

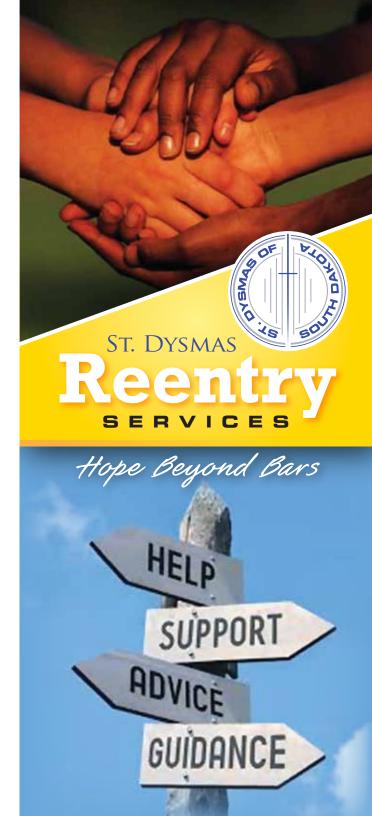
St. Dysmas Reentry is a program that is designed to assist men who are being released from incarceration. The program begins as they are nearing release to identify and address their immediate and future needs and continues after they are released to help them successfully return to the community.

St. Dysmas is a congregation in the South Dakota Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA). We are one congregation that worships within the walls of the South Dakota State Penitentiary in Sioux Falls, SD, and the Mike Durfee State Prison in Springfield, SD. We also provide services to men at the minimum Community Work Centers in Sioux Falls and Yankton.

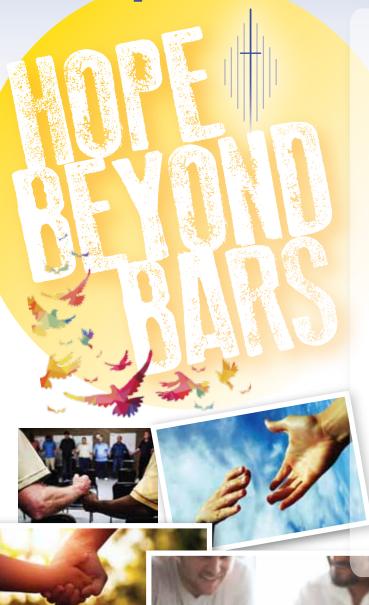
If you are interested in getting involved, please contact us for more information.







St. Dysmas Reentry Services



Reentry starts as soon as a person enters prison.

It is a challenge to to return back home and resume one's life, especially after a number of years of incarceration. Involvement in our reentry program will help men with the many stressors related to their release from prison.

Our Services

The St. Dysmas Reentry Services program is made up of individual church teams in the community, each team being comprised of volunteers from each church. These teams will assist returning citizens transitioning home from incarceration with the following services:

- Team Training
- Team Mentoring
- Housing Assistance
- Employment Skills & Job Search Strategies
- Transportation Needs
- Money Management
- Education
- Health & Life Skills
- Family & Friend Relationships
- Coping with Living Under Supervision
- Faith Considerations
- Some in-person assistance offered at our downtown office

MATTHEW 25: 31-46

Separates God's obedient followers from pretenders and believers. The real evidence of our belief is the way we act and serve others.

How to Help?

Your prayers and donations are needed and greatly appreciated. In addition to your financial support, our Reentry Program depends upon Reentry Teams. Please talk to your pastor about forming a Reentry Team at your church.

Giving

 Make a tax-deductible contribution and mail to:

> St. Dysmas of South Dakota c/o East Side Lutheran 1300 E. 10th St. Sioux Falls, SD 57103

 Contribute online on our website: www.stdysmas.com



Contact Mitchell Wilson for more information.

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