



ALL IN MINISTRIES

TO HELP MEN SEE AND REACH BEYOND THEIR BOUNDARIES OF PRISON WALLS, TRANSITIONAL HOUSING AND MENTAL LIMITATIONS.

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I would like to dedicate this newsletter to my very good friend, Troy Wolfe. On October 11th, he lost his battle to cancer at the age of 45 and went home to be with our Lord Jesus. He was the first man that All In Ministries officially started to work with. Troy and I never really had a mentor/mentee relationship. We became close friends - in fact we talked many times about Troy joining our ministry. I miss my friend, but am confident that I will see him again.



Current Updates

What a season this summer has been. Besides us not being able to get into the courts or jails, All In Ministries has fared very well. The number of men that we work with on a personal level has more than doubled. We still have a very strong presence in the Goodhue County Drug Court through Zoom meetings every week. We also have had a strong presence in Bob's Place. This is

a faith based transitional house located in Hastings. In early summer, we started a faith-based recovery meeting. We were meeting outside at a park in Cannon Falls. Just this week our group was given permission to use a room at Our Savior's Evangel Lutheran Church in Cannon Falls. Thank you to Pastor Tim Banks and your Board!



Speaking Opportunities

Last December, I launched a book that Brian Scott and myself wrote titled *That Man is Dead*. Thank you to Pastor Kristie Kerr for the prompting to write the book. Because of the circulation of *That Man is Dead*, I've had the opportunity to share the message of Hope that comes from a relationship with Jesus all across Minnesota. I've been honored to share my story at Gateway Assembly Church in International Falls, Open Door Assembly Church in Marshall, Journey Church in Hastings (my hometown) and two weeks ago at West Side Church in Kettle River.



Annual Fundraiser

This past August, All In Ministries held its first annual fundraiser. It was held outside at Dr. Pat and Molly Wellik's residence. Even with COVID, we had a safe and great turnout. Thank you Pastor Kristie Kerr for opening up the evening in prayer and helping to make the night a success. Some of the speakers were Pat Ohnstad, the mother of a gentlemen that we walk alongside. She said that she prayed for years that God would give her son back to her, and He sent All In Ministries! The Honorable Judge Bayley spoke on what it means to have All In Ministries in his Goodhue County Drug Court Program. Then I shared my story of Hope through Jesus Christ. At the end, one of our Board Members, Jim McMahon, spoke about our fundraising goals. They included getting our website revamped, moving my office from my kitchen to a real location, and hiring a part time administrator to help me (so instead of me pulling my hair out sitting at a computer, I can spend more time doing ministry). Then Jim touched on our big vision of someday having our very own faith-based transitional house.

I'm thrilled to say the donations that came in were just under \$16,000. Praise Jesus! And at the writing of this letter, all of our "behind the scene" ministry goals have been met. I would like to thank our sponsors, all who gave their time, all who donated, and those who covered us in prayer. Thank you!





I am asking you to prayerfully consider partnering with All In Ministries either through prayer or giving. Won't you help us reach more men with the love of Jesus? You can click on the link below to donate, or visit our website for more information at www.allinministries.org

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HEBREWS 6:10

“GOD IS NOT UNJUST; HE WILL NOT FORGET YOUR WORK AND THE LOVE YOU HAVE SHOWN HIM AS YOU HAVE HELPED HIS PEOPLE AND CONTINUE TO HELP THEM.