you invited me in,
I needed clothes and you clothed me,
I was sick and you looked after me,
I was in prison and you came to visit me.*

*Then the righteous will answer him,
'Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you,
or thirsty and give you something to drink?
When did we see you a stranger and invite you in,
or needing clothes and clothe you?
When did we see you sick or in prison and go to visit you?'*

*The King will reply, 'I tell you the truth,
whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine,
you did for me.'*

~ Matthew 25:35-40