Abolition Apostles offers moral and spiritual support to members of the community who are incarcerated. We also contribute to the destruction of the prison-industrial complex through solidarity, prophetic witness, and community organizing inside and outside of prison. We are a Christian ministry, but it is not necessary to be a Christian in order to participate. We work with people of all faith backgrounds and no faith background: we only ask people share our commitment to supporting people who are incarcerated.

Abolition Apostles is an explicitly anti-capitalist ministry which stands in solidarity with the movement for Black liberation. We view prison abolition as inseparable from the struggles for Black self-determination and freedom from state violence and criminalization. This ministry is entirely volunteer-run and donation-based.

Abolition Apostles centers relational organizing through a five-fold approach to solidarity, beginning with penpal letter writing.

Centering relationship through letter writing and visitation. These relationships enable us to establish deeper connections, offer moral support, and deepen practices of solidarity across incarceration status.

Engaging in material support & advocacy. We are one of the only organizations explicitly redistributing funds directly onto the commissary accounts of our community members on the inside. We work to empower volunteers to assist with other types of advocacy, such as writing parole support letters, and we are also working to build a hospitality house near the Angola State Prison in Louisiana.

Supporting regional organizing. Our regional chapters help us engage with local, on-the-ground organizing. We focus not only building relationship among Abolition Apostles members, but with other local abolitionist groups.

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