

ANOTHER CHANCE MINISTRIES OF ALABAMA, Inc.
"Chosen, Transformed & Living Righteously"

Another Chance Ministries of AL, Inc., "Chosen, Transformed & Living Righteously", is a Christian, 501.(C).3., Non-Profit Organization that strives to provide help, counseling and specialized assistance, in Alabama, to some of the Recently Released Incarcerated Persons, Disabled/Homeless Veterans, Abused and/or Trafficked Young Women and also, for some Temporary Homeless Individuals, (homeless moms or dads with young children) who have recently experienced hardships that have left them Jobless, Homeless and Without HOPE.

We partner with a variety of agencies, churches and organizations to develop, cultivate and steward the Spiritual rehabilitation of Previously Incarcerated Persons, Disabled/Homeless Veterans, Abused and/or Trafficked Young Women as well as for some Temporary Homeless Individuals. Our assistance is through biblically-based guidance, transition housing and instruction. It is our goal to help reduce recidivism in AL, thru structured, Christ-centered mentoring that enhances individual spiritual growth, development and transformation.

Our Ministries endeavor to minimize the serious hunger & homelessness that so many families and/or individuals are experiencing, especially if they're part of our Ex-felon community. We attempt to provide clean, safe and affordable transition housing that will help these families and/or individuals in life-threatening situations. Several people have donated their older homes to our Ministries. We're so grateful for the prayers, well wishes, miscellaneous donations and contributions that keep us encouraged to continue our endeavors here in Alabama. Some of the donated houses only require minor restoration, but most of our donations are a few steps from demolition. Nevertheless, God has enabled us to perform several **total house restorations** that always look like **brand new mansions**, once completed. In a way, these houses, now equipped with new roofs, electrical wiring, new plumbing, walls, flooring, windows, cabinets, painting, appliances, etc., really are brand new and to our clientele who are homeless, these beautiful homes become their mansion! We're truly elated and blessed beyond measure because these homes are repaired and/or restored with our personal funds and hard work. We're truly blessed throughout the process to enjoy a true labor of love that helps the multitude.

One of our visions is to identify land in locations where we can build and develop several safe and affordable "Tiny Home Villages" to reduce homelessness for so many Counties. These "Tiny Homes, once accepted, approved, supported and officially sanctioned by the appropriate County Officials, will serve as Great single-family living quarters. We're incredibly focused on this Vision because it will afford the opportunity for our Ministries to provide a variety of beautiful, safe and affordable starter homes for so many of our targeted families. Prayerfully, we've already begun discussions and negotiations to obtain approval, financial contributions and volunteer construction support in several potential locations. These homes will meet present-day needs and will afford desperately needed housing opportunities for hundreds of our citizens who are begging for relief, reform and total recovery, ... in this millennium. This is the least we can do to sponsor and support our people.

We're working hard to help homeless moms or dads, with young children, to secure safe housing, obtain jobs & earn salaries that will restore their hope and self-esteem. By so doing, this "**Hand-Up**" will also help their children feel more secure, worthwhile and much more confident that they too **can and will achieve and succeed in their individual endeavors**.

For over 60 years, our Ministries have successfully helped individuals who were incarcerated in FL, AL, GA, VA and DC. However, since 2002, we've been anchored and focused in Alabama to devote our concerns, efforts, resources and time to help change the extremely high recidivism rate that negatively affects a very high percentage of minority inmates and their families. We've worshipped, ministered, volunteered, mentored and counseled at several of the Men's Correctional Facilities, including Staton, Draper, Elmore, Red Eagle, St. Claire, Fountain and Holman (Death/"Life Row") in Atmore, AL. Our on-going projects continue as we mentor and minister to the female inmates at Julia Tutwiler Women's Facility in Elmore, AL.

We've served on Advisory Boards and Committees to share our knowledge and expertise with many Commissioners at ADOC and at Pardons & Parole. Also, we continually work with several Attorneys, Judges, Wardens, Chaplains and Corrections Officers, several concerned Churches, other organizations and advocacy groups in an effort to share and discuss various changes and procedures that could possibly improve methodology, services and results. Because a large number of the inmates don't have family support or the means to purchase supplies and personal supplies every month, we partner with Pilgrim Rest MB Church and continue to collect, donate and deliver toiletries to four Correctional Facilities at least 3-4 times a year. Those toiletry items include deodorant soap, toothpaste, tooth brushes, deodorant, lotion, hair notions and personal hygiene items for the female inmates. Unfortunately, our Long-Term Fundraiser Project and Ground Breaking Plans to build a set-aside Worship Center at Draper Correctional Facility in Elmore, were abruptly thwarted in 2018 when ADOC decided to immediately close that Prison as a part of the overall plan to build several Mega Prisons in the State of Alabama.

We also proudly work very closely with AIM (Aid to Inmate Mothers) in their extensive efforts and projects to help the female inmates who are presently incarcerated at or have recently been released from Julia Tutwiler Women's Facility that's located in Elmore, AL. Additionally, our involvement with the Faith Crusades Organization has been phenomenal. This connection affords us opportunities to help provide State-Approved restrictive housing, mentorship, counseling and job support for released inmates who have been classified as sex offenders.

We're praying that, beyond our limited gifts and offerings, what lies ahead for these special families will be more "open doors to a Much Brighter and More Promising Future!" Everything that's done on the behalf of our clientele is making a Significant Difference in the lives of so many individuals. All of our clients truly want to make a Positive change in their lives. **They really want to become respectable, law-abiding citizens who can and will be able, once they're better prepared, to make a Positive Difference in the lives of others who desperately need a "Hand-Up" in the future.**

As an independent, Christian Non-Profit organization, we totally fund our efforts and cheerfully welcome special financial donations and support from individuals, concerned citizens, fraternities and sororities, churches, etc. Your concern and support are essential to the success of our Fundraising efforts. Please partner with us! Your contribution, whether small or large, is an integral part of our success with this and future Projects.

We're opening doors to "A Brighter and Much More Promising Future Today"

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THESE INDIVIDUALS HAVE BEEN DISPLACED BY HARDSHIPS THAT INCLUDE THIS Covid-19 PANDEMIC, LOSS OF JOBS and LOSS OF HOMES. THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE ARE BEGGING FOR FOOD, CLOTHING AND SHELTER, ETC.

All of these individuals are in dire need of "A Hand Up"!! **THEY NEED OUR HELP!**

WILL YOU PLEASE HELP US TO HELP THESE INDIVIDUALS ???

We thank you, in advance, **FOR CARING AND FOR SHARING YOUR PERSONAL RESOURCES TO HELP US!**

God Bless You!

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