

REFUGE MINISTRIES NEWSLETTER

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TIMES OF TROUBLE"*
Psalm 9:9

Winter 2018

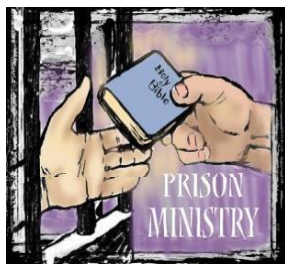
A Word from Our Ministry Director

"God's richest blessings for the 2018 holiday season!"



Refuge Ministries is the only Canadian youth prison ministry. Our mandate is to reach the 14% of convicted youth in secure custody facilities across Canada and to impact our generation. Thank-you for your interest and tremendous support of "Refuge Ministries Canada" without it we are unable to accomplish our vision of "Equipping churches for youth prison ministry in their community. Without your partnership and our terrific

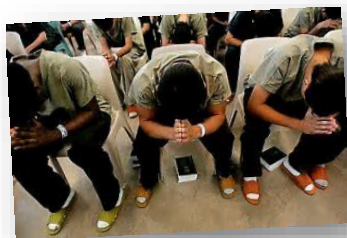
board members/volunteers it can't be accomplished. Please prayerfully consider becoming one of the 20 new monthly supporters we are praying for. We sincerely pray that your church would consider "Refuge Ministries Canada" in the mission budget for 2019. This year as you plan your services and events for the next few months please consider the ministry team at Refuge Ministries Canada and how we can assist with these events.. We are so thankful for the fruit which has been sown and look forward to what the Lord will do through our ministry in 2019. *From the bottom of my heart, Thank-you!*



RELEASE KITS

We are searching for folks that could support our work in preparing release kits. These kits help those who are released into the community and who are in need of the most basic supplies. Currently we need of the following items for our release kits:

- Toothpaste & Tooth Brush
- Deodorant & Soap
- Comb
- Pen & Notepad
- Medium size baggies to hold items



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Testimonies

"Alan is committed and persistent. Nothing seems to deter him from his mission to reach out to the "unreachable". He believes people can change because he has. He is knowledgeable, resourceful, relates well with both youth-at-risk and staff members. I have both been able to observe Alan & his team minister to inmates, as well as participate as part of the team. I've enjoyed and appreciated these opportunities. The youth love a good, real life story that relates to their very own struggles and experiences. Alan's story inspires hope and lets his audience know that there are people out there that do care and are willing to guide them back on the right path. The Refuge Ministry team has visited us on several occasions and the youth always give Alan their respectful attention and are comfortable asking him questions. Refuge definitely fits a need that not every person or ministry is effectively capable of satisfying. I pray that Refuge Ministries Canada has many more years of fruitful ministry." "Refuge Ministries Canada" come and share how this can be done."

Gilles Michaud
Manitoba Youth Centre,
Winnipeg, Manitoba

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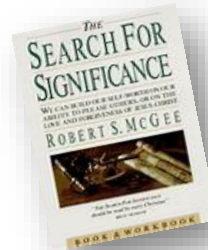
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Interested in learning about youth prison ministry and the work of "Refuge Ministries Canada"? This can be accomplished through a Saturday, one-hour, regional training seminar in a host church and having the "Refuge Ministries Canada" ministry team, on Sunday, at your church. If you are interested in hosting a seminar and ministry conference, we would be thrilled to receive your call or e-mail.

2019 Ministry Schedule:

- **Sprucedale Youth Centre 2nd and 4th Sunday monthly, 6-8 p.m.**
- **Urban Haven 430 Gray St, London from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.** first point of contact for those released from custody.
- **Search for Significance Bible Study** beginning Tuesdays at 1:30 p.m. beginning January 8th, 2019 at Urban Haven... 430 Grey St., London, ON.
- **2019 Spring Prison Ministry Conference** (details to follow).



PRAYERFULLY consider becoming a monthly supporter of "Refuge Ministries Canada".

- **You can become an automatic**
- **\$15.00 a month sponsor by filling out the Direct Debit Program Authorization Form found on our website under donate.**

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