

FILIPINO CHRISTIAN CHURCH
NEWSLETTER



EDITOR'S DESK.

January marks a season of new beginnings; a time to pause, plan, and step forward in faith. As we enter the year, our church leadership has begun prayerfully planning and laying foundations for the months ahead. We are reminded that while we prepare and strategize, it is the Lord who directs our steps. Through faithful planning and obedient action, we align with God's perfect plan. Let us be inspired to trust Him as we execute His purposes with unity, wisdom, and faith.

TULA NI BEN

Bagong Taon ay dumatal na
Sa madla dulot ay pag-asa
Mala bukang-liwayway ang kapara
Ningning ng araw kay inam sa mata

Bagong hamon ay nagbabadya
Di alam kung ano ang tadhana
Waring naparam ang pag-asa
Sa bagong taon, napalitan ng kaba

Subalit limiin ng buong diwa
Maylalang ay nasa hinaharap na
Tinitiyak kinabukasang kay ganda
Kaya sa Kanya'y lubusang magtiwala





The BS Leaders Installation on January 17, 2026, led by FCC Connect, celebrated God's faithfulness and calling. We praise the Lord for 35 BS groups with 88 dedicated leaders and assistant leaders serving for His glory. After the installation, 54 leaders representing 29 groups gathered to pray, plan, and align. Elder Mike shared the formation of new groups and clusters, while Pastor Edman gave a timely devotion, followed by the 2026 goals, calendar, and renewed vision for unified ministry.

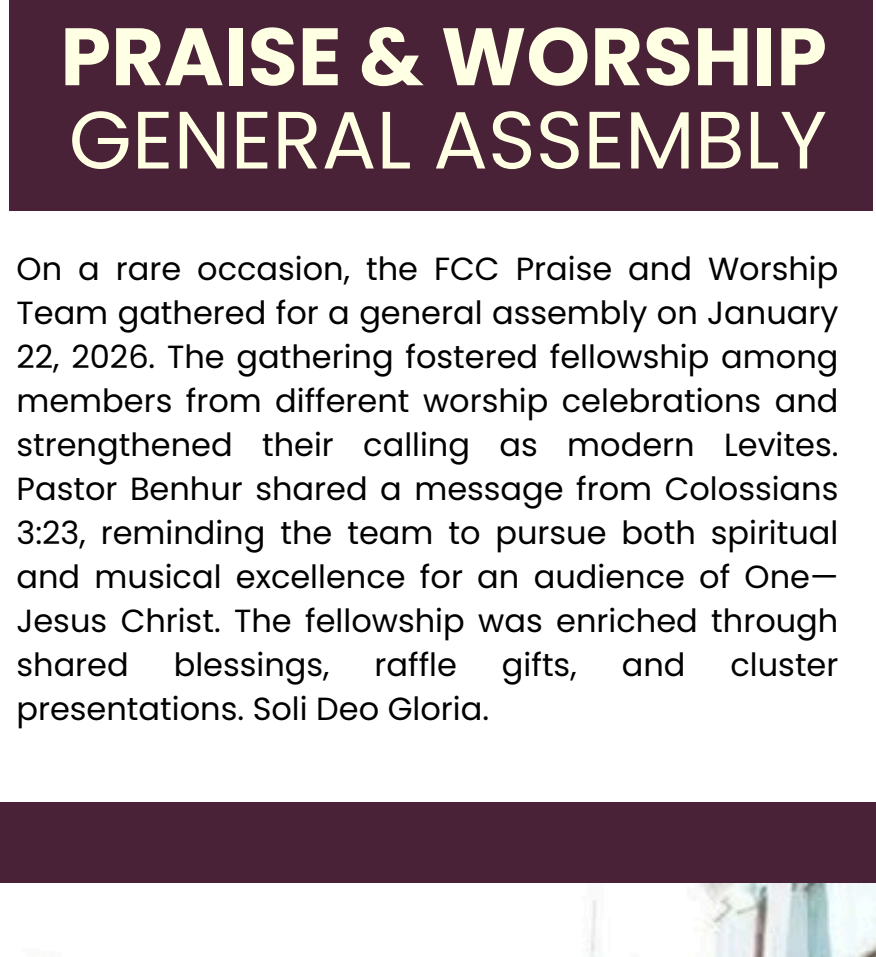
BS LEADERS & ASSISTANT LEADERS INSTALLATION – FCC CONNECT



The FCC Leadership Conference, held on 10 January, marked a meaningful start to the year as leaders from every ministry gathered to plan and pray together. The conference focused on setting clear goals and activities for the whole year, ensuring that every ministry is aligned in vision, purpose, and service. Through collaboration, reflection, and prayerful discussion, leaders committed to working as one body, serving faithfully and intentionally, all for the glory of God.

