Sharing







Community Impact

- **BACKPACKS FOR KIDS supported 421 students**
- \$11,000 donated to TEEN CHALLENGE through the Christmas wish tree
- 2,121 shoeboxes collected for OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD
- **\$8,103** raised for Calgary Pregancy Care Centre
- THE UNMENTIONABLES DRIVE collected 12,000 pairs of new underwear for clients of The Mustard Seed
- Hosted 125 guests at CHRISTMAS DAY LUNCH
- **OIL CHANGE DAY** serviced **71** vehicles in fall 2017 and 62 vehicles in spring 2018 for those in need

Global Impact

People sent on **SHORT-TERM MISSIONS** in Switzerland, Egypt, Moldova, Belarus, Montreal, and NE Calgary (Encompass)



FAC INTERNATIONAL WEEKEND

(November 2017) raised **\$12,643** towards Alliance Justice & Compassion projects

Mosaic Ministries

89 REFUGEE ARRIVALS supported through FAC church partnerships in Alberta

Partnered with 6 churches in co-sponsoring refugees and provided **\$63,300** to **6** applicants sponsored by FAC; 4 arrived in May 2018

Harvest Culinary

with all the other people I volunteer with."

CORNERSTONE CAFÉ and BEDROCK BISTRO served 1,697 lbs. of coffee as a connection point

• HARVEST HOMEMADE PIES: monthly and seasonal pies made in-house partly supported short-term missions



Jean ATA Gance July 2017-June 2018





Connecting

NEW MEMBERSHIPS

people participated in **EXPLORE GOD** "Super Group" at FAC May-June 2018

SMALL GROUP LEADERS attended spring training with Dan Gaynor



23 SMALL GROUPS formed

attended new **COMMUNITY CONNECT** initative representing **16** communities

men attended MEN@FIRST "Beast Feast" fall kick-off; 13 active mens' small groups



SENIORS' WELLNESS MORNINGS offered on Mondays & Wednesdays

women engaged in **WOMEN2WOMEN** Tuesday Bible studies; 240 women attended Girls Night Out spring outreach

Online Presence

ONLINE registrations & giving transactions



16% increase from 2016/17

ONLINE GIVING

\$1,847,723

FACEBOOK Page "Likes" as of June 2018 (15.3% increase from June 2017)



WEBSITE DESIGN launched December 2017 enhancing visual presence and user experience, including new church **BLOG**



Launched FACEBOOK LIVE streaming of all three services March 24/25, 2018

Congregational Care

39

VOLUNTEERS hosted 20 funeral receptions for families at FAC

patients were visited in **HOSPITAL**

30

individuals in need recieved **BENEVOLENT SUPPORT** at Christmas





DiscoveryLand

AVG. WEEKEND ATTENDANCE (infants-Grade 4)

"I am so thankful I took the time to volunteer with these very special little people. They give so much and I love watching them praise God in their singing and dancing. They're so joyful." – Liz



CHILDREN BAPTIZED

KIDS ACCEPTED **JESUS AS SAVIOUR!**

"I have really connected with some families and parents ... seeing the change and growth in these kids was so amazing. I'm so excited for next year!

Students



AVG. SATURDAY ATTENDANCE FOR JHS (SEPT.-MAY)

AVG. TUESDAY NIGHT ATTENDANCE FOR JHS SMALL GROUPS

ATTENDANCE FOR SHS (SEPT.-MAY)

GRADE 5&6 AVG. WEEKEND ATTENDANCE

YOUNG ADULTS



Over 30 churches representing over 12 denominations were involved in a city-wide Youth Alpha movement in Calgary, Cochrane, Airdrie, and Okotoks. With around 35 student-led Alpha courses running in unison, over 700 students were exposed to the gospel on their high school campus in 2017-18. **FAC SHS students gave** leadership to three of these Youth Alpha courses, with 125-150 students attending.

Relationship Fitness Centre

- **34** couples made their marriage a priority through **MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT** programs
- **27** couples attended **MARRIAGE PREPARATION**
- **1,250** attended the **DATE NIGHT COMEDY** event
- **20** individuals learned to lean on Jesus through the MARRIAGE 911 course



couples passionate about investing in marriages at FAC became trained **VOLUNTEER FACILITATORS**



Attended SHARPEN Worship Conference (>82% increase from 2017)

kids participated in Music Camp (record!)

SERVING BEYOND FAC

- sent monthly worship teams to support Carseland Alliance Church
- Elevate! kids' choir (20) sang at Seton AgeCare Facility & **C&MA General Assembly**

Growing-

165 Alpha Participants
Offered Fall 2017 & Winter 2018

172 Baptisms Including children, youth, and adults

"In all my life between the people, the lessons, and the journey toward God, I have never felt more supported. Where misery, depression, and unworthiness used to reside in my consciousness for days, even weeks, now these tend to be fleeting." – Nancy, Celebrate Recovery participant

167 Living [Within] Your Means
Financial Freedom program participants



"We [were] empowered by a Christ-focused approach to managing our finances; our spending, saving, investing, and giving plans are crystal clear." – Living Within Your Means participant couple

- **122** avg. attended Fall 2017 & Spring 2018 **PRAYER RETREATS**
- 12 avg. attended Wednesday afternoon/evening PRAYER GROUPS
- **600 ONLINE PRAYER REQUESTS** received
- **34** total attended **GRIEF SUPPORT** (fall/winter/spring)
- **39** total attended **DIVORCECARE** (fall/winter)
- 20 total attended CELEBRATE RECOVERY
- **30** avg. attended four **PRECEPT MINISTRIES BIBLE STUDIES**
- **43** total attended **APOLOGETICS** class
- 15 attended RIVER DWELLERS book study





Resources

- 1,680 downloads of FAC EXPERIENCE **APP** bringing total downloads to 7,262
- **97** new **FAC LIBRARY** cards issued and 7,722 items borrowed
- **20**+ VOLUNTEERS serving regular shifts at **CORNERSTONE MARKETPLACE**

