



# Cookies for Kairos

## Guidelines

Thank you for volunteering to bake Kairos Cookies! Following these guidelines will help ensure that your cookies will be most effectively used to do the work for which God inspired you to bake.

**\*\*Drop off cookies Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup> or In the Church lobby before the 10<sup>th</sup>.**

Call or text Bruce Johnson at 614-288-7805-- with any questions.

- ☑ **Chocolate chip cookies only!**
- ☑ **2 dozen per 1 GALLON freezer bag.** Please count your cookies carefully.
- ☑ **Cookie mixes and refrigerated pre-mixed dough from the store are fine.**
- ☑ A great option that holds up well is GFS Chocolate Chip Cookie Dough 120 Ct Package ITEM CODE: 113125 or Pillsbury Chocolate Chip Cookie Dough Tub Item #218020 at Sam's Club
- ☑ **Make your cookies sturdy.** They will need to be handled several times before they arrive in the prisoners' hands. Delicate, pretty cookies will crumble. Chewy cookies packaged still warm tend to end up as a single large featureless lump.
- ☑ **No powdered sugar, frosting, or raisin cookies.**
- ☑ **Size - Try to make the cookies 3 inches in diameter.** Consistent size is important.
- ☑ **Do not put notes in the bag or on the bag.** We will have to remove them before the cookies go into the prison.
- ☑ Let baked cookies **COOL** completely before putting them into the plastic freezer bags.
- ☑ **Please use 1 gallon Zip-loc Freezer bags** to keep the cookies as fresh as possible.
- ☑ Do not use burned or blemished cookies. Remember the cookies are intended to represent **God's unconditional love** to the prisoners.
- ☑ **Pray.** As you bake the cookies, pray for the inmates who will receive them. We don't know which inmate will receive your cookies, but God does. Your prayers are very important to the prisoners.
- ☑ If you want to bake your cookies ahead of time, you can freeze them in your freezer.

*Thank you very much for supporting the Kairos Prison Ministry.*

*God Bless you for your service to this ministry!*