

South Central Michigan Monthly Newsletter - April 2025



FROM THE DIRECTOR: Eric Steinke

Where have you noticed God's GLORY? (www.fcaglory.org) When I think of God's Glory, I think of the sunrise or sunset, the beauty of the colors, and the wonderful moments of the day that He has planned for me or reflect on the joy-filled moments of my day. God's Glory is His attributes and power on display in our life.

We also see God's Glory in His love for us by sending His only Son to live among us, leaving His throne in heaven to walk this earth, relate to us, die for the forgiveness of sins, and the beauty of the empty tomb, the resurrection to life He grants us. I am so excited to celebrate my favorite holiday - EASTER, the day that changed everything. Imagine the GLORY pouring out of the empty tomb. John 1:14 says, "The Word became flesh and dwelt among us. We observed His glory, the glory as the one and only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth." What an incredible demonstration of God's love! He did not remain distant or detached from our struggles. Instead, He chose to dwell with us, revealing His glory in a way we could see, touch, and understand.

Jesus embodied both grace and truth, offering us unmerited love while guiding us to live in righteousness. This truth should fill us with awe. Because He came, we can know God personally. Because He dwelled among us, we can experience His grace and truth firsthand. Because He died and rose again, we receive the undeserved gifts of our sins being forgiven and eternal life in His Glory.

By the Numbers:

- 29 Huddles now in 26 School Districts
- Looking to add to College Ministries within our 4 counties

Upcoming Events

Celebration Banquet April 28, 2025 RSVP

Michigan FCA Sports Camp June 23-26, 2025 REGISTER

Coaches Time Out June 11-13, 2025 REGISTER

Buckeye Border FCA Leadership Camp July 19-23, 2025 REGISTER

2025 Golf Fundraiser August 9, 2025 REGISTER

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EVENTS

All are welcome to join us as we have our annual Celebration Banquet. RSVP by clicking the picture below, going to the event <u>website</u>, or contacting an FCA staff member. Don't forget to nominate a leader!







South Central MI FCA Invites you to...

CELEBRATION BANQUET

Mon, April 28th, 2025 | 6:30-8PM

elem3nt church 220 E Jefferson St, Blissfield, MI 49228



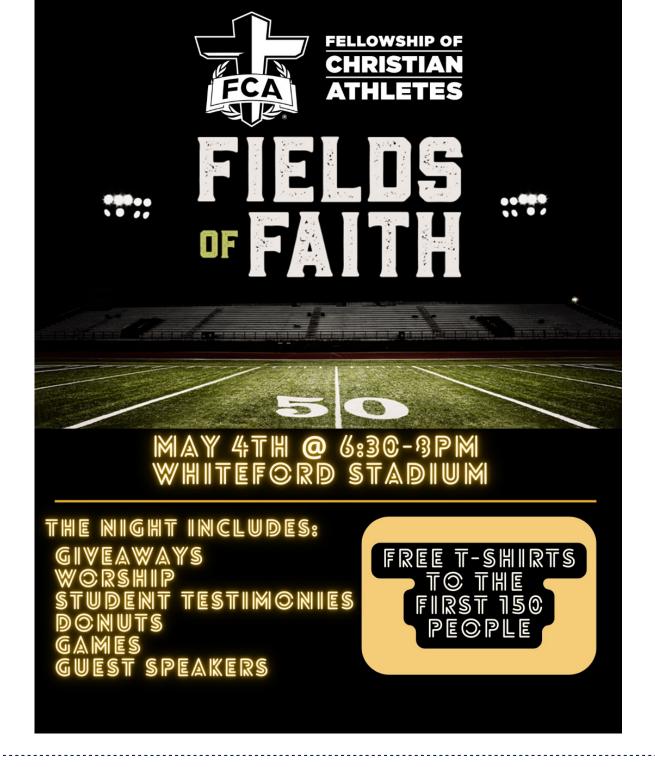
Join us as we celebrate what God has done in our ministry this past year and look forward to another year of impact! Celebrate nominated Impact Award student leaders and Huddle coaches. Speaker, Noah Beaudrie from Monroe is a college quarterback and founder of Jesus & Football Camps. FREE to everyone, food, gifts, & inspiration provided.

To nominate a student leader or Huddle coach scan the QR code: https://forms.office.com/r/e4K0 rEuRMQ

For event information & RSVP, go to: <u>scmifca.org/banquet</u> SCMI FCA - Student Leader / Huddle Coach Impact Award Nomination



FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATHLETES



Please join us for a great event at MIS June 5-8th! We are also in need of prayers, donations and cookies! Find more information on our <u>website</u> or click the image below.



Grab your clubs! We're heading to Devils Lake Golf Course and we want you to join us! Sign you and/or your team ubere or by clicking the image below and be ready for a fun day of golf, food, fun and prizes. See you there!



CAMPS

Don't forget to register for these amazing opportunities coming up!





Michigan FCA Sports Camp June 23-26, 2025 REGISTER

GET INVOLVED: Your Design Here!

Join the contest! We want YOU to create a "Signature Summer" T-Shirt design. Check out all the details and sign uphere or click on the image. We can't wait to see what you come up with!



Calling All Creatives!

If you are an athlete, coach, or FCA supporter who wants to combine their creative talent with their love for Jesus and sports, we would like to invite you to participate in our 2025 Michigan FCA "Signature Summer Shirt" design contest!

HOME TEAM REPORT:



We are getting closer to race weekend. Our volunteers are continuing to prepare for the ministry weekend. I am so grateful to work with a group of volunteers willing to take a week out of their schedule to share the Gospel with those who are lost. I am also grateful the racetrack management is so receptive of our ministry. I am praying that our team gets many opportunities to share the Gospel and for those who listen to have open hearts. I'm also praying that we can completed our teams and raise the funds needed to provide ministry tools to the campsites.

Megan

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This April we will be celebrating our students and leaders at our Celebration Banquet. I praise God for the involvement we have had with our huddles, both existing huddles and new huddles in the month of March. We are working to meet the needs of the students and those leading the huddles to be effective within the schools and equipping students with the Gospel and Biblical values. Your support is greatly appreciated as we launch in to Spring and as new sports seasons are underway.

Area Rep. Ryan Eddy

Monroe

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FCA in Monroe County has been continuously blessed by the way the Lord is moving in students and leaders. New students have been stepping up to lead huddles, more guest speakers have come and shared, and students are planning more ways to impact their community outside of the Huddle meetings. Milan students organized a trash pick-up in their community. Students from Whiteford have been planning and including students from other schools in the launch of our first Fields of Faith event that will be May 4th from 6:30-8PM at Whiteford Football Stadium. This will be a great evening of students from Monroe and Lenawee County coming together to worship, pray, and hear a message together. Pray for the planning and preparation in students' hearts for that night.

In Him, Tony

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