

## A message from the Pastor...

### TO SOMEONE LIKE ME

As a former sex offender, there was a time when I had very few people who I could talk to about my past. Most were not able to fully understand the struggles, frustrations and fears I battled with in the legal system, treatment process and in the world. But God has been faithful to graciously walk with me through the changes and challenges. After simultaneously attending two years of Bible school and treatment, I've spent the last 17 years ministering to those wanting to come out of the shadows and walk upright before man and God.

Because of where I come from, I know there is a need for support and encouragement after incarceration and during the reentry process. We know the sorrow of being ostracized for our past and the struggles one experiences as a consequence of our choices.

Those of us labeled sex offenders can rise above our past and receive the promises and blessings of a new life in Christ. If you need encouragement and guidance in applying God's Word to your life and would like to be considered for residency in one of our transformational homes, write us and request an application.

Those who are part of your adult support system i.e. wives, family, friends, etc. are welcome to visit New Name. We know they too can often feel isolated and discouraged. We look forward to being part of God's plan for your life.

Pressing on to take hold of that for which Christ Jesus took hold of me.

Jon Cordeiro, Pastor

## New Name Meeting Schedule

**Ministry Curriculum:** Ongoing interactive classes focused on character development and equipping for victorious Christian living

**Intensive Treatment Group:** This on site therapy group is led by an independent RSOTP : Thursday 6:30 PM.

**Men's Leadership Groups:** Bible studies and character development curriculum: Mondays and Thursdays 6:30 PM.

**New Name Fellowship:** Pot Blessing food fellowship first Sunday at 5PM. Graduations, special speakers and memory making for a brighter tomorrow. Call first!



### New Name

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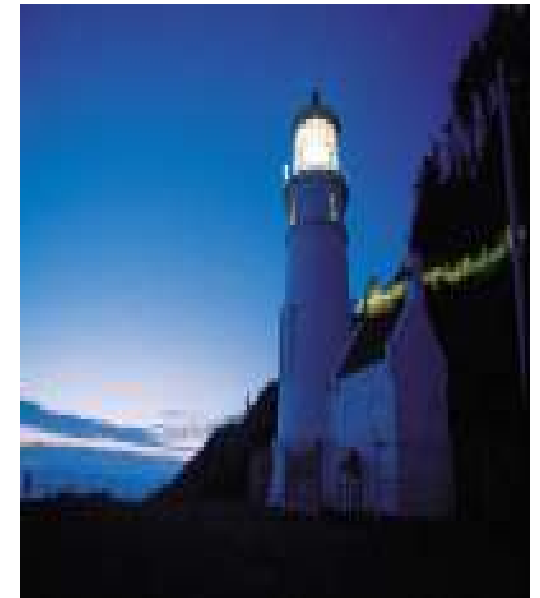
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## Ministries



**“To him who overcomes, I will give...him a white stone with a new name written on it...” Rev 2:17**

**Child Abuse Prevention  
through  
Community Safe  
Residential Reentry for  
Former Sex Offenders**

## NEW NAME HOME



## WHAT WE DO

**New Name Home** provides transformational housing with a safe and supportive environment. We use biblical principles throughout our ministry and help our residents renew their minds and rebuild their lives. We teach accountability, integrity and responsibility.

There is no sinner beyond God's ability to redeem, renew, restore and regenerate!

**New Name Home** is a non-denominational Christian residential reentry established for helping former sex offenders. We offer assistance in job placement, life skills, mentoring accountability and building healthy relationships. Men are required to maintain a full-time job, attend various classes and reimburse expenses up to \$525 per month. They learn to budget their money to ensure they save enough to become self-sufficient by the end of their stay.

Jon Cordeiro received a vision of Christ kneeling in the sand. An adulteress had been brought to Jesus and her accusers wanted to know, "what is your judgment of her?" With a line drawn in the sand, the Savior of the world answered, "let you without sin cast the first stone." Jon, identifying with the plight of the adulteress, knew at once he was called to minister to others like himself.

"If you do not forgive men their sins, your Father will not be able to forgive your sins." – Matthew 6:15

John 8:1-12 is a written reflection of Jon's vision. Jesus did not condone the sin of the adulteress but He did clarify that regardless of one's sin (great or small – public or private) He desires restoration not condemnation. Our desire is to see sinners set free through the forgiveness offered by Jesus Christ – so that they too can "go and sin no more."

**New Name Ministries (NNM)** reaches out to the lepers and outcasts of today's society; sex offenders. The Bible says "with God all things are possible." Amen!

"... since through God's mercy we have this ministry, we do not lose heart. Rather, we have renounced secret and shameful ways; we do not use deception, nor do we distort the Word of God. On the contrary, by setting forth the truth plainly we commend ourselves to every man's conscience in the sight of God."

- 2 Corinthians 4:1-2

At **New Name Ministries** we treat the whole person so they become self-motivated, learn to live independently and become moral, law abiding citizens. Their length of stay is open-ended with a minimum of a one year commitment.



Anyone interested in **New Name Home** must request an application. Applications are only accepted for current vacancies. **There is no waiting list.** We pay special attention to applicant's spiritual condition and commitment as well as their personal goals. **New Name Home** is not a halfway house. Jesus doesn't do things halfway. We offer the opportunity for men 25 years or older seeking God to have a home and a family in Christ. **Any information provided will be held in strict confidence.**

### Application Request

Write: **New Name Ministries**

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Also available at: [www.newnameministries.org](http://www.newnameministries.org)