

WHAT IS THE PROCESS?

Partnership Level 1 - Volunteer

- 1) Write a letter or e-mail of introduction answering the following questions.
 - Tell us about yourself.
 - Give us a brief testimony how you came to know the Lord Jesus.
 - What led you to be involved in prison ministry?
 - Why are you applying to become part of the PFC network?
 - Your desire to receive an application.
- 2) Complete a PFC application.
- 3) Complete a Reference Check.

Partnership Level 2/3 - Area Representative

- 1) Same as Partnership Level #1 above.
- 2) Phone interview with ministry President.

Partnership Level 3 - Full Time Prison Missionary

- 1) Same as Partnership Level #1 above
- 2) Complete Application - Phase I
- 3) Phone interview with ministry President
- 4) Complete Application - Phase II
- 5) Phone interview with ministry President
- 6) Phase III - Fundraising Training
- 7) Phase IV - Deputation Phase.

OUR MISSION

Prisoners for Christ Outreach Ministries is dedicated to taking the Gospel of Jesus Christ into the jails, prisons and juvenile centers in the Northwest, across the United States and around the world. We accomplish this task through worship services, Bible studies, special concerts and one-to-one visitations.

OUR STATEMENT OF FAITH

That there is one God, eternally existent in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. (*Matt. 3:16-17; 1 Peter 1:1-2; Isaiah 48:16*) The Bible is the inspired, inerrant, infallible, authoritative word of God. (*II Tim. 3:16-17*) Man is by nature a sinner from birth. (*Ps. 51:5; Rom. 3:23; Rom. 5:12-13*) Jesus Christ was virgin born, sinless, died on the cross for the sins of the world, was buried and raised from the dead on the third day and is coming again to rule and reign on the earth. (*Matt. 1:18-21; Heb. 4:15; 1 Cor. 15:1-4; John 14:3-4*) Salvation is a free gift, bestowed by God's grace and received through faith. (*Eph 2:8-9*) A believer's salvation is secured by Christ alone. (*John 10:27-28; Acts 4:12*) Immersion in water of a professed believer is the only biblical baptism and is symbolic of Christ's death, burial, and resurrection. (*Rom. 6:1-4; Acts 8:36-39*) The church is the bride of Christ and the body of Christ. (*Cor. 12; Eph. 5:25-33; Col 1:18*) The local church is governed by Godly men known as elders or bishops. (*Titus 1:5-9; 1 Tim 3:1; 1 Tim 5:17; Acts 20:28*) The purpose of the church on earth is to fulfill the last command of Jesus. (*Matt. 28:18-20*) Christians are endowed with spiritual gifts which enable them to minister in the church. (*Eph. 4:11*) The Holy Spirit, whom every believer receives at conversion, leads and guides us. (*Eph. 1:13-14; Rom 8:14*) In the present ministry of the Holy Spirit by whose indwelling, the Christian is enabled to live a Godly life and in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus. (*Gal 5:22-25; 1 Cor 6:19; Rom 15:5; Eph 4:3*)



THE FRANCHISE MINISTRY



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WHO IS PRISONERS FOR CHRIST?

Prisoners for Christ Outreach Ministries (PFC) is a nondenominational organization dedicated to taking the Gospel of Jesus Christ into the jails, prisons, and juvenile centers.

From our home office in Washington State, PFC has over 1,000 volunteers coming from approximately 125 different local churches. In 2011, more than 611,507 inmates (men, women, and youth) attended our programs around the world. The exciting thing was that 179,621 people made first-time commitments to our Lord Jesus Christ. **Praise the Lord!** On the average, PFC volunteers are currently conducting 267 services monthly, an average of almost 9 per day!

Several years ago, the Lord opened up the door for PFC to take our resources abroad to further equip foreign nationals in developing prison ministries. Facilitating this expansion, we have opened field offices in Russia, Kenya, Uganda, Burundi, Rwanda, the Congo, Ghana and India. In addition, we are visiting other regions of the world in order to train and equip pastors and lay leaders to further the work of the Gospel. The leadership of PFC has a broad vision and the Lord is growing the ministry every day.

WHAT IS THE FRANCHISE MINISTRY?

Typically, in Corporate America when working with the franchise concept, there are two entities: the franchiser and the franchisee. The franchiser has a product or service to sell and has the infrastructure to maintain & service its growth. The franchisee is typically an entrepreneur that has an affinity and desire to market the products or services.

HOW DOES THE FRANCHISE MINISTRY WORK?

In essence, the franchise approach to ministry is a partnership designed to impact the Kingdom of God by equipping the saints to do works of service to those who are incarcerated. PFC is a release ministry, meaning “all that we are and all that we have are gifts from God to be released back into the church community”. Since our mission statement is “**Impacting the Global Prison Community for His Glory**”, we desire to empower men and women of God to be great warriors for the Lord!

Therefore it is our hearts desire to further equip men & women, through partnership and collaboration, who have a desire to be used of God in the jails, prisons and juvenile institutions across this country.

WHAT ARE THE LEVELS OF PARTNERSHIP?

1. **Volunteer**: This individual is working alone or with a small group, without a spiritual covering & desires to be a part of something bigger than themselves.
2. **Church Representative**: This person is someone who has been given the oversight from their local church leadership team to manage, train and equip volunteers from their specific church. The Church Representative should be able to manage multiple volunteers from his church for different prison locations. This is a volunteer position.
3. **Area Representative**: This person is someone who has been working in the prisons as a volunteer for at least three years, has a full-time job or career but desires to take their prison ministry leadership to the next level. The Area Representative is an extension of the PFC arm and should have a desire & heart to recruit, train and manage several volunteer teams, from multiple different local churches. This is a volunteer position.
4. **Full-Time Prison Missionary**: This person is an existing prison ministry volunteer, with at least three years prison ministry experience and who has a distinct call from God to serve on a full-time basis. This person would be responsible for raising their own financial support. The application and training process typically takes between three to nine months to complete.