



FBC Mission Statement – FBC seeks to proclaim the Gospel of Christ both in our local community and globally. We strive to glorify God through obedience to the Great Commission. Matt. 28:19-20; Acts 1:8

FBC MISSIONS

July 2019

These are some of the missionaries and missions that your donations enable us to support. Please continue to pray that God's word will be spread, that He will break down barriers and that hearts will be open to the Gospel. Pray for safety, perseverance and encouragement for these missionaries. That the Holy Spirit fills them with boldness and the words to communicate the Gospel accurately and effectively in their culture and language. That God's Word will indeed spread rapidly and be honored wherever it goes.

Local Missions

Melo Clinic & Pregnancy Centre

We're here to help—Helpful, accurate information about pregnancy, prenatal development, parenting, abortion and adoption. Our mission is to minister whole person care to individuals with current or past pregnancy related circumstances. Our vision is to provide compassionate, professional care that empowers individuals to make informed decisions. All services are free and confidential.

- Parenting classes, resources and support group
- Unplanned pregnancy services
- Prenatal classes
- Post abortion support
- School and community education
- Perinatal loss support

What is a Bible Club?



A Bible club is a program designed to teach children, ages 5 and up, the Word of God and to share the Gospel in ways they can understand and respond. There are clubs in some of our local schools. It is a place where children can come and feel valued, loved and secure and have a good time learning about God and His great love for them.



Matthew House Windsor

Matthew House seeks to provide comfort and security for newly arrived refugee claimants in Windsor by providing transitional housing and settlement assistance.

A Refugee is...one who has a "well-founded fear of being persecuted for reasons of race, religion, nationality, membership in a particular social group, or political opinion" and is afraid to remain in his or her country of origin. As a refugee claimant they have fled their homeland and upon arrival in Canada ask for asylum. They have no sponsors to assist them. They are doctors, lawyers, accountants, business people, pastors, engineers and farmers from all over the world.



FBC Benevolent

Your donations to the FBC benevolent fund are used to purchase food basket items to meet urgent needs for people in our community or to offer financial support for any church families in need. The gospel message is our most urgent need and is always shared with those who knock on our doors seeking assistance. They are welcomed and encouraged to attend our services.

Leamington Food Bank

We support the local food bank run out of the Salvation Army Church financially and through your donations to the grocery buggy located near the elevator.



South Shore Christian School

This year we donated local discretionary funds to the school.

Mission and Vision of South Shore Christian School

Our mission is to provide an excellent learning environment that honours God and provides opportunities for children to: develop and openly practice their faith and to feel free to be excited about being Christian children.

We envision

- ✓ a supportive learning environment that will foster a strong Christian faith and will help students grow up understanding the Bible and its applications to daily life.
- ✓ a school that will help shape students' character by encouraging them to become more Christ-like in their attitudes and their actions.
- ✓ a school that will make an impact in our community by becoming involved in meeting various needs through acts of Christian service.
- ✓ a school that will provide a high level of academic standard which will fully prepare them for high school.



International Missions



Alicia Oakley - Malawi Africa

A nurse serving God in Lilongwe, Malawi at Partners in Hope hospital with SIM organization.



My ministry role is as an inpatient ward nurse. I am excited about all of the opportunities to pray with patients, share devotionals and counsel them. I am currently transitioning into working in the community. I enjoy getting to see people in their homes and trying to meet their needs practically.

I led the first ever group of Single Women's Bible study on "singleness is a gift" at Partners in Hope. God is transforming the way these women see themselves and singleness.

God continues to be so faithful. Please pray for me in my everyday walk with God as I try to balance the busyness and stress of life and spending adequate time with God, walking with Him in every moment of my day.



Jan & Ana Franka With ABWE in Serbia & Slovakia

God has called us to Serbia and Slovakia to help in evangelism; in teaching the Word of God; in Church-planting; and in multiplying through the following ministries.

In **Serbia** our primary ministry will be to start a Mobile Bible Store ministry providing Bibles, gospel booklets, video materials, evangelistic and apologetic brochures. Sharing the Gospel, making personal connections leading to Bible study groups and Church plants.

In **Slovakia**, we will be working with Radio Logos a Christian online radio broadcast. Logos Radio is online 24/7. Ana is mostly occupied with writing radio-messages. She enjoys studying, writing, recording, choosing music and songs. Jan is editing and sending the recorded materials to the Chief-Editor in Slovakia.

Pray for us as we contact new churches as potential partners in ministry. We are praying that the Lord will fully fund the ministry by Sept. 2019 and we will be able to move to Serbia in Dec.

