

February 2019

FORT CAROLINE FOCUS

LOVE GOD! LOVE OTHERS! MAKE DISCIPLES!

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"Missio Dei" - Latin for "mission of God." The central idea is that God is the One who initiates and sustains mission.

1. **God is the Source of Mission.** Mission does not originate with human sources. Mission is rooted in the nature of God. When Adam and Eve yielded to Satan's temptations in the Garden of Eden, God came searching for them, calling, "Where are you?" (Gen. 3:9). That is the nature of God. He continually seeks to initiate reconciliation between Himself and His fallen creation.

2. **Christ is the Message of Mission.** The church is God's partner in what is God's agenda. The first words spoken by Jesus when He began His earthly ministry were, "Repent, for the kingdom of God has come near! Believe the good news!" (Mark 1:15). Jesus not only proclaimed God's mission, He is the message of the mission. He is the Good News. God's ultimate plan of reconciliation was realized through Jesus' death and resurrection.

3. **The Holy Spirit is the Power of Mission.** The Holy Spirit is active in the world convicting people in three ways: their sin, the righteousness of Christ, and a coming day of judgment. The Holy Spirit is active in Christians to empower us to be witnesses of Jesus to a world lost in sin.

4. **The Church is the Instrument of God's Mission.** We are the Church, God's Spirit lives in us. Jesus is our message. God has given us, the church, the message of reconciliation (2 Corinthians 5:18-20).



Faith Promise 2019

Missions: The Heartbeat of God

Goal: \$45,000



Guest Speakers:

2/3 - Christianville

2/10 - Mid-India Christian Mission

2/17 - Central Brazil Mission

2/24 - Impact Ministries (USF)

Adult Sunday School

Classes Combined

to Hear the Missionaries

Explain Their Mission

and Have Q & A

2/24 - International Potluck to Celebrate Our Commitments

New Kids Club
Sunday School @ 9 a.m.
for Elementary Kids
Starting 2/3
Led by Nancy Hill



After much consideration, I have decided to step down from the Executive Board of Fort Caroline Christian Church. I appreciate the opportunity to have served on the Board for the past few years and would like to take this opportunity to thank Don, the other members of the Board, and so many in the congregation for their help and support during my time on the Board.

Sincerely,
Chip King

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

3rd - Ed Mance
 6th - Nina Bynum
 11th - Layla Cox
 11th - Dave Schnellbacher
 14th - Dottie Hamilton
 23rd - Damon Alston
 24th - Mary Lou Wille
 26th - Darell Mullaney

FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARY

28th - Cliff & Monica Jakes

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Jan 27 Bible School 9am Worship 10:15am	Jan 28	Jan 29	Jan 30	Jan 31	1	2
3 Bible School 9am Worship 10:15am Faith Promise Speaker: Christianville	4	5 Love Circle 10:30am Community Quilters 8a-8p Joy Circle 7pm	6 Dinner 6pm Bible Study 7pm	7	8	9
10 Bible School 9am Worship 10:15am Faith Promise Speaker: Mid-India	11	12 Community Quilters 8a-8p	13 Dinner 6pm Bible Study 7pm	14	15 Marriage Conf. @ Christ's Church	16 Marriage Conf. @ Christ's Church Men's Breakfast 8am Drive Thru Prayer 10a-12p
17 Bible School 9am Worship 10:15am Faith Promise Speaker: Central Brazil Mission	18	19 Community Quilters 8a-8p	20 Dinner 6pm Bible Study 7pm	21 Daytime Book Club 1pm Evening Book Club 6:30pm	22	23 Cup of Love 9am
24 Bible School 9am Worship 10:15am Faith Promise Speaker: Impact Ministries International Potluck after Worship Svc.	25	26 Community Quilters 8a-8p	27 Dinner 6pm Bible Study 7pm	28	Mar 1	Mar 2



Martin & Annette Manley

Lynn & Alison Wilson

Tasha Toombs