COMMUNITY
FREEDOM

LAUNCH ESSENTIALS

START-UP COSTS // $3,500-$7,500

- Community Pastor training

- Equipment (if needed)

- Pre-launch support and travel

ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION // $5,000

- Celebration Service: a broadcast delay of weekend worship service from COMMUNITY

- Big Idea Guide: weekly small group discussion guide based on the Big Idea of Celebration Service

- Annual small group curriculum

- Re-entry referral: for those who have completed 1-2 years of Celebration Service attendance and small group participation, Community Freedom Pastor will use the NewThing and Alpha networks of local churches across the country to refer an inmate to a home church after release

- Leadership support: Both peer-to-peer and monthly coaching support for Community Freedom Pastor via NewThing church network

- Training modules: small group leadership, apprentice, coaching, prison ministry specific training

ADDITIONAL BUDGET ITEMS TO CONSIDER

- $6,000-$10,000 Community Freedom Pastor part-time salary (highly recommended)

- $500 equipment reserve

- $500-$1,000 miscellaneous supplies and operational expenses

AVAILABLE FUNDING

- NewThing network churches can access network funds annually to offset start-up and annual contribution costs

STAFFING

- Community Freedom Pastor (1)

- Small group leaders (6-10): providing leadership for weekly small groups in the prison

- Church attenders (optional, 5-10): launch members who commit to attending weekly services in the prison