

2018 ANNUAL REPORT

FRIENDS OF FORMAN CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

Supporting Quality Higher Education in Pakistan





REV. SAMUEL A. SCHREINER III

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Dear Friends,

Nineteenth century missionaries like Charles Forman traveled to faraway lands to share the Lord and his love with total strangers. These pioneers were also dedicated to education, literacy and teaching the Bible. Little did they know that the "gospel seeds" planted by these plucky Protestant missionaries would give rise to economic development, improved health and life expectancy, lower infant mortality, greater literacy, and higher education for women. These are the well known secondary results of mission work recently documented

through rigorous analysis by the sociologist Robert Woodberry and written up in Christianity Today (January/February 2014).

We see this connection between faith and improved opportunities demonstrated by the impact of a resurging Forman Christian College. Children of our workers are given unparalleled educational opportunities at the Light of Hope School.

Women make up 40% of our university students. Our graduates are winning awards and finding significant ways to contribute to a peaceful future for Pakistan.

Charles Forman would give thanks to God for this generation and we are deeply grateful for you and our other partners who are helping Forman flourish, once again, in the 21st century.

Gratefully Yours,

Sam Schreiner Executive Director

Samuel A. Solvani #

Dr. James Tebbe

RECTOR
FORMAN CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

Dear Friends,

I want to share with you a recent quote from a senior Christian professor. It was in response to a reporter's question about a terrorist whose grenade attack on a church in Islamabad in 2001 killed four people and permanently disabled this faculty member's right hand.

"I would put my arms around him, give him a big hug and say, 'Don't ever do that again.'"

Forman is known for harmony among the different ethnicities and religious groups. Students value this highly, ranking it in our annual survey among the top two or three things they value most. As a Christian institution we extend an umbrella of God's grace to all who study, live or are employed at Forman. Regardless of class, creed, ethnicity or gender we are all equally valuable in God's sight. But nowhere can a more powerful and poignant example of this grace be seen

than in the above quote by this dear colleague. As we receive grace and forgiveness, so we extend it to others.

I believe this grace is one reason demand for admissions continues to climb, especially from those who come from ethnic minority areas outside the Punjab. We are a safe place where opinions and beliefs can be openly talked about without prejudice or disdain. This spring our enrollment was over 7,400 and the pressure on admissions continues to be strong.

We do have many problems with which we grapple daily, but two issues common to most colleges and universities we do not have: debt (we operate in the black due to our careful fiscal management and generous donors in Pakistan and America), and admissions (we have too many wanting to join us). We are expanding, not just in numbers of students but programmatically as well. New undergraduate courses in the fine arts and languages have been introduced along with new master's and Ph.D. programs for many of our departments. This has led to a need for more faculty offices, classrooms and labs.

Nevertheless, an even higher priority than this expansion is our desire to provide the best liberal arts education possible. This is why our next major

building project will be a campus center and digital library, for which roughly half of the funding has already been pledged. This will be the living room for the university and will focus on the outside-of-classroom experience that is a hallmark of liberal arts institutions. While we are a Pakistani university, we remain firmly committed to this nontraditional (in Pakistan) liberal arts approach to education and we will be the first university in the country to have such a campus center.

You who are our friends and partners have made these past and upcoming developments possible. Thank you.

With warm regards,

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James A. Tebbe, PhD Rector



MISSION STATEMENT OF FRIENDS OF FORMAN CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

Friends of Forman Christian College is dedicated to supporting high quality, values-based higher education for the nation of Pakistan as embodied at Forman Christian College.

MISSION STATEMENT OF FORMAN CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

To impart, create and disseminate knowledge and to develop informed, ethical and responsible citizens, who are prepared to learn, lead and serve, who live by the college motto "By Love Serve One Another."

| 2018 ANNUAL REPORT FREE TO FLOURISH UPDATE FRIENDS OF FORMAN CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

FREE TO FLOURISH REACHES 50% OF GOAL IN FIRST YEAR

Thanks to your generosity, the FREE to FLOURISH campaign hit the midpoint of its twenty-million-dollar goal in under twelve months! Since announcing F2F late in 2017, you made sacrificial pledges and gifts to champion this next chapter of the mission at Forman Christian College.

The centerpiece of FREE to FLOURISH will be the 177,000 square foot campus center and digital library. This kind of facility is common on American campuses, but they do not exist at Pakistani universities. Ours will be the first of its kind there.

Recently. Friends of Forman secured an anonymous \$500,000 matching grant toward the construction of this campus center. All gifts given for this purpose and received by March 23, 2019 will be doubled up to that amount.

Groundbreaking for the campus center will occur when all permits are granted.



"There has been no building project more important to our central goal of a Christian liberal arts education than the envisioned campus center. It embodies the values of what we wish to do at FCC. The outside-of-class co-curricular activities and informal interactions which are one hallmark of a liberal arts education are with us even now, but they lack a home, a center. I am pleased that the work is beginning for this important addition."