2026 LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE





PRAISE & WORSHIP GENERAL ASSEMBLY

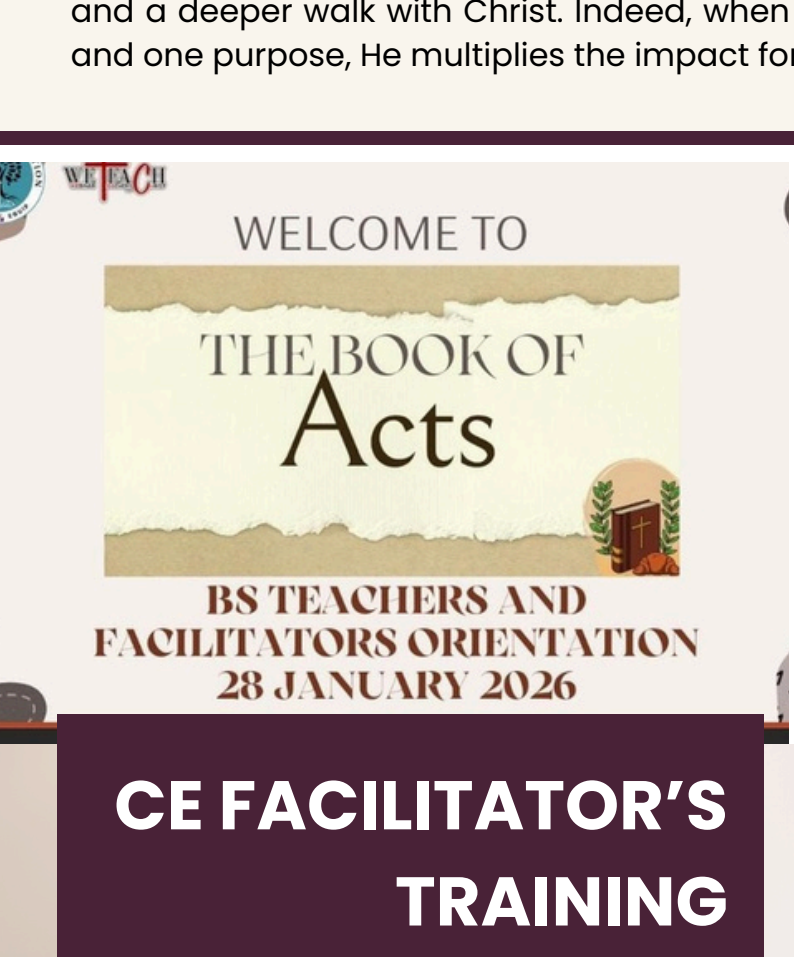


On a rare occasion, the FCC Praise and Worship Team gathered for a general assembly on January 22, 2026. The gathering fostered fellowship among members from different worship celebrations and strengthened their calling as modern Levites. Pastor Benhur shared a message from Colossians 3:23, reminding the team to pursue both spiritual and musical excellence for an audience of One—Jesus Christ. The fellowship was enriched through shared blessings, raffle gifts, and cluster presentations. Soli Deo Gloria.



INTER-FAITH BASKETBALL

As 2026 began, FCC-TM welcomed the year by hosting an interchurch basketball league, a stepping stone toward the theme, *On Mission Together*. Through fellowship and joyful games, new hearts were invited into Christ's love. May this be the beginning of new journeys of faith and a deeper walk with Christ. Indeed, when God's people move together with one heart and one purpose, He multiplies the impact for His kingdom.





CE FACILITATOR'S TRAINING

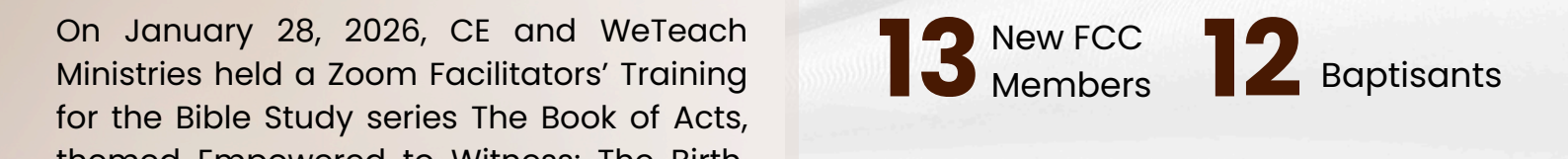
SHEPHERD'S PEN

Facilitators' Training for the Book of Acts Bible Study Series

On January 28, 2026, CE and WeTeach Ministries held a Zoom Facilitators' Training for the Bible Study series *The Book of Acts*, themed *Empowered to Witness: The Birth, Growth, and Mission of the Church*. Sixty facilitators from across the Emirates were equipped to lead with clarity and depth. Guided by God and supported by Ptrs. Benjie, BenHur, and BJ, participants embraced their calling. Sis Percy shared, "God's Word is unstoppable, and witnessing is seen in our daily lives."

CGM Batch Name:
Abrahamic Covenant

13 New FCC Members **12** Baptisants



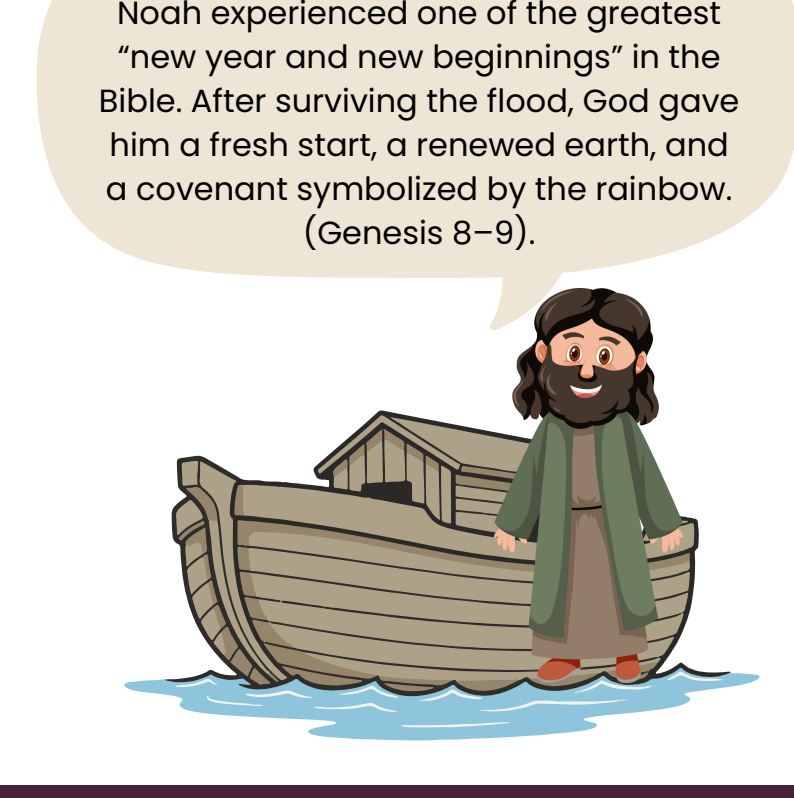


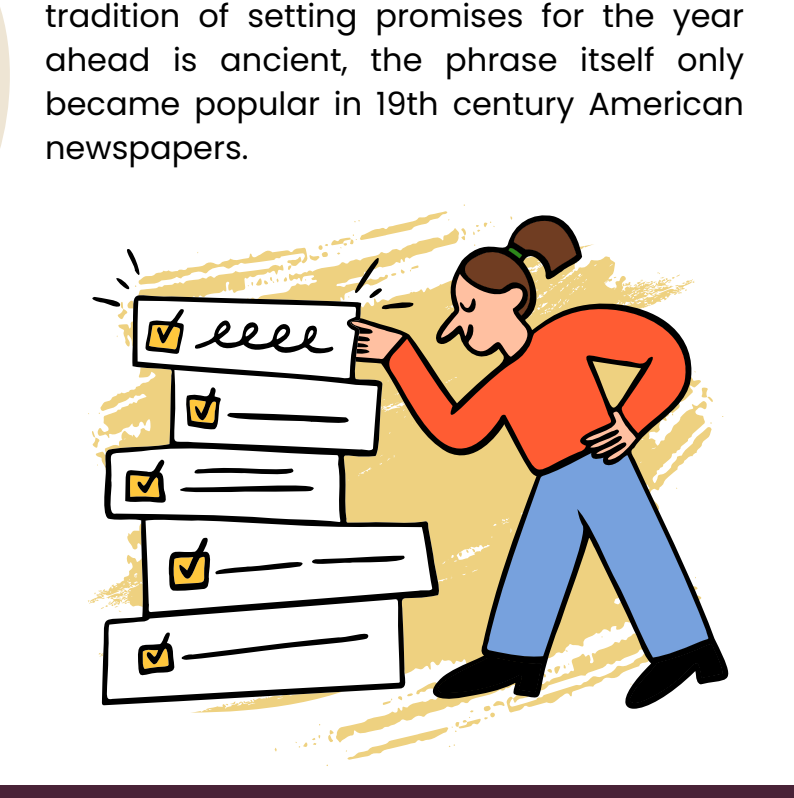
DID YOU KNOW?

