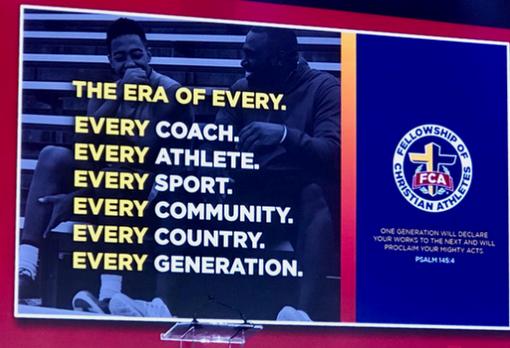




NEWSLETTER SPRING 2026

Andy Fetsis



These things I have spoken unto you, that in Me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world. John 16:33

Dear Co-Laborers,

I have been a follower of Jesus Christ since November of 2002. In these almost 24 years walking with the Lord, I have never experienced the amount of spiritual war as I do today - not only in my own life but also in the lives of so many people that I get to engage with.

There are so many young adults coming out of hiding and sharing their stories of being captives to sin - lust, porn, weed, alcohol, anger, laziness, anxiety, depression, eating disorders and more.

I have numerous people contacting me about demonic dreams and demonic encounters. I have met an atheist man - who had not picked up a bible in his life - describe to me the Lord Jesus Christ from Revelation 1:12-17 [without having ever read the book] - after crying out to Him in the midst of horrific, demonic dreams. He has since become a follower of Christ. There are numerous accounts of these types of encounters.

The body of Christ is under attack. There is so much division and so much disunity amongst God's people. Marriages and families are under heavy attack. Our youth are under heavy attack. The devil prowls around like a roaring lion seeking whom he may devour... But JESUS WON.

Brothers and Sisters, it is time for ALL of God's people to dig their heels in and stand firm. We must be about the Lord's business in these days seeking to invest our lives in the only two things that are eternal and last forever - the Word of God and the souls of people. Everything else will be laid waste (2 Peter 3:7-13). Invest in His Word! Invest in people!

Joanne and I thank you for all of the ways that you support this ministry. We pray that this ministry update will be a great encouragement to you in how you are investing in the lives of people through your generous financial support and prayer support. We love you and we thank you.

For Him and through Him,
Andy Fetsis & Family

REALTIME 2026 IN FLORIDA

Every two years, FCA creates a weekend getaway for FCA Staff from around the world called RealTime. Great teaching - great testimonies - and a great recharge. This year's gathering was in Orlando, FL. The purpose of the weekend is to bring staff together from across the globe for a time of fellowship with our team. It is a weekend of encouragement, exhortation, edification and rest. The itinerary allows for some much needed downtime to spend with our spouses. Joanne and I had a wonderful weekend together and we are thankful for that time together. We spent the afternoon below at New Smyrna Beach.



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One on One Discipleship - Updates

As the Lord opens doors to new schools and new Huddles, I do my best to always be available for every person outside of campus Huddle meetings. It has been such a privilege for me to build so many strong relationships over these first three years in full time vocational ministry. Here are a few updates:

(L) Korri Sanders (Big K) from Catalina HS - Korri graduated last May and is attending Pima CC and is working a 30 hour per week job. I meet with Korri and talk with him regularly. Korri (with Ace) started their own men's bible study at Cartel Coffee every Sunday. It has grown from 4 guys (Korri, Ace, Fernando and Izaiah) to over 12 people to include co-workers, former teammates and new friends from school. This is Matthew 28:18-20 and 2 Timothy 2:2 in action!

(M) Isaac Lugo - from Sahuaro HS - Isaac is a senior this year. He has committed to play football at University of Puget Sound. He has had a very broken life but came to Christ this year and wants to be baptized in our pool in April. We are meeting together to help him grow and deal with the trials of life. He wants to start and lead FCA at U of PS this summer! Please pray for Isaac to get out of his own way and trust in the finished work of Christ.

