



<b>30 for 30 Pilot Project (3-Year Demonstration)</b>	<b>Creating Stations of Hope within the WOC Mission Field</b>	<b>Community Collaboration “Doing Reentry Better”</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Led by the WOC Office Staff</li> <li>• Connect 30 churches to 30 returning citizens 12-18 months prior to release</li> <li>• The 30 churches in Central Ohio will be selected by their District Superintendents based on proximity between church and identified inmate</li> <li>• Re-entry Mentors will be selected from the local church and prepared to visit/contact identified inmate once per month to build relationship and to prepare inmate for release</li> <li>• Horizon &amp; Kindway Programs are currently being used in the 30 for 30 Pilot Project</li> <li>• Selected churches will be asked to develop additional local collaborative strategies to support reentry efforts</li> <li>• Selected churches will also receive additional training &amp; support as needed</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The churches will be trained &amp; equipped in the Healing Communities Model of receiving and supporting returning citizens and their families – becoming a “Station of Hope”</li> <li>• The Healing Communities Framework responds to the key criminogenic needs of persons returning from incarceration</li> <li>• Churches are guided on how to build the trust necessary to impart new values and accountability for good decision making</li> <li>• 8 Key Components of training include; Stigma Reduction &amp; Creating a Welcoming Supportive Atmosphere; Family Identification; Formal &amp; Informal Support; Visitation &amp; Family Connectivity; Volunteering; Mentoring; Network of referrals; Public Policy</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Embrace &amp; Promote 72 Hour Church concept of making sure returning citizens are able to get emergency needs met upon release</li> <li>• Develop a network of resources across the WOC Mission Field</li> <li>• Identify specific resources within each of the 8 districts</li> <li>• Identify methods of connecting churches to returning inmates</li> <li>• Connect inmates to local churches according to proximity</li> <li>• Tracking contact &amp; progress</li> <li>• Organize relevant regional/local trainings</li> <li>• Keep abreast of and share information about current trends, advocacy issues and opportunities</li> <li>• Identify and support implementation of best practices</li> </ul>