Through Him and for His name's sake, we received grace and apostleship to call people from among all the nations to the obedience that comes from faith. Rm.1: 5

Canadian Baptist Ministries Project - Casa de la Amistad

The history of Canadian Baptist serving in international mission dates back to when the first missionaries were sent to India in 1874, then to Bolivia in 1898.

As a global mission organization, we are committed to expressing His love through word and deed. We believe that God brings hope and healing to a broken world through local churches. Our love for God and His mission is rooted in the fact that He first loved us and rescued us in our brokenness. As a sign of our gratitude to Him, we willingly and enthusiastically accept His invitation to join Him in His mission to build shalom – peace with justice.

Through CBM we support Casa de la Amistad in Cochabamba, Bolivia. The painful reality of children at Casa is that their childhood is spent living in prison with their parent. Bolivia doesn't have the social safety net that many western countries do, so children must either live with their parents in prison, where the parents are expected to provide for them, or live on the street if there are no family members for them to stay with. Bolivia is one of the only countries in the world where the kids live in the jails. They go to Casa de la Amistad for two meals a day, tutoring support, counselling and a safe place to play. Please pray for CBM and partners who minister to the children and their parents in jail.



The Biblical Theological Seminary of Hope in Cap-Haïtien (STBEC)



FBC has committed to providing financial assistance to the seminary. With the aim that through the students of the Institute, the Gospel of Christ will be spread in Haiti.

The seminary provides a biblical and theological education centered on the infallible Word of God. Studies of biblical languages, theology, the Bible, history of the Church, distinguishing Christian and world views and preaching.

Students are enrolled in an associate degree program designed to prepare them to be future church leaders. The goal is to create a four-year seminary to train future pastors.

38 students of our Bible College are third-year and fourth-year students. Between twelve and fifteen of those attending this class completed their 130 credit hours to graduate with their bachelor of theology degree on June 14, 2019. Please continue to pray for them.

FBC donations in 2018 were used to purchase:

- books
- Classroom & office supplies
- salaries for professors,
- assistance for 6 needy students

Christian Children`s Fund

FBC Sunday School children are thrilled to be sponsoring Guyo Tinino Meeso from Ethiopia. She is enrolled at Bole Bible church, in the city of Langano in Addis Ababa. Guyo would one day like to be a teacher. She helps her family by getting water.

At CCF, Children are at the centre of all we do.

We are a child-centred international development organization. We protect and improve the lives of children by helping them realize their basic human rights. Inspiring adults and children to work together is key to positive, lasting change.



One22ministries



Do not merely listen to the Word, and so deceive yourselves, do what it says." James 1 : 22

Our annual Walkathon funds will once again go towards our 5-Fold Ministry – Water, In Country Future Development, Pastors, House Building and Operations. We know we can only achieve this with the support of many people.

Pastoral Support

Currently we are supporting 14 pastors full time. This allows them to concentrate on shepherding the church instead of going out and working in the fields picking crops and making very little money. With pastoral stability the churches are growing and are stable and strengthened.

Water Project

For every \$50.00 we receive, we will be able to install a BioSand Water Filter which filters out almost all bacteria and viruses and provides 70 liters of safe clean drinking water per day. They will last from 30-50 years.

Samaritan`s Purse Operation Christmas Child

Operation Christmas Child is a hands-on way for Canadians to bless struggling children in the developing world by filling shoeboxes with toys, hygiene items, school supplies, and other items. We collect the boxes and distribute them in the name of Jesus Christ to children living in desperate situations.

Operation Christmas Child is an important way to remind children suffering as a result of war, poverty, famine, disease, and disaster that they are loved and not forgotten.



MISSIONS BUDGET 2019

Local

Matthew House	250
Bible Club	1,000
Salvation Army Foodbank	1,000
Melo Pregnancy Centre	8,000
Benevolent	2,500
Discretionary-South Shore	
Christian School	1,000

Non-Local

Haiti-Seminary	5,000
CBM-Bolivia	1,500
ABWE-the Frankas Serbia	4,200
SIM-Alicia Oakley Malawi	4,200
Christian Children`s-Guyo in	
Ethiopia (Sunday School)	600
Samaritan`s Purse	200
Total	29,450

Thank you for your generous financial support of FBC's mission projects.

God has a plan to use us to help complete his mission of spreading the gospel among all the nations, using your financial gifts, encouragement of the missionaries and your prayer support.

The missionaries would be blessed with your prayers for:

- The gospel to be spread
- Open doors
- Boldness to proclaim God's word
- Protection
- Effective Ministry
- Safe travel
- Rest and refreshment
- Good health
- Their families
- Their financial wellbeing
- Fellowship
- Help in their daily Christian walk

"And pray for us, too, that God may open a door for our message, so that we may proclaim the mystery of Christ, for which I am in chains. Pray that I may proclaim it clearly, as I should." Col. 4:3-4