(R) Kota Benson - from Pima CC and now Dalton State - I met Kota through another Pima basketball player last year. Kota has a real love for the Lord and has a heart to make Him known to others. Kota is playing basketball at Dalton State now. He broke his ankle and returned to Tucson where he is rehabbing until the Fall. He has plugged back in to our Pima Huddle group and we are meeting together for discipleship. FCA incoming at Dalton State!



Join FCA for an inspirational morning as we honor coaches and athletes from across the state who are making an impact in FCA!

God is writing a big story in Arizona: in just the last few years, FCA has grown statewide, now reaching nearly 10,000 coaches and athletes. See the impact. Hear the stories. Be inspired. Register today!

Saturday, March 28
Westin Kierland
Resort

Special guest
ESPN's Sam Acho



FCA Legacy Breakfast

1st ANNUAL LEGACY BREAKFAST

This year, FCA AZ has kicked off its 1st Annual Legacy Breakfast to honor Christ and all of the work that He is doing in the state of AZ through the platform of FCA. Each Huddle nominates a male and female athlete that exemplifies steadfastness in the faith, club participation in leadership, small groups and outreach to their teammates and peers in their schools and for their influence on those around them for Christ's sake. It will be a special morning on March 28th! As you read through the following school updates, you will meet my nominees for this year.





Pima College Huddle

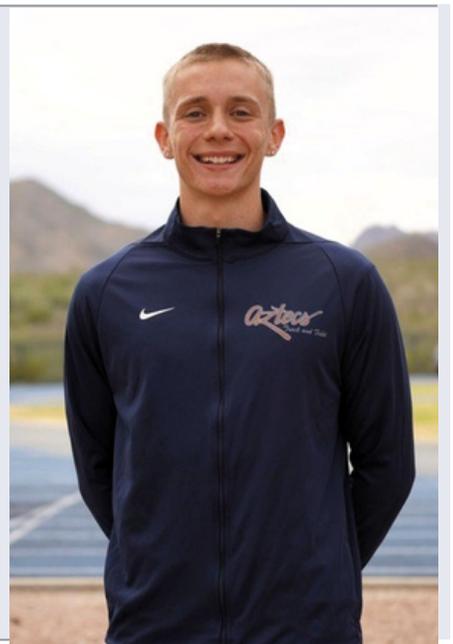
We have an incredible group of young men and women meeting together weekly to spend time in the Word of God and in fellowship together. The group consists of athletes from baseball, softball, soccer, volleyball and track and field. Even with the rigors of college athletics and busy schedules, there is a group that meets faithfully to grow together and challenge each other. We are currently studying the Sermon on the Mount verse by verse and we are diving deep in the Beatitudes - what we must BE!



Legacy Breakfast Nominees

Estelle Fetsis - Volleyball
Kyler Holthaus - Track & Field

Estelle and Kyler are taking on strong leadership roles and are committed to growing in the Word and seeking to reach their teammates and peers with the gospel message. Both of these athletes will return next season and want to see FCA really grow on campus. Both will be in attendance at the Legacy Breakfast.





Sahuaro High School

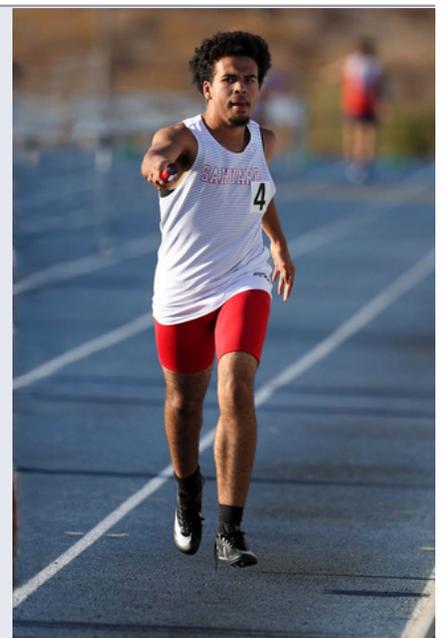
Sahuaro High School FCA continues to fill the library basement on Mondays and Fridays during lunch. This group has really let their guards down as they have learned to trust each other and be vulnerable. Our bible study in Sermon on the Mount has been paused as these kids have begun to share sin struggles with the group. The last few weeks, we have been addressing issues that the kids want to talk about including lust, pornography, anxiety, depression, fear and failure. The kids ask and we open the Word of God together to find Truth!



Legacy Breakfast Nominees

Penelope Hermosillo-Elrod - Track & Field
Malik Laws - Track & Field

Penelope and Malik are owning their leadership roles and consistently attend Huddle and lead small groups. They consistently invite new people to hear the gospel message and participate in bible study. Penelope will return next year and both athletes will be in attendance at the Legacy Breakfast.



Sabino High School

It is so good to talk about Sabino. I roamed these halls as a lost teenager from 1987-1991. God is so very good. Who would have thought I would sit on this campus at 52 years old preaching the gospel message that I once could care less about! This Huddle has taken off from four athletes last year to over twenty this year. These are great young people who are serious about growing in their faith and have sat through some hard discussions that aren't talked about in church on Sundays. We are currently finishing our study on Biblical Purpose and the command of the Great Commission.



Legacy Breakfast Nominees

Brooke Hinrichs - Track & Field - Golf
Eli Valasek - Soccer

Brooke and Eli are seniors that have been faithful in participating in Bible study for the past two years. This year they have really grown more confident in their faith and have been faithful inviting new athletes and their friends to hear the gospel. Both of these athletes will be in attendance at the Legacy Breakfast.



Catalina High School

Catalina High School Huddle dynamics have changed dramatically since the football players (who made up most of the Huddle the last two years) graduated last May. It is a fresh start with new faces and new dynamics. These young people are slowly growing and starting to spend time alone in the Word and come to our Huddle ready to have good discussion together. I am excited to see what the Lord will do on this campus as they mature in their faith.

The picture at the bottom in my backyard is a group of graduates from Catalina that continue to meet bi-weekly at our home for bible study and discipleship.



Legacy Breakfast Nominees

Jordyn Rivas - Basketball - Softball
Adrian Thrasher - Football - Wrestling

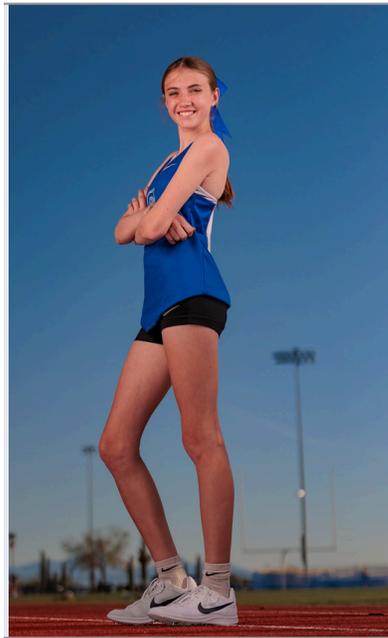
Jordyn and Adrian are just beginning to find their voices and it is a joy and privilege to watch their faith take root and grow. Jordyn is a freshman and Adrian is a junior so I am excited to see how the Lord uses them in the years to come to reach this broken school with the gospel message. Both of these athletes will be in attendance at the Legacy Breakfast.





Catalina Foothills HS

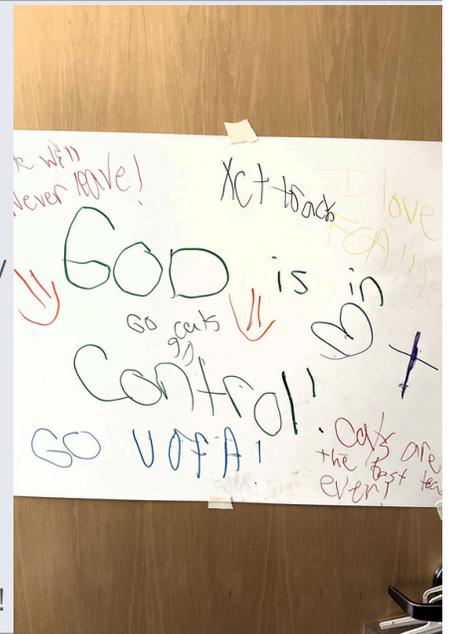
Our Catalina Foothills Huddle is taking root and what is most exciting about Foothills HS is the ages of the athletes in our group. Mostly freshman, sophomores and juniors attend and we are finishing our study on Biblical Purpose in the month of April and will focus our sights on the necessity and importance of the Great Commission for the remainder of the year. Please see the prayer request below for Maci Fluegel and please keep her in your prayers in the weeks to come as she fights back from a stroke she suffered at a track meet 10 days ago,



Legacy Breakfast Nominee

Maci Fluegel - Cross Country - Track

Maci is such a sweet, gentle spirited young lady that has taken the reigns of our FCA Club as a sophomore. I am so excited to see what the Lord will do in Maci's life and how He will use her and her current trial she is facing as a testimony to her faith and hope in Jesus. Due to Maci's current situation, she will be unable to attend the Legacy Breakfast but will be with us in spirit from her home, Lord willing!



PLEASE PRAY FOR MACI'S FULL RECOVERY



Maci suffered a series of strokes at her track meet on March 12th. She was transferred from Tucson Medical Center to Phoenix Children's Hospital where she is now in recovery mode. Praise Jesus!

Update as of 3/22:

"Maci is doing so much better. Doctors are discussing the potential of her returning home on Monday (3/23) depending on her therapy visits Monday. The stroke symptoms of stuttering are improving daily. She is still having some blurred vision and random pains from nerves reconnecting that come and go."

Please pray for her full and expedient recovery!



Pusch Ridge High School



I am currently praying for a real, student led FCA Huddle to take root at Pusch Ridge HS. I believe this is the year that we will have a strong group of young leaders from various sports - boys and girls - that the Lord will use to impact our school, our teams, our opponents and prepare to be disciples that make disciples wherever God calls them after high school.

I am currently coaching HS Tennis (no kids on the team this year). And I will be back coaching the JV Team this Fall. Our oldest son Christian will be coaching with our staff and our sons Rowan and Gracen will be on the team as Frosh. We are looking forward to a fun season with a great group of young men.

The picture at the bottom is of Caiden Madore sharing the gospel message with our opponents after the game last season.

Legacy Breakfast Nominees

Noelle Sunukjian - Basketball - Tennis
Caiden Madore - Football - Baseball

Noelle and Caiden both share a big heart for the Lord. I am praying for a very strong FCA Huddle to start back up at Pusch Ridge HS this year. There is a very strong nucleus of young spiritual leaders that could have a great impact on that campus and especially when they go off to college and rub shoulders with the lost on their college campuses! Both of these athletes will be in attendance at the Legacy Breakfast.



FCA SUMMER SPORTS CAMP COMING IN JUNE

Last but not least, FCA Summer Sports Camp is on the horizon. Our summer camp is where so many lives get changed over a four day weekend of practices, evening chapels, small group bible studies and tons of love from our staff and college huddle leaders. Current athletes attend from Huddles and come back excited to take on a bigger leadership role in the next school year. Newcomers get introduced to the gospel for the first time and many give their lives to Christ for the first time and then either join or start a new Huddle at their school. Please pray for campers in advance! ***Lastly, there may be campers that come up short for camp tuition even after we help them fundraise. If you are interested in helping an athlete get across the finish line, please email me and I will share with you the links to the athletes in need.***





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