

Dear Praying Friends and Family:

Please forgive the excessive delay in sending this prayer letter and report. This year has proven to be busier than ever with continuing opportunities to serve HIM at the Northwestern Joint Regional Correctional Facility (NWJRCF) here at Joint Base Lewis-McChord (JBLM)! We Praise the Lord for answered prayers and open doors.

It's a true blessing to watch God change the lives of young service numbers. This past January, God allowed me to lead a young,

incarcerated soldier to the Lord. In our first meeting, this young man was looking down, holding his head between his hands, flooded with feelings of hopelessness. He told me, "*The devil told me that my life belonged to him and there's nothing that I can do about it.*" I simply introduced him to Jesus, The One that can do impossible things, especially when we can't do anything! After trusting Christ for salvation, this young soldier's attitude and demeanor changed almost immediately. He has since exhibited a hunger for the things of the Lord and attends all our discipleship classes and services. He's memorized dozens of Bible verses, and the military chaplain even had him bring a message in the prison chapel. God used his message to draw another young soldier to the foot of the cross and I was blessed with the privilege to lead him to the Lord, too!

Christine and I praise the Lord for allowing us to continue the work here at the NWJRCF. While my former official appointment as staff chaplain has not been restored, I did recently receive a staff badge and have been able to minister in the facility since last fall with little to no restriction. God is faithful! Our door here remains open, Praise the Lord!

We were blessed to hold our first revival in the new NWJRCF this past April and it was wonderful! The services were very well received, and **SIX** men made professions of faith in Christ! God continued to work in the weeks following the revival, resulting in **FOUR** more men trusting Jesus! Our discipleship efforts are being blessed in our weekly Bible studies and classes as we have watched many men grow and get victory over many things in their lives.

On the home front... Christine and I were recently blessed with our third grandchild! We rejoice with our older daughter and her husband, Allyson and Harry, in announcing the birth of our second beautiful granddaughter, Riley Elaine Stanley, born June 15. Mom and baby are doing well!

Please keep our upcoming revival trips to Fort Leavenworth (Oct 25-27) and Naval Consolidated Brig Miramar in San Diego (*pending dates this fall*) in your prayers. Pray we see much fruit for our labor!

Please continue to pray for our continuing divine favor with military officials. Dealing with constant change and transition with personnel, policies, and leadership is a perpetual challenge. Christine and I are grateful for the honor to serve the Lord and represent you all in the mission field of America's military prisons. Thank you for your faithful love, prayers, and financial support.

In HIS Service,

Lance W. Hohenstreet ~Your Missionary to the Military and Military Prisons~

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2 Cominitians 4:5 For we preach not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord; and ourselves your servants for Jesus' sake.





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The new NWIRCF on Joint Base Lewis-McChord