

Special Missionary Guest

Mary Beth Bagