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Welcome Home
 Faith-Based Reentry Program

Serving the Imprisoned and
 Helping Them Transition Home
 in
 Washington, D.C. and
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 Counties, Maryland

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 Washington and Catholic Charities

Following the mandate of Jesus to serve the least among us, the PRISON OUTREACH MINISTRY

Welcome Home Reentry Program assists persons returning home from incarceration to adjust and redevelop their lives. In order to prevent these individuals being drawn back into a vicious cycle of criminal activities and recidivism, the program partners them with compassionate mentors recruited from local parishes and congregations.

Working in close collaboration with the Archdiocese of Washington, the goal of Prison Outreach Ministry, Inc. is to break the cycle of recidivism, which is destructive to the individual, the family, the community, and society at large.

Individuals returning to the community from incarceration require skilled, compassionate mentors to assist and guide them. Mentors are spiritually strong role models who offer returnees moral support and assistance as they transition from incarceration to freely living in a community. These mentors, who are recruited, trained, and supported by Prison Outreach Ministry, Inc. help individuals to navigate and negotiate “the system” of social services and community supports.

MENTORS:

- are mature persons of faith committed to supporting a man or woman returning to the community from jail or prison and welcoming them home during their initial phase of reentrance into society
- are highly motivated adults grounded in their faith desiring to help others claim new beginnings and new life
- are stable, supportive, and caring listeners
- encourage positive social bonds, relationships, and connections to the community
- provide encouragement and spiritual support
- provide information on needed resources
- participate in initial and on-going training and support
- make a one year commitment

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