

and beyond

# LIBERTY BEHIND BARS MINISTRY

Sending Church: Black Creek Baptist Church

JULY 2025 NEWSLETTER

*The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon me; because the LORD hath anointed me to preach good tidings unto the meek; he hath sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison to them that are bound (Isa 61:1)*

*Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended: but this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus.*

*Philippians 3:13-14*

Happy Summer! We truly thought we would not be as busy this spring/summer as in years past - but the Lord's mind has been different! We are thankful for several opportunities to preach at various camp/revival meetings and pulpit fill in several churches. We are in the local jails weekly and it is a blessing to see the hardened hearts of these men and women soften to the things of God!

## A Place of Refuge

We are so excited to announce the dedication of Woman's home! We are extending our invitation to any who would like to attend. It will be on August 9, 2025 at 11am. **Please RSVP** to Amy Morey (585-365-3875) by August 2nd, if you will be attending as we will be having a small cookout after the dedication and message from Pastor Tim McVey.

There are a few things we are still in need of for the home... please contact us for more information. We are only accepting cash donations at this time to purchase new items.

We have been in contact with a few different women in state jails/prisons who have made an interest in our woman's home. Please pray the Lord will give us much wisdom to see if it is a good fit for them!

## Praises

*Praise  
the Lord*

- The Olean, NY Bible study is going well. We have had "repeat" attenders who are generally interested in knowing more about Jesus and the Word of God! We are very thankful for all the volunteers that come out each week to walk the streets inviting people to come!
- We are appreciative and are thankful for the men who volunteer to come in to preach at the local jails - we can see the impact on the men and the women.

# Prayer Requests

- Pray we have more opportunities to present the ministry to new churches and they would partner with LBBM and support "A Place of Refuge" - we need more monthly support in order to maintain the home.
- Wisdom and guidance from the Lord for running the Woman's Home. We will need more volunteers to help with ministering with the women.
- 1<sup>ST</sup> Woman - please pray the Lord bring us our first woman to the home
- "Called" people specifically for jail/prison ministry to work with LBBM
- Doors re-open at Allegany County Jail
- Podcast messages on Securus App gets updated so individuals in jail/prison can listen to preaching messages
- **BIBLES** - continued financial support for the bible ministry within LBBM is needed. We thank those who faithfully support the bible ministry! Please see below the impact that it is having on people!

## Testimonial

*"Dear Sir or Ma'am, I am sorry it took me 2 weeks to respond to you, but I had a medical problem and besides that we are only allowed 2 free envelopes per week. So again I am sorry I didn't write sooner! But I had to write and say Thank You! This book you sent me is absolutely beautiful! I couldn't have ever guessed that I would have a Holy Bible this nice! I am so proud of it! Thank you so much! I'm going to keep it forever! It has my name written on it in permanent ink so that no one can steal it from me! I really really like it! Thank you for caring about people that don't have any body to help them. It means alot. I have tears in my eyes now as I am writing this. I've lost everything and everyone I ever loved. You can't imagine how much getting this book meant to me. It's so beautiful! Anyways, I just had to say thank you for making a difference in my life." Sincerely, B. H. from Chenango County Jail, NY*

**If you know any churches that would be interested in the ministry - please pass our information along!**

### LBBM Helps Ministry

Thank you to those who volunteer to help LBBM with various aspects of the ministry! We truly appreciate all that you do for LBBM and for the individuals we work with!

### Ways to Support LBBM

There are several ways you can support LBBM:

- PRAYERFULLY! Please keep us in prayer so we are sensitive to the Lord's leading for the ministry, safety in travel, and wisdom
- FINANCIALLY -
  - By check
  - Cash App (\$LibertyBehindBars)
  - Venmo App (@Liberty-BehindBars)
  - Wire Transfer (please contact us personally for bank info)

#### PLEASE DESIGNATE YOUR GIVING:

- General
- Place of Refuge
- Bibles



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