



Serve and Advocate

INTERRUPT THE SCHOOL-TO-PRISON PIPELINE

**We are called to do justice, love kindness,
and walk humbly with God.**

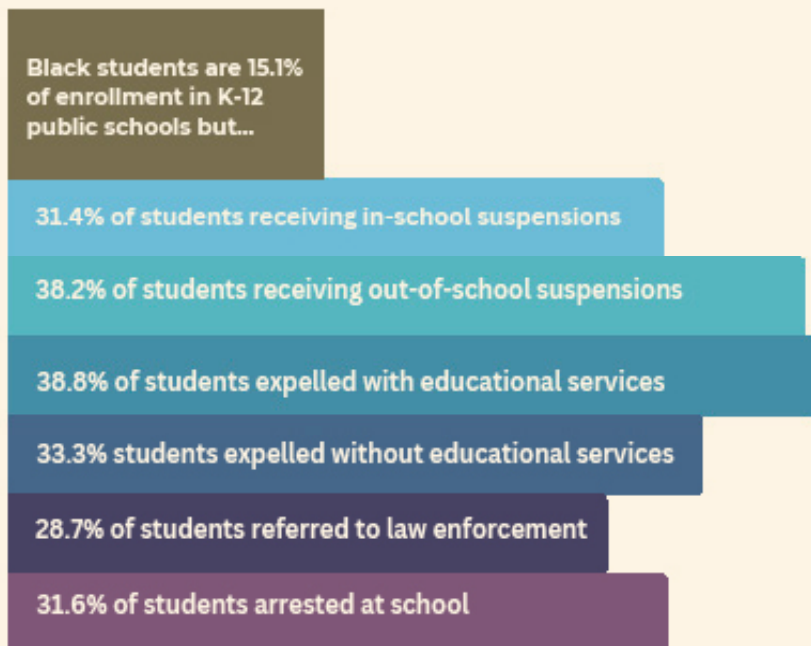
United Women in Faith's campaign to interrupt the school-to-prison pipeline is an expression of our priority commitment to end mass incarceration and the criminalization of communities of color.

We believe that all children and youth are sacred, deeply beloved by God, and deserving of an education that nurtures their God-given gifts and encourages their growth.

We decry the systemic racism that treats some children as disposable, funneling them away from educational success and towards the criminal justice system. We recognize as sinful the tendency of our institutions ("powers and principalities") to show grace to White children/youth while withholding that same grace from Black children/youth and other children/youth of color.

Join us!

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Thus says the LORD:

A voice is heard in Ramah,

lamentation and bitter weeping.

Rachel is weeping for her children;

she refuses to be comforted for her children,
because they are no more.

Thus says the LORD:

Keep your voice from weeping,
and your eyes from tears;

for there is a reward for your work,

says the LORD:

they shall come back from the land of the enemy;
there is hope for your future,

says the LORD:

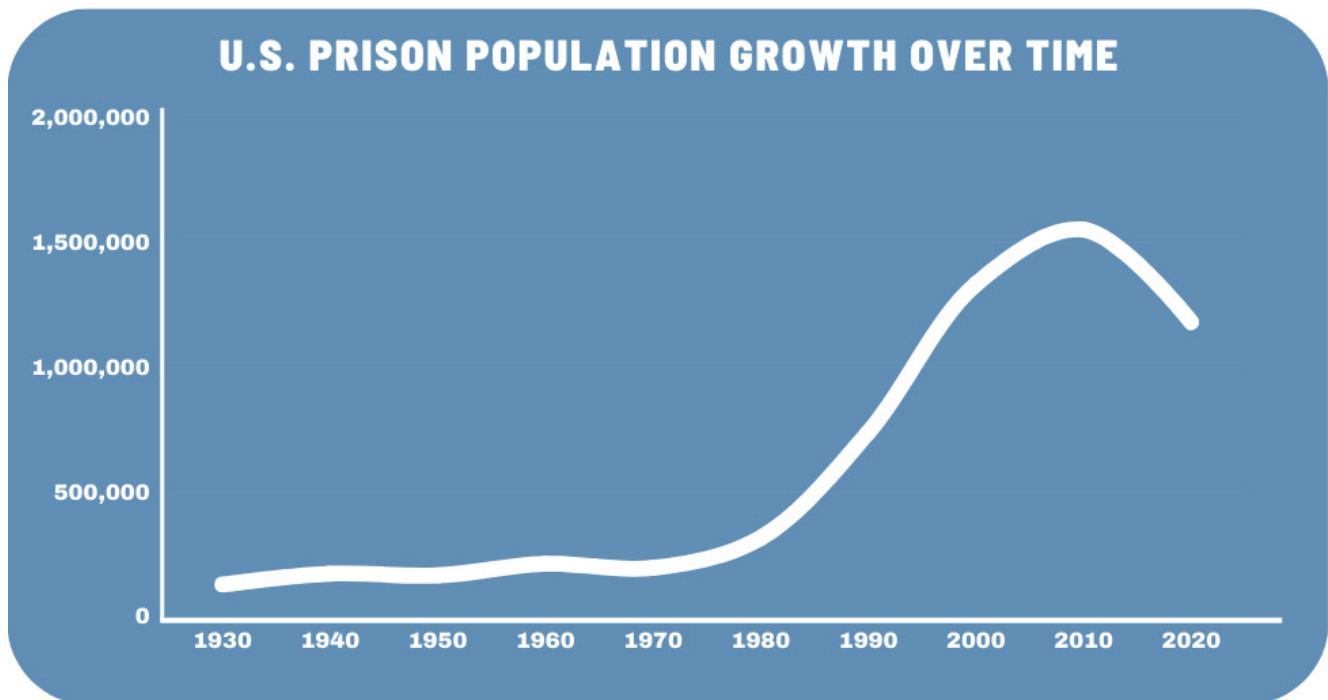
your children shall come back to their own country.

(Jeremiah 31:15-17)

Make your voice heard in demanding an end to the school-to-prison pipeline!

We are committed to ensuring that all students have access to a vibrant educational experience, protected from pushout. We call for the following changes at the federal, state, and local level:

1. Removing school-based police (commonly called School Resource Officers or SROs) and redirecting those funds to developmentally-appropriate student supports, such as counselors, transformative/restorative justice practitioners, and more.
2. Eliminating racial disparities in school discipline at all levels, from suspensions and expulsions to law enforcement referrals and school-based arrests.
3. Ending corporal punishment in schools.



Take Action Today!

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