



May Newsletter



Restoring Lives through the AGAPE Reentry Program

"The AGAPE Reentry Program has really taken off. The St. Louis community has come together to join us as we work to empower justice-involved women to be their very best! Queen of Peace, Let's Start, Affinia Healthcare, St. Stephen's, UMSL, Goal Driven Counseling, and TEH Realty One have all said a resounding "yes!" Together, we are taking a holistic approach to reentry, for women, that removes every barrier to successful reentry. Thanks, St. Louis, for believing in The SoulFisher Ministries, and the women we serve!"

- Shawntelle Fisher, Founder/CEO

Upcoming Events

June 21st 2019
8:00 shot gun start
Registration \$200

5th Annual
Educate Now To Achieve Later (ENAL)
GOLF TOURNAMENT

Norwood Hills Country Club • 1 Norwood Hills Country Club Drive • St. Louis, MO 63121

Prizes Awarded for:

- 2-Longest Drive
- 4-Closest to the Pin
- Hole in One

For more info, or to register your team
visit: www.thesoulfisherministries.com

\$1,000,000
Shoot Out

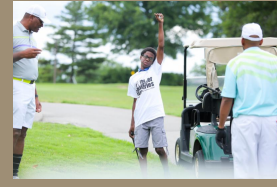
COME GOLF WITH THE STUDENTS
THAT YOU ARE KINDLY SUPPORTING!

The 5th Annual ENAL Golf Tournament is right around the corner. Each year TSM supporters from across the St. Louis area come together to have a remarkable time on the golf course with ENAL students. There is still time to register and join the fun! Register your team now or sign up individually. All proceeds from the event go toward helping students in Riverview Gardens School District secure a better future by gaining access to a holistic approach to education

through the ENAL After-School Tutoring Program.

[Register Now!](#)

Click below to view the photo gallery from last years Golf Tournament:



Volunteer & Employment Opportunities

Job Openings



TSM Staff at the TSM sponsored Chamber of Commerce Earth Day Networking Event.

As TSM continues to expand, so does its staffing needs! Open positions include:

- Case Manager;
- Facility Director;
- Program Coordinator;
- Parent Liaison;
- Tutor

We are looking for dedicated, passionate individuals to join the TSM team. To see the requirements for these positions, please visit

thesoulfisherministries.com/careers

Summer Initiative



TSM students at the St. Louis Zoo's stingray exhibit.

The ENAL Summer Initiative Program begins June 3! It is an 8 week program full of learning, enrichment activities, and fun field-trips to St. Louis' best attractions. This is our way of cultivating community.

If you would like to volunteer to help facilitate this year, please email your resume, availability, and what type of experience you are looking for to:

thesoulfisherministries@yahoo.com.

Employee Highlight

Hali Ford

"I am a 25-year-old with a Bachelor degree in

sociology with a focus in human services. I got into this field because I feel our society needs more professionals that actually care about the people. My target population consists of women and children. Therefore, after researching The SoulFisher Ministries, I feel that it's just a perfect fit for me and the line of work I have always wanted to do.

I am currently a Site Supervisor for the ENAL Program and I use many of skills I've learned - not only in school, but in life - to instill in our youth the importance of learning how to survive in society. I absolutely love my job, my employees, and the lady that made it all possible, Ms. Fisher. I only hope for the best for the community that we serve.

Being that I only completed my bachelors because of the beauty of motherhood, I am planning to earn a masters in social work, as it has always been my dream to work independently amongst the people of our community."

- Hali Ford.

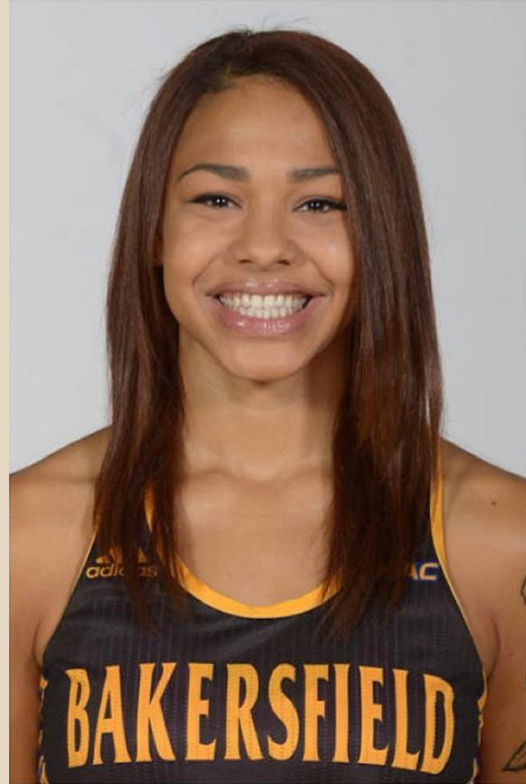


Photo from California State University of Bakersfield (CSU Bakersfield) basketball team

Featured Practicum Students

Meet Alyssa



Alyssa is a Practicum Student Intern earning her Master of Social Work degree from the Brown School of Social Work at Washington University. She is concentrating in Domestic Social and

Economic Development and specializing in Management. Alyssa aspires to work in the development, implementation, and evaluation of programs and services designed to advance social and economic standing of under-served populations.

"I was anxious to complete my foundation practicum with The SoulFisher Ministries upon researching the organization and discovering their commitment to both education and restorative justice, two social service arenas that I am incredibly passionate about. I am grateful to have had the opportunity to apply skills that I am learning in MSW program to the practice setting, such as facilitating classes at the prison and helping to design curriculum that will be used for future AGAPE courses. I really enjoyed getting to know the women in the program while facilitating the

Meet Qiuchi



Qiuchi Li (pronunciation: Chill-Chur Lee) is a practicum student getting an MSW from The Brown School at Washington University in St. Louis with a concentration in children, youth, and families. He is an international student originally from China, where he received his undergraduate degree in social work.

Qiuchi has been serving with TSM since January 2019. He is currently participating in the ENAL Program as a tutor and the AGAPE Reentry Program as an instructor in Identity and Hands On Banking classes.

"Identity class at the prison. Overall, I have learned a great deal over the duration of my time at SoulFisher from the dedicated qualified staff, as well as from the bright students in the ENAL program and the resilient women at WERDCC."

"I appreciate that TSM could provide this opportunity to expose me to the public education setting and the justice system, which are significantly different [than] they are in China."

Event Recaps



A Night at the Science Center

On April 11, students lounged on mats as they enjoyed an exciting presentation about star formations at the Science Center Planetarium. They were then free to roam the exhibit at their leisure as the Science Center was open only to TSM. Thanks to 21st Century Learning Center for funding this event.



Cardinals Fun

On April 9, over 100 TSM students and parents joined together to enjoy a Cardinals game. It was an evening to remember with free tickets, food, and fellowship. TSM's presence at the game made a huge impact! The students drew enough attention to be featured on the big screen more than once (pictured above).

We still need your support as we continue to move forward with the Capital Improvement Campaign.



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