



**Daryl Oliver,
Executive Director**

2016-2017 Year in Review

A message from our Executive Director, Daryl Oliver: “Thank you so much for partnering with Safer Communities Ministry (SCM). It is a joy as we partner and co-labor together to help thousands of men, women and teens transition out of jails, prisons and treatment facilities to become God-honoring productive citizens.



Life Skills Graduation: **120 men and 40 women** learned about boundary setting, addiction recovery, relationships, job preparation, and more! Life Skills empowers men and women to have a second chance at life.



American Community Corrections Institute – (ACCI)

In 2017 we added the **self-paced life skills curriculum**, (ACCI) curriculum to the general population of the Union County Jail. **ACCI has enabled us to serve all 260 inmates in the Union County Jail.**



SCREEN (Second Chance Re-Entry Network) – SCM's SCREEN coordinator, Chaplain Michelle Feliciano, has **helped change the lives of over 75 men and women as they re-enter society through our ministry partner, the Solace Center.** Our clients received counseling, access to transitional housing in one of the new Hope Houses (1 for men and 1 for women), job assistance and more!

- ♥ **Inmate Christmas Party - 280 inmates received candy and hear the gospel**
- ♥ **Inmate Family Events - 45 children of our clients and their families** heard the Christmas story during the Christmas party. All received gifts and food bags.
- ♥ **New Life Event Crusade to SC Prisons – Over 2,000 incarcerated men, women, and youth participated** in quarterly weekend worship services in SC Prisons. Three additional youth facilities were added this year so that even more youth will be reached for Christ.
- ♥ **Addiction Recovery Ministry –** Safer Communities Ministry (SCM) receives over 100 phone calls a year for those seeking treatment. SCM currently serves over **500 addiction recovery clients a month in our 4 locations across the Piedmont area.**
- ♥ **Anson County Jail Program Expansion –** SCM is now providing a weekly chaplaincy service at the Anson County Jail. **We are also in the process of bringing our ACCI Life Skills program to our 40 new clients in Anson County.**