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*"And whatever you do, do it heartily, as to the Lord and not to men."
Colossians 3:23*

Let's take a look at
what God has done over
the last twenty years!

Twenty Years

The latest news and updates



Our mission: To inspire believers undergoing transformation through God's work in prison and to share the good news with those who have yet to know Jesus Christ.

Trinity Restoration Ministries **joyfully** celebrates twenty years of dedicated prison ministry! Since May 2004, we've assisted numerous men in reintegrating into society. Starting in 2022, we extended our support to women as well, ensuring that everyone is able to receive the necessary assistance and resources for a successful transition back into the community.

Our faith-based program inspires individuals to pursue personal growth and make meaningful contributions to the community, creating positive ripple effects.

As we commemorate two decades of transformative efforts, TRM remains steadfast in its dedication to ignite inspiration and empower individuals, guiding them towards brighter futures with the Lord as our top priority.

Timeline

2006/2008 - Partnership /Philemon House

TRM added a mentor team at the Mineral Wells facility in addition to the one at Dawson State Jail. TRM began providing hope and restoration in a space that housed up to 9 clients every 6 months.

2013 - Dawson Jail/ Mineral Wells

The facility where TRM volunteers committed their time - Dawson State Jail and Mineral Wells facility, officially closed down.

2022 - TRM's The Well

In July, TRM had the grand opening of the women's ministry called TRM's The Well.

2024 - 20 Year Anniversary

TRM celebrated 20 years of serving inside of prison, outside of prison and in the South Dallas community.

2004 - TRM Foundation

TRM began as a local 501(c)(3) nonprofit in Dallas, TX. It was founded by an eclectic team of directors whose primary focus was on aftercare ministry and mentoring.

2011 - Renovation

An opportunity opened to renovate the building at 2728 Holmes Street Apartment Complex. Because of this, TRM was able to house 36 additional participants.

2014 - Choice Moore/Sanders Estes

TRM was allowed to serve at the Sanders Estes Unit in Venus, TX as well as the Choice Moore unit in Bonham, TX which continues to this day.

2023 - Serving/Expansion

In January 2023 the TRM women began serving in Gatesville at the Patrick O'Daniel Unit with the STRIVE program. October 2023 Cornerstone Baptist Church provided TRM with the opportunity to expand it's women's ministry. This location is currently under renovation.

Services Over The Years

From 2004 until 2013, when the Dawson State Jail closed, the TRM Team traveled a total of **1,180** miles to mentor male inmates.

During the period from 2008 to 2013, when the Mineral Wells facility closed, the TRM Team covered a total of **6,012** miles to mentor male inmates.

Since 2014, the TRM Team has journeyed a total of **14,860** miles to the Choice Moore Unit in Bonham, TX, and **7,080** miles to mentor inmates at the Sanders Estes Unit in Venus, TX.

Starting in 2023, the TRM Team traveled a total of **3,000** miles to the Patrick O'Daniel Unit, and **248.4** miles to the Hilltop Unit in Gatesville, TX to mentor female inmates.

Altogether, the TRM Team has traveled a cumulative total of 32,380.4 miles to various correctional facilities across Texas to provide mentoring to inmates.



Dennis Gant is a trailblazer who has dedicated 25 years to serving the South Dallas community, even before TRM existed. Alongside his wife Gayla, Dennis served the homeless, discovering many were formerly incarcerated and in need of transitional housing and support. Dennis and his team invested countless hours in prayer and planning to turn their vision into reality. Thanks to his God-led commitment, we have achieved so much today. Although Dennis is passing the baton, we know he is not stepping away fully as he continues to be actively involved in God's work within the ministry. Thank you, Dennis, for your unwavering dedication.

Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.

Mark 12:30

Statistics of Service

Here are a few of the accomplishments we've achieved over the past twenty years of service:

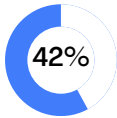


Employment:

Employed **within 90 days of release**



Saved and Maintained a minimum of \$1500 in their account to be considered a TRM graduate.



Housing and Support Services:

Participants Housed **6 months or more**

15 participants per year offered housing assistance in the TRM community at completion of program.

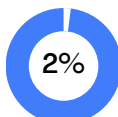
In-Prison Service:

TRM Served at Choice Moore and the Sanders Estes Unit for a total of twelve years.

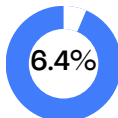
TRM Served at the Patrick O'Daniel Unit one year

1,775 Inside Clients Served

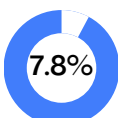
Recidivism Rate:



Returned to prison after 1 year completion of program



Returned to prison after 3 years completion of program



Returned to prison after 4 years completion of program

Testimonials

Kenneth Michal



TRM marked a profound turning point in my life. It offered me more than just a place of fellowship—it **provided a sanctuary where I found strength and belonging**. Being part of TRM not only fortified me as an individual but also revealed to me the potential to contribute to something much larger than myself. Their guidance helped me navigate a challenging period and set my life back on course, for which I am immensely grateful.

Even after graduating from the program, my connection with TRM remains strong. I actively collaborate and work closely with the ministry, now in a mentoring role where **I strive to pass on the same Godly principles and support that once uplifted me**. It's a way for me to give back and support others on their journeys of personal growth and faith, continuing the transformative cycle that TRM initiated in my life.

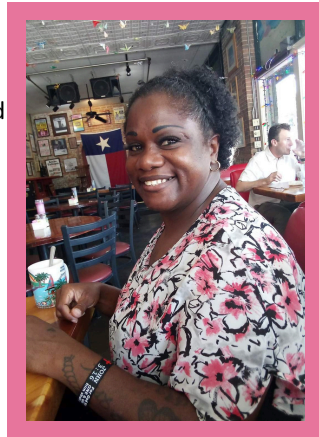
The unwavering dedication of the leadership and the support of my mentors were crucial during the challenging transition after my release from prison. Their guidance through every trial and obstacle were instrumental in shaping me into the Godly man I stand as today. **Without them I am certain that I would not have achieved the positive transformation and stability that define my life now.**

Sheria Givens

TRM's **The Well has been an incredible journey for me**, and words almost fail to capture its impact. Over the past five months, I've experienced a transformation that's difficult to put into words, thanks to what God has done in my life. I feel more liberated than ever before, filled with a newfound confidence and a deep sense of comfort. It's as if I'm finally living the life I've always dreamed of, surrounded by the best of friends who support and uplift me.

I have undergone profound change since being here. I've discovered a sense of peace that eluded me before, where I've found healing from past hurts, and where I've embarked on a journey of restoration. **Each day brings me closer to a version of myself I've longed to be**—a person who is free from the weights that held me down, and who is embracing life with renewed vigor.

In essence, The Well has given me more than I could have imagined. **It's been a sanctuary where my spirit has flourished, where I've come to understand myself better, and where I've found a community that feels like family.** It's a testament to the power of faith and the journey of personal growth. What more can I say than that it has been a truly transformative experience!



Current Needs

As the prison population grows, and the demand for the resources that the TRM program provides increase, TRM is acquiring/securing master leases on additional properties so that we can continue to provide housing during and after graduation for our men and ladies.

With this said, we have needs of funds for the following things:

Replacement of the windows at our main facility that houses the men - approx. \$30,000

The renovation of our newly acquired apartment 8 unit facility - approx. \$15,000 per unit

Replacement of our 15 passenger van - approx. \$60,000

Replacement of our minivan - approx. \$45,000

Mattress's and Platform frames - approx. \$6,000

**We thank you for any
contributions you can make to our
cause.**

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