

MISSIONS TEAM

"Mobilize Fellowship Bible Church to proclaim the Gospel, make disciples, and establish local churches here and around the world".

Executive Team: Keith Willson, Neil Beasley, Kim Campbell, Donnie Perkins, Coy Hays

~The Executive Team has the responsibility to cast vision, determine focus and priority for FBC missions work. They do not make day to day decisions on operations. The Executive Team has determined that FBC will have a primary geographical focus in India, Colombia, and Africa.

The Missions Team (MT) is divided into independent Task Forces(TF), each with a leader, a budget, and specific ministry areas. Each Task Force leader reports directly to the Missions Elder, Keith Willson.

Financial Inquiry Task Force (FITForce): Robyn Christianson (Leader), James Redman, Mary Ledford, Seth Perry, Ron Bebee, Susan Grice

~ FITForce oversees the monthly giving to all workers, responds to requests for extra project funding needs, administers the Richard Nigro Scholarship fund to college students of supported missionaries, establishes matching funds for special projects.

~ Each year, after receiving and compiling year end reports from our workers, the FITForce has the very difficult decision of where to boost support or lower support according to our vision to be focused on Church Planting, Evangelism and Discipleship. It is very challenging as our workers are individually doing valuable work, but this force is attempting to bring in some boundaries, clarity and unity of focus as asked to do by the Executive Team.

Member Care: Ashley Grice (Leader), Michael and Michelle Stansill, Karen Campbell, Walter and Gayla Thomas, Jeni Newsome, Jim and Arline Parris

~Provides care for all our workers, sends support teams for prayer ministry, counseling, or encouragement, communicates prayer needs to a huge prayer team (some of whom meet monthly to pray), sends care packages, cards, emails to workers, assists workers who are visiting Tulsa, arranges retreats, and connects FBC members with workers.

Short Term Trips: Kim Campbell (Leader), Paul Spittka, and

~Chooses where to send short term teams, chooses a leader and trains that leader, offering funding for part of each trip if needed. This Task Force will be working to send teams to assist already established ministries and workers FBC supports.

Communications: Susan Grice (also the MT Admin Asst.)

~Communicates between the missions team-task forces-workers, communicates between Missions team and church staff, provides all materials for the missions area in the fireside, communicates with area workers and churches in the city pertaining to missions or local outreach.

~The Admin Asst role covers all incoming and outgoing correspondence, assisting any TF Leader, directing the flow of communication between the staff and TF leaders, answering Missions questions, working with missionaries directly.

Administration: Keith Willson

~Responsible to communicate between Executive and Task Forces, oversees meetings of Task Force Leaders

Local Outreach: Bryan Lapo (Leader), Brad and Susan Randall, Don Mann, Stefanie Forney, Brian and Jane Treat, Nathan Cozort

~Connects individuals with local ministries, provides opportunities for FBC to plug into local works, maintains the "Go Forward" wall. Anything pertaining to the church involvement in local outreach should begin with this task force (just cc Susan Grice who tries to keep all efforts connected through her Admin Asst job). LO also determines local ministries to support financially.

~