- Dr. James Tebbe, Rector

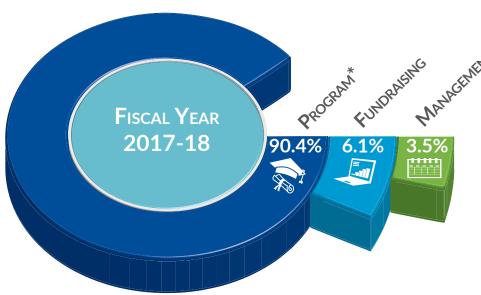
"It would be hard to overstate the impact of the campus center on our students and on our ability to serve them. It will provide a place where they can spend time with each other in a healthy environment and where we can interact with them on a regular, informal basis. It will allow us to build and grow relationships with our students: the kind that impact who they are now and the adults they will become. It will give us space to have student support services tailored to the needs of this generation of students and, on a very practical level, to have office space for the staff required to serve nearly 7,000 of them."



- Ms. Cheryl Burke, Chief Student Affairs Officer

FRIENDS OF FORMAN 2017-18 FINANCIALS

WHERE DID THE MONEY GO?



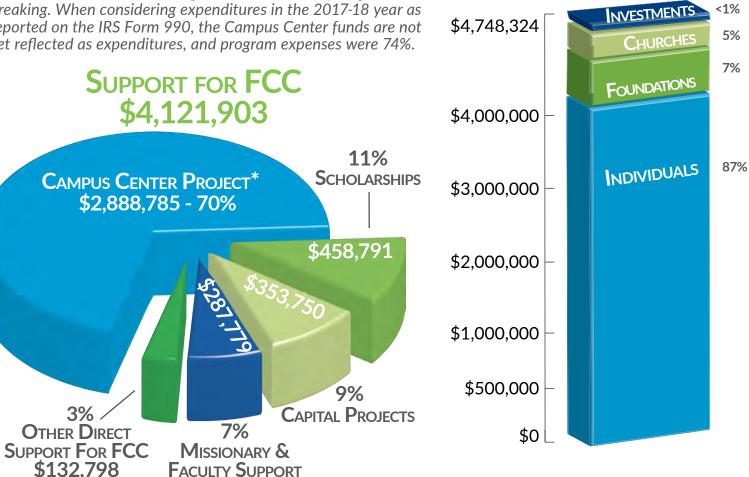
*Coming soon: Campus Center ground breaking! Funds collected during 2017-18 for Campus Center construction are being safely held in a U.S. FDIC-insured CD portfolio as designated gifts for Forman. The funds will be granted to Forman upon ground breaking. When considering expenditures in the 2017-18 year as reported on the IRS Form 990, the Campus Center funds are not yet reflected as expenditures, and program expenses were 74%.

2017-18 fiscal year were funded by you, our FFCC donors. Thank you!

1/3 of all scholarships provided to Forman

students during the

REVENUE BY SOURCE



2018 CAMPUS HIGHLIGHTS





WATER & SEWER PROJECT COMPLETED

COMPLETE RENOVATIONS OF VELTE & KENNEDY HALLS





"While visiting Forman recently, I had the privilege of meeting with a group of Christian students. What an impressive group they were! These young men and women are devoted to the Lord, dedicated to academic and professional excellence, committed to the future of their nation

6 NEW INTERMEDIATE CLASSROOMS

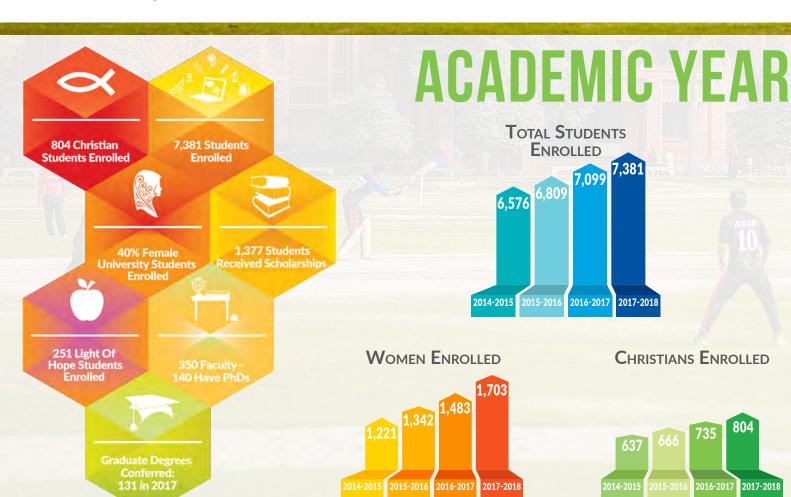


10 STAFF HOMES RENOVATED 3 STAFF HOMES CONSTRUCTED

INTERMEDIATE ROOM ADDED TO LIBRARY



Rev. Dr. Rob Weingartner **Executive Director of The Outreach Foundation**



AT A GLANCE



SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED TO CHRISTIANS

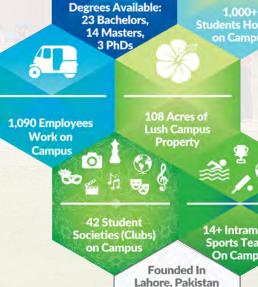
GRADUATES - CLASS OF 2017











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FROM OUR STUDENTS



ADIL. CLASS OF 2023

I belong to Lahore, Pakistan where education is a very vital issue and anybody lacking a good education does not have a chance to earn a respectable living. In my family, none of the males have received higher education. This is one of the primary reasons why I was motivated to pursue a successful person and do something to make my country a better place.

My father is the earning head of my family Railways. I also have 4 siblings who are studying in different grades at school. Due to my father's meagre income, I was unable to pay the tuition fee. However, FCCU came to my rescue and provided me with financial assistance so I could continue my studies. really appreciate all of FCCU's help and support.

JERUSHA, CLASS OF 2018

Education holds a lot of importance for me because I want to independently support my mother and myself. My father passed away a few years ago so I am the only hope for providing for my family in the future.

I chose to get enrolled in Forman Christian College (A Chartered University) because my father was serving FCCU before he passed away. It was a strong motivation for me to join the same place. FCCU has a liberal arts program which I was very much interested

in. It offers a much-needed opportunity for students to explore a wide range of programs. In our family, my mother is the only one earning currently. She works as a nurse but does not earn enough to support my full tuition fee. I applied for scholarships which allowed me to continue my studies. I will always be grateful to the donors for their help in my time of need. One day, I hope to be able to help other children in need of help with their studies.



Umair, Class of 2017

FCCU is a dream-come-true for me. The faculty and environment are excellent. Being the only liberal arts educational institute makes FCCU the best choice for me.

My father is the only earning head of my family and he works as a freelance photographer. The financial support I get here has enabled me to continue my education while taking the burden off of my father. FCCU has also helped me build up my confidence and groomed my personality.

Along with the education we get here, students have a chance of exploring their

abilities and talents through co-curricular activities organized by student societies. I have worked in the Photographic, Music, Journalism, and Dramatic Societies at FCCU. My experience with each one of them has framed my ambition regarding the career path I would like to pursue.

I want to pursue my career in documentary film making, to travel the world and film different cultures and societies of this world. private news channel's archive department.

SANA, CLASS OF 2019

living in this colony are not very educated, often wasting away their lives. I wanted to be my tuition fee expenses. different from these people, to stand out, to make something of myself. Education, to me, is a tool that can transform my life forever. It and accomplishment.

I plan to join the Biotechnology field and I enrolled at FCCU because it is well-known in Lahore, especially for these courses.

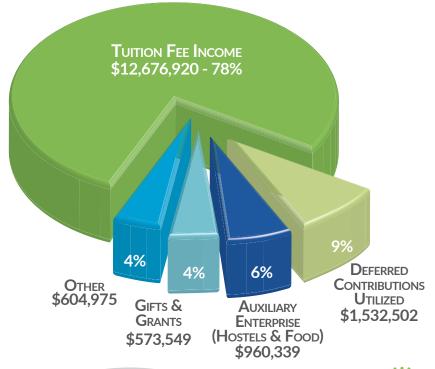
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I was only able to continue with my studies because of the generous financial assistance can set me on a path to success, achievement provided by FCCU's Financial Aid Office. I am grateful to them and the donors who make it possible for students like me to pursue higher education.



FORMAN CHRISTIAN COLLEGE **2017-18 FINANCIALS**





"FCCU has inspired me to serve others with love; peace and harmony are the key elements."

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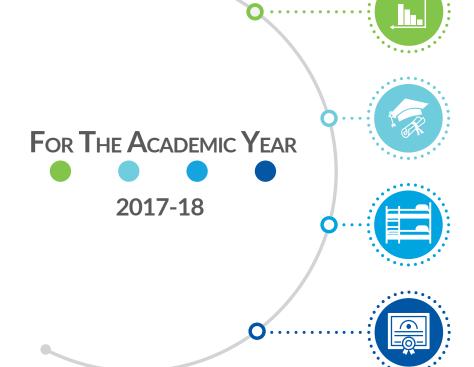


TOTAL FINANCIAL AID PROVIDED TO STUDENTS \$1,242,849

TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENTS RECEIVING FINANCIAL AID

COST OF ROOM AND BOARD FOR CAMPUS HOUSING \$1.321

> RANGE OF SCHOLARSHIPS **A**WARDED \$200 - \$2,900



R ROLL OF CHURCH DONORS

In 2018, Forman Christian College received gifts from the churches and their foundations included in this honor roll. We wish to recognize them for their benevolent support and partnership in this important mission. Their generosity is exemplary of the FCC motto, "by love, serve one another." We are thankful for each and every contribution.

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