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## FBC Ministry Update

My friends at SCA International, I trust that you are all well and enjoying the grace of Jesus Christ. I am so thankful to have you as partners in the work of God's Kingdom.

In 2 Corinthians 1:20, we read the blessed truth that all the promises of God find their Yes in Jesus. That is such an important truth for us to hear. Jesus has all God's promises, and we can have Jesus. He blesses us with every spiritual blessing (Eph 1:3). What encouraging thoughts!

We have certainly seen God's blessing and power for his people this past month. I am excited to share some of the ways that is true.



## Current Ministry

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We were blessed to see several new families attending the church in May. At the same time, several individuals have grown in their faith and made some steps in faith and obedience to Christ. A great example is one of our new attendees who wanted to get baptised. It was amazing to see him confess Christ in front of many others. Another will follow his example very soon!

At the end of May, we also concluded our latest session of Alpha. I was thankful to lead the group and share Jesus with our group. We are praying that God will use the discussion and videos to work in the hearts of each that attended.

I preached a couple of times in May. The first was at another church in our denomination. I was glad to be able to provide some respite to their pastor and minister to the people with God's word.

At FBC, I preached a challenging passage from Galatians. In Galatians 3:15-18, we see why we can trust the promise of God to accept us by grace through faith. As we thought about that beautiful truth, we saw how it led us to understand how we could trust all of God's promises.



*Above and left:  
Baptism  
Basketball  
Alpha meal*

## What's Next

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As I mentioned last time, we started installing our new basketball nets. We finished that project in May, and many kids, families, and young adults have come and used them. We see people on the property every day.

Another good thing about the basketball nets is how we are going to be able to use them for our upcoming camps. We have been hard at work planning our summer camp ministries. Most of our camps are full. We have hired staff. Soon, we will be able to provide many kids with a fun experience and an opportunity to hear about Jesus.

Finally, our community gardens are in full swing. We have over 30 boxes in use by the community and church members. I've already had several good conversations with gardeners and even more new connections. It is a blessing to share God's love with others through the use of our property.

*Right: Gardens*

## Prayer Requests

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There are several things that we have on our hearts for FBC. We would appreciate your prayers:

- God would lead us as we plan the big events of the year.
- For more leaders to be raised out of our congregation. We see a immediate need for more Godly leaders within the church.
- Those who joined Alpha would be moved by the gospel
- For those who are planning on being baptized
- That we would be effective in the mission that God called us
- We have several people connected to the church that are struggling physically. Pray that there would be healing and encouragement.