Noah experienced one of the greatest "new year and new beginnings" in the Bible. After surviving the flood, God gave him a fresh start, a renewed earth, and a covenant symbolized by the rainbow. (Genesis 8–9).

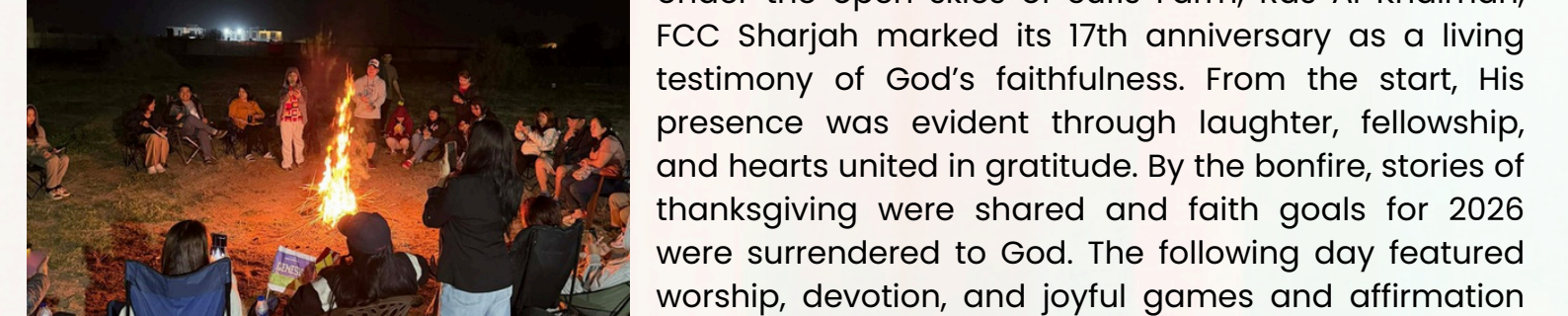
Did you know that the celebration of New Years has long been celebrated for over 4,000 years?

January 1 officially became New Year's Day when Julius Caesar introduced the Julian Calendar which closely resembled the Gregorian Calendar. And while making New Year's resolutions feels modern, the tradition of setting promises for the year ahead is ancient, the phrase itself only became popular in 19th century American newspapers.





DAUGHTER CHURCHES' CORNER



Seventeen Years of Grace: Celebrating God's Moving Presence at FCC Sharjah

Under the open skies of Sufis Farm, Ras Al Khaimah, FCC Sharjah marked its 17th anniversary as a living testimony of God's faithfulness. From the start, His presence was evident through laughter, fellowship, and hearts united in gratitude. By the bonfire, stories of thanksgiving were shared and faith goals for 2026 were surrendered to God. The following day featured worship, devotion, and joyful games and affirmation that God continues to guide and bless FCC Sharjah in every season.

FCC Northern Emirates Winter Camp

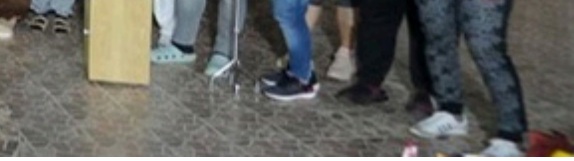
On the cold night of January 31 in the RAK desert, FCC Northern Emirates gathered for heartfelt praise and worship. Leaving worries behind, participants sang, prayed, and sought God's guidance as they prepared for His calling. At dawn, they shared gratitude and devotion, then welcomed the morning with energizing Zumba and a wholesome breakfast. The camp became a meaningful encounter with God; fostering reflection, strengthening faith, and deepening fellowship within the community.



SILENT WORKER: SERVING GOD IN THE SHADOWS

Meet Juv Rante.

