

## Exodus House, Ministry

United Methodist Ministry through the Criminal Justice and Mercy Ministries over 10 years ago begun in Tulsa with the renovation of an old "U-shaped" apartment complex. This program aims to end the cycle of going to prison, returning to their old ways when they get out of prison and preventing them from going back to prison.

The Exodus House provides transitional housing and support for the ex-offenders that requires strict requirements for church attendance, social development classes, no drugs or alcohol, etc. It is a six to nine month program that helps them find a job and get back on their feet economically and socially. While successfully living in the Exodus House occupants do not have to pay for rent or any other expenses--this allows them to save enough money up through their employment to be self sufficient upon leaving. The apartment is fully furnished, to include furniture, bedding, kitchen utensils, cleaning supplies) when the person enters the house and is allowed to take the all of the furnishings and other items with them when they graduate from the program. This is designed to lessen the economic impact upon re-entering society as a fully functional citizen.

We, Maranatha, furnish and maintain apartment M as part of our ministries for our class and church. Please feel free to join us when it is time for us to clean, update and prepare the apartment for our next guest. All skills and talents are welcomed and needed.

## Criminal Justice and Mercy Ministries

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*I was in prison and you came to visit me. Matthew 25:36*

## Exodus House Ministry

Exodus House is a six-month temporary residential project.

These are small apartment complexes where people newly released from prison can live with their families while they re-enter life successfully outside prison walls.

Leaders say those who take this route rarely return to prison.

The furnished apartment-complete with linens, cooking and eating utensils-is provided free of charge, except for the cost of electricity.

Residents stay for a limited time and are permitted to take all the apartment's contents when they move. Exodus Houses welcome donations of items for the apartments.

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