

## **Kainos Kapsule**

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### **Website News**

I would like to call your attention to the Grief section of the Kainos Ministries website. It has recently been added to and revised. The addition is the basic book that I wrote for the chaplains to handout to the people we serve on scene. This book has not been published yet by WCSO yet, but the essential content is now available on my website. It is in sections under its own subheading and you can navigate easily between subjects. My pray is that this will serve as resource for those who need this information.

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### **Singles Ministry News**

I was involved in leading a singles conference Oct. 12-13. We had about 300 singles attending. There were some things that did not happen as well as planned and some workshops leaders were not appropriate. However, the main speakers were good and provided much to consider for my ministry.

I was surprised the last Friday in October by a card and gift in appreciation of what ministry efforts I have given over the past year. I was also given a birthday card.

[On the website you can see the Singles Alive @ BCC schedule and find a link to WSM.](#)

### **WCSO Chaplain Activity and Call Outs**

October was full. We are training a new chaplain. I meet with her once for some academic training and had her out on scene with me once for some field training. There is more training to do with her before she will be comfortable.

After a two hour interview, I gave a tour of the jail to three people considering being volunteer chaplains in the jail. Not my usual activity, but I was in Hillsboro that day after an early morning meeting with the fire chaplains.

I answered a Hillsboro PD request for a chaplain. This was a tough one because I was brought into the middle of this call with little information. I just listened and gained information as the HPD Sgt. spoke with the couple we had notified.

I had one ride-a-long in October. It lasted for 10 hours. We were busy the whole time with traffic, looking for gang members, and writing reports. I have a blog inspired by this ride on Myspace titled, "Couch, Toilet, and a Gang."

October had several times of training that I attended and the November has more and there one in December. Training is good and prepares us for what happens on scene.

The devotional thought is in the blog referred to above at <http://www.myspace.kainosministries>

Take Care, Chaplain John W. Cundiff, D.Min.

*"Do not repay evil for evil or abuse for abuse, but on the contrary, repay with a blessing. It is for this that you were called—that you might inherit a blessing." 1 Peter 3:9*