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Chosen to Bear Fruit

"You did not choose Me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit, and that your fruit should remain, that whatever you ask the Father in My name He may give you." John 15:16 (NKJV)

We are chosen! We are appointed! We must go! We are to bear fruit! Fruit that will remain. This is His calling upon us.

Since 1996, Len Ministries (LMI) has been going to the lost of the world. (Actually, Rev. Len Showalter participated in planting a church in Russia in 1991 and then has progressively trained and equipped other churches in many other nations since that time.)

Evangelistic leadership training occurs during the weeklong International Evangelism Schools (IES) conducted around the globe. Bishop Guy Landry works the area of Eurasia (Russian).

Reverend Daniele Yetna leads the effort in Africa (French and English). Director Lidia Dole is focused on the work in Central America (Spanish). These are all coordinated through the LMI office in Jacksonville, FL, USA (English). These three leaders work with and assist other ministries in their respective continents: Pastor



Robert Mponye in Uganda and Central Africa (English, Ugandan, and Swahili), Pastor Sergey in Eastern Siberia (Russian and Buryat), as well as supporting ministry efforts in several other nations and languages.

In June, LMI will be headed back to Armenia to equip a new group of pastors in

Ararat, and then back to Artashat with Pastor Hatchik. Next, at the end of July a new group of churches will be hosting LMI in San Pedro Sula, Honduras. In September LMI will be in Lira, Uganda, equipping a new group of pastors hosted by Pastor William Lwanyaga.

(Check the Calendar on pg. 4 for travel detail, especially if you desire to join us on a trip.)

Your help is needed to continue to take this Good News to the lost people across the world. (LMI is now in 27 nations!) Please pray, give, and go with us to bear fruit that will remain eternally!

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Kairos #94 & More

[RAIFORD, FL] The extended weekend event called Kairos #94 was held at Union Correctional Institution (UCI) in Raiford, FL. Rev. Len Showalter and 27 men from the “outside” went into the prison to minister to 39 inmates on March 21 - 23 (Friday to Sunday). Typically, the weekend starts on Thursday evening, but due to circumstances at UCI the prison was “locked down” on Thursday. There were additional inmates assisting with logistical functions as well as being prayer partners for the entire weekend. As noted this was Kairos #94 which means that this was the 94th event that has been held at UCI. This ministry is normally held twice a year except during COVID, so it has been going on about 50 years!

JD Daniels was the leader for the weekend. The outside team would return to their homes at night or stay in a hotel in Macclenny. The team was inside ministering from 7am to 7pm Friday and Saturday, and a half day on Sunday. They sat, ate, talked, and ministered to the inmates continuously on those days.



Len was able to share the Gospel with 10 inmates and 8 received Christ and 2 received assurance of their salvation. Additionally, Len was able to share with 3 others outside prison: 1) Helen, a hotel room cleaner, who received Jesus; 2) Sammy, a restaurant waitress, who did not make a decision due to lack of time; and 3) Cam, a church planter, who received assurance of his salvation while at Burger King.

The prison ministry continues with monthly reunions on the fourth Saturday of each month with an effort to continue to develop discipleship

with the inmates. The next Kairos weekend is scheduled for September 25 - 28, 2025. If you want to be a part of that effort contact Kevin Wrubluski at kwrubluski@gmail.com, or Len Showalter at len@lenministries.org. **LMI**

Comments from some of the inmates that participated in Kairos #94:

“I was incarcerated in 2009 at a different institution. I had been trying to get to a Kairos weekend. Kairos is about fellowship and a loving Holy Spirit. God has been good to me every day of my life. I appreciate you guys.”

“...I was a drug addict. My wife and I were going to a gas station to get water to flush our toilet. Well I saw my life falling apart in prison, God brought me to this weekend. Thank you for the Kairos team and the inmates who are praying.”

“I was shot 22 times at close range and only three bullets hit me. God showed me He is real. Sometimes God delivers us when we don’t want to change our ways.”

“We’ve been fed real well spiritually. The food we eat physically will be gone shortly but the spiritual food lasts forever.”

“I had so much hate and anger. I came to Kairos and He is breaking down the walls in my life.”

“I have been down (incarcerated) for 40 years. Kairos is a mind-blowing experience. I’ve never seen anything like this in my life. The love is overwhelming, it makes me want to cry.”

“All my life has been a struggle. Kairos has helped me out of the valley.”

“Stay rooted in Jesus. I was forced to go to church as a child. At 14, I was given the choice, so I left the church. Kairos is bringing me back.”

“Today, truth hit me in the face. Thank you, Jesus!”

“I am truly happy to be here. I love Jesus. I talked with two Kairos volunteers that woke me up. Kairos is so beautiful. I’m 81 and really want to get right with God.”

“I was a lost vessel when I came. Now I am finding myself and God.”

“Thank you Lord for what I’ve learned and for my prayer life - to pray for others and to forgive others.”

“I signed up for Kairos at the last minute because I heard a voice say, ‘Let me talk to you.’ The volunteers sharing personal stories and letters - I haven’t received a letter in 10 years (crying). I had a total meltdown reading the letters (from the Kairos volunteers). I will never forget my new brothers who care about me. I am leaving here with God saying, ‘Can you hear me now?’

Jacksonville, FL

[JACKSONVILLE, FL] New Life Christian Fellowship (NLCF), 2701 Hodges Blvd., Jacksonville, FL, hosted a 5-day LMI International Evangelism School. Associate Pastor Rachel Self who is in charge of Outreach and the Storehouse coordinated this effort on behalf of NLCF. Rev. Len Showalter was the lead teacher and he was assisted by Doug Drelich who trained in February. (See the LMI March 2025 newsletter: https://lenministries.org/lmi_newsletters/Mar%2025.pdf)

The classes were held Monday through Friday, May 19 to 23, from 9am to 5pm at the church with witnessing accomplished at the Avenues Mall during the week.

The team is pictured at the bottom left (l-r) with the trainers: Robby Vick, Brad Schultz, Marcia Showalter (teacher/trainer), Lisa Buchillon, Len Showalter (teacher/trainer), Sue Soutter, Doug Drelich (teacher/trainer), Mary Anne Arnel, and Jeff Arnel (not shown: trainers Dwight Preheim and Dot Horstman). The students arrived Monday ready to learn to be an evangelist as well as a future teacher of evangelism in their church, NLCF. Also, Associate Pastor Rachel Self and Pastoral Secretary Kristen Schmitt provided great logistical help through the week.

The material is very comprehensive. The first day is dedicated to learning terminology and developing an effective testimony. Tuesday is given to memorizing the main points of a Gospel presentation along with 1.5 hours of OJT lead by the trainers.

Wednesday focused on discipleship and enlistment with another session of OJT led by the trainers with more student involvement. On Thursday the students learned how to handle objections and with time dedicated to personal prayer for the students and OJT with the students leading the interaction. Friday the students took oral and written exams and then headed to OJT without any participation by trainers.

Graduation was held Friday evening at Chow's Country Buffet. Several other ministry friends and family joined the celebration. All rejoiced as the statistics were shared: the Gospel was shared by the class 37 times to 47 people and there were 21 professions/assurances of faith in Jesus! 45% of those that heard the Gospel received Christ! There were many great stories from the OJT that were told by the students.

Plan on joining us next year February 16 - 20, 2026 in Jacksonville, FL. You can make a difference!

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Len & Sue share Jesus



Mary Anne shares a Free Gift



Sue and Jeff rejoice with a new Christian



Lisa shares Christ at the Food Court



2025 Evangelism Class at NLCF in Jacksonville, FL



Marcia & Brad talk to a couple at the Mall

