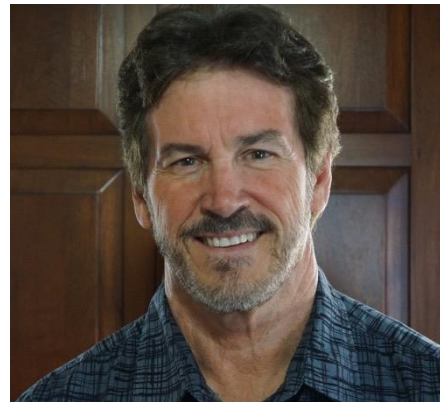




## **Thank you:**

You're helping bring the life giving word of God to prisoners. Your prayers and gifts to this ministry have reached those who were lost and strengthen the believers who are incarcerated. Then there's the ripple effect for some great "returning citizens" upon their release who are now successful models in their communities.



## **Recent News:**

- Every year we participate in Prison Fellowship's Angel Tree program on campus. We have over 200 men whose children will be receiving Christmas gifts (approximately 600 gifts) during this Christmas season.
- I have started a new Bible study and worship time for the men in our new infirmary on campus. These inmates are too sick to move about the campus and are not able to get out of the dorm where they are housed. Each week a couple of our choir members along with my chaplain assistants assist me in ministering to these inmates. It has been well received by the institution and the inmates.
- We also continue to have excellent Kairos reunions each month. There are about 22 Kairos volunteers who are deeply committed to our Kairos program at Deep Meadow. We have 2 four day events each year (Spring & Fall) with about 56 inmates participating at each event. These are like revivals for the campus because the men are so deeply touched by the Lord as well as the way they are cared for by the Kairos volunteers.
- We currently have 200 volunteers serving in some capacity for 22 active religious groups within the facility. This is more than any other facility in the state. This means my plate is very full considering I am only given 20 hours a week to minister and facilitate these various religious groups on the campus. I greatly appreciate your prayers for me as I strive to serve as God's steward in this environment.

## **Red's story (given with his permission):**

“Red” is a recent graduate of our Faith-Based Reentry program at Deep Meadow as well as having served as one of my chaplain assistants for a number of years. Upon his release he became a resident at our church’s transitional home (Clover Hill Church) in Chesterfield, Virginia. Within weeks he had his driver’s license and his business license. He’s working his own business in landscaping and small engine repair. He’s also helping me with my yard work while building a shed for one of my neighbors. But the most important thing about Red is his great character and the spirit with which he’s begun his new life on the outside.



Red's story graphically illustrates why we need faith-based re-entry ministries across the state and America to provide support and guidance for returning citizens when they re-join society. Will you help us in this great work the Lord is doing through Bridge 2 Hope?

May God bless you,  
David L. Cheyne

## **Assisting those who are being released**

***We hope to be able to assist many more “returning citizens” who are re-entering society. They really need help as they begin a new life on the outside.***

***Please visit our website or email me if you have any questions!***

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