

Agape

Cookies for Pendleton Correctional Facility Kairos #3

November 13-16, 2008



God's Special Time

Homemade cookies are a tangible expression of Christian love and an indication of God's concern for a group of people who seldom encounter either in the course of their daily lives.

Here's how you can help:

1. Look at the recipe below and decide on how many cookies you would like to make. To ensure that all cookies are made identically and are not easily broken - **WE MUST USE ONLY THIS RECIPE!**
2. Cookies should be between 2 inches and 2 1/2 inches in diameter and not more than 1/2 inch thick.
3. It is very important not to use icing, sugar or any other type of coating on the outside of the cookie. Do not add any kind of fruit or nuts to the cookies. Do not use butter or margarine. (Use Shortening)
4. Do not use Pre-made, dry, refrigerated or frozen cookie dough - Only cookies baked from scratch.
5. **COOL! COOL! COOL!** ... each cookie thoroughly. Chocolate chip cookies take a long time to cool completely. Pack 6 cookies in a quart sized zip-lock bag (with no plastic Zipper) .
6. Freeze all cookies if baking more than 3 days prior to Wednesday, November 12.

The Key Ingredient: PRAYER!

Pray individually, as a family or as a small group over the ingredients before and during mixing.

Pray over the cookies as you drop them onto the cookie sheets and bake them.

Ask God to use your cookies as a source of His Love to shine on the prisoners and staff on the Kairos weekend.

Pray that each cookie brings the offender, Correctional officer or Superintendent who eats is closer to God. We want every person to become a part of the family of God!

Chocolate Chip Cookie Dough (Makes 5 Dozen)

1 cup shortening (not butter)	1 cup brown sugar
1 cup granulated sugar	2 eggs
2 tsp. vanilla	2 1/2 cups flour
1/2 tsp. salt	1 tsp. soda
1 tsp. baking powder	2 1/2 cups chocolate

Cream shortening and sugar until fluffy. Add eggs one at a time. Sift dry ingredients and add to creamed mixture. Beat in vanilla. Add chocolate chips. Drop onto cookie sheets by spoonfuls. Bake at 350 degrees until medium brown (from 13 to 15 minutes).
Cookies should be 2 inches to 2 1/2 inches in diameter.

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42,000 cookies are needed for the weekend—that's 3500 dozen!

The mission of the Kairos Prison Ministry is to bring Christ's love and forgiveness to all incarcerated individuals, their families and those who work with them, and to assist in the transition of becoming a productive citizen. Visit the Kairos website at www.KairosPrisonMinistry.org for more details.