

Lynn Everett McBride is the Executive Director of Central Kansas Prison Ministry (CKPM). CKPM, Inc. is a non-profit organization that offers a lay leadership ministry to inmates, their families and the staff of correctional facilities. The ministry began first as El Dorado Prison Ministry, but soon expanded to Central Kansas. The local ministry was formed after many months of planning by a group of El Dorado residents who were interested in bringing friendship, evangelism and discipleship to the inmates. Central Kansas Prison Ministry works with chaplains as a liaison between the Christian community, inmates and prison staff. CKPM works with the churches to organize the programs and then processes the “paper work” to see the programs implemented.

Lynn began attending the First Baptist Church in El Dorado nine months before he was born, and then in 1983 served on staff as the director of music. Through the years, Lynn has been affiliated with Youth for Christ; local film coordinator with the Billy Graham Association; and founder of El Dorado Gospel Concert Association. From 1979 to 1991, Lynn was the Director of Evangelism for the Christian Motorcyclist Association. In 1991, Lynn went to work for Central Kansas Prison Ministry as executive director.

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