Card Ministry to Inmates on Ohio's Death Row

In 1959, the Presbyterian Church (USA) took an official stand against the death penalty. That has not changed. Our congregation has been reaching out to prisoners on death row since 2013. Quarterly, following worship, we invite folks to take time as we gather at tables in the Social Hall to sign birthday cards and Christmas cards for the inmates. A note is included letting them know they are not forgotten; that we are thinking of them and wishing them peace and hope. Then each month the cards are mailed to those inmates with birthdays and at Christmas cards are sent to all of them. We know these individuals seldom receive mail and that it means a lot to most of them.

