

## General Ministry Training



- *Who is a Chaplain?*
- *Finding the Right Ministry to Fit Your Temperament*
- *Healthy Self – Helping Others*
- *Establishing Relationships Conducive to Ministry*
- *Learning to Listen*
- *Families at Risk*
- *Issues of Aging in the Marketplace*
- *Stages of Grief*
- *Ministering to Terminally Ill Persons*
- *Ministering to Families Touched by Death*
- *Ministering to Those With Drug & Alcohol Addictions*
- *Acceptance Without Compromise*
- *Helping When Crisis Comes*
- *Understanding Ministry Resources*

## Specific Ministry Training

- **Institutional Chaplaincy** – jails, prisons, police departments, criminal justice settings, hospitals, nursing homes, other health care settings, and schools.
- **Market Place Chaplaincy**- Business and industrial centers, factories, and franchises.
- **Neighborhood Chaplaincy** – apartment complexes, gated communities, resort campgrounds.
- **Sports Chaplaincy** - Professional sports, collegiate sports, school sports, and neighborhood leagues.
- **Specialty Chaplaincy** – designed to provide basic principles in developing new areas of Chaplaincy i.e., Anglers Chaplains, Slope Chaplains, Flea Market Chaplains, Laundry Mat Chaplains.

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## *Hands on Ministry Training*



**"Taking the *CHURCH* to the People"**

## “Just the Facts”

In the 1950’s television series, *Dragnet*, one of Sgt. Joe Friday’s favorite sayings was “just the facts.” Opinions can be debated, and perspective altered, but the facts remain indisputable.

Here are some facts about our nation that we cannot afford to take lightly:



- Since 1991, the number of unchurched adults has nearly doubled, growing from 39 million to 75 million – a 92% increase.
- Almost two-thirds of Americans (63%) have no idea what John 3:16 refers to.
- Our nation currently has the third most unreached people in the world!
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Each year more than 23,000 men and women compete in rodeos.

- One out of every 32 Americans are either on parole, probation or in jail or prison.
- 38 million people are hospitalized every year in the United States.
- 70% of America’s workforce has no church affiliation.
- Every day 2 million 18-wheelers criss-cross the United States.

In 2004, 24,806 decisions for Christ were reported through the effective ministry of our Assemblies of God Chaplains. Since 1941, chaplains have been ministering beyond the walls of the church. Today they faithfully touch lives in prisons, hospitals, racetracks, factories and restaurants and on military bases and the battle-front.

They are truly



“taking the CHURCH to the people.”

Chaplaincy Ministries is quick to acknowledge the dedicated and effective believers who volunteer their time, energy and resources to minister in virtually every facet of American society. To assist them in being all they can be in “God’s Mighty Army”, Chaplaincy Ministries provides general ministry training along with specialized training in their specific area of service.



This training is available in various formats and numerous locations. And can be taught as single units or in its entirety. Upon completing the entire curriculum, the trainee is certified to serve in many penal institutions, hospitals and other areas of ministry.