For 16 years, this devoted servant has faithfully served FCC behind the scenes. He has served as a Praise & Worship member as a drummer, and now part of the technical team in the TEC building. By day, he works full-time as a Senior Killer at Healthpoint Hospital. Alongside his wife Lou, sons Kirk Patrick and Keith Paolo, he faithfully overcomes the challenge of balancing ministry, work, and family, inspiring others through humble dedication and perseverance.



ONE HEART

A FAMILY ACT OF LOVE

SHARED THRU GIVING



JOIN THE ACT OF LOVE

THIS MONTH OF FEBRUARY

TAKING A SYMBOL OF YOUR PLEDGE—A SMALL GIFT

A REMINDER OF GOD'S LOVE IN ACTION

EVERY HEART CAN GIVE

EVERY GIFT MAKES A DIFFERENCE.



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STORIES OF January



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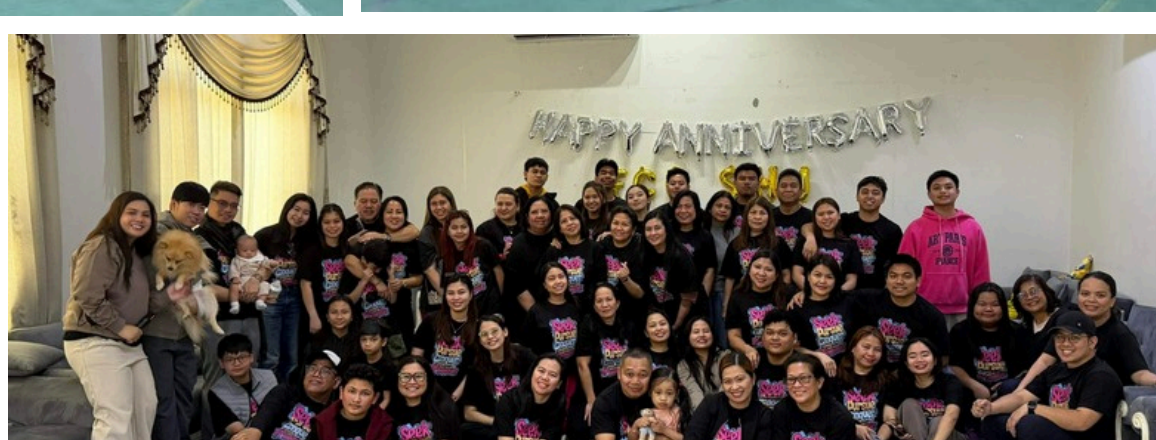


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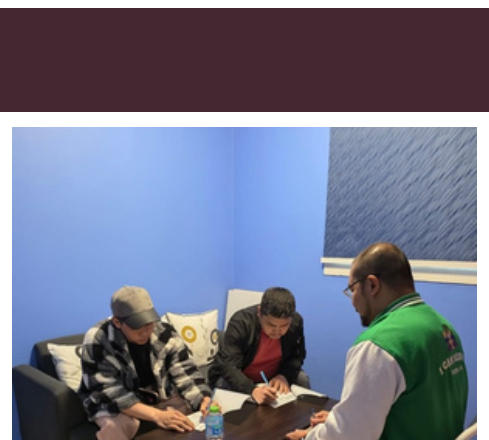
FCC
SHARJAH
ANNIVERSARY



FCC NORTHERN
EMIRATES
WINTER CAMP



SHEPHERD'S PEN



TUESDAY
PRAYER
MEETING

DAWN
WATCH



JANUARY WORSHIP CELEBRATION

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE

167

Friday

243

Saturday

139

Sunday

TOTAL VISITORS FOR THE MONTH: 48

PRAYER MEETING
ATTENDEES:

70

DAWN WATCH
ATTENDEES:

36

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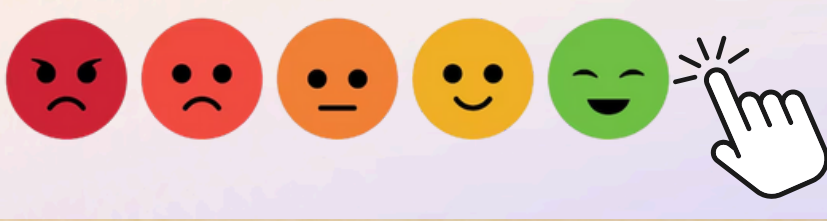
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Your feedback helps us celebrate what's working and prayerfully improve how
we serve God and one another.



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