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FCA Teammates,

February 28, 2019

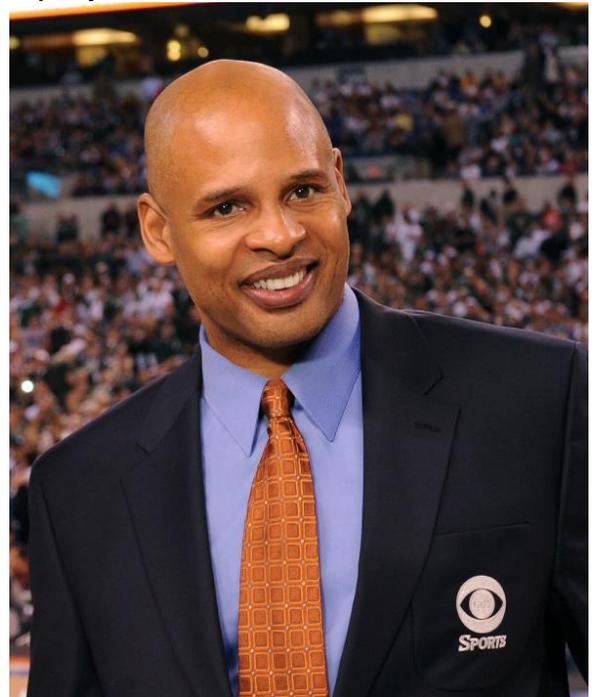
We are most thankful for your being our partner in FCA's ministry "**To and Through Coaches**" all across Southern Illinois.

On **February 1** we met with some coaches at **Harrisburg High School** about the reformation of that huddle for the future. We are excited for an upcoming meeting with the coaches and some Bulldog student-athlete leaders.

This month also featured some advance work on new **FCA Camps** for the area. We are preparing for an **FCA 7 on 7 Football Tournament** at SIU on **July 16**. We are also planning for a couple of **FCA Coaches and Captains Camps** in July to prepare Coaches, team captains, and FCA Huddle Coaches and their student-athlete leaders for the new school year. More details on each will be available soon.

We were privileged to meet with the incoming, inaugural team for **Saluki Women's Soccer**. We delivered a welcome, introduced **Saluki FCA** and talked briefly about ways we could serve the coaches, the team, and individual players.

On **February 11**, around 300 of our friends, financial partners, and prayer supporters joined us at the SIU Student Center for the **2019 FCA Home Team Banquet**. We were thrilled with all those who participated in the program and our featured guest, **Clark Kellogg**, was outstanding. Thanks to everyone who sponsored the event, hosted tables, and attended. Your partnership is invaluable to our ministry.



This was our lineup of guests:

Emcee - Coach Kerry Martin of Marion HS

Prayer by Nicole Martin of SIU Women's Basketball

Coach Krystal Emrick of Carbondale HS

Bryce Lingle of Anna-Jonesboro HS

Steve Marino of the Southern Illinois Miners

Coach Bob Pankey of Southern Illinois FCA

Prayer by Kevin Reichert of S. I. Prospects Baseball

Roger finished the month in **Charlotte, North Carolina** in meetings with the **Global Sports Chaplaincy Association**. He represents FCA with this team of sports chaplaincy leaders from Europe, Asia, Australia, Africa, and South America.

<http://www.globalsportschaplaincy.org/>

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We continued serving **Saluki Women's Basketball** with biweekly coaches meetings, pregame chapel talks on home game days, and printed devotional thoughts for every game throughout the season. We have now served this program for more than twenty years.

"The **Transformational Coaches Community** serves to equip, empower, and encourage the process of life transformation among coaches and all those they lead." Podcasts are posted at this site:

<https://transformed3e.blogspot.com/>

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Monthly podcasts for **F.C.A. sports chaplains and character coaches** continue. We have organized and facilitated these calls for three years and they are of tremendous value to our network of sports ministry colleagues in the area, across the USA, and around the world. Here is a link to the blog that hosts the podcasts:

<http://sportchaplainsportmentor.blogspot.com>

We have resumed our weekly Bible studies with the **Saluki Football** Coaching staff.

We are most thankful to have your faithful and generous partnership in our ministry. We're working together to grow FCA's ministry, **"To and Through the Coach."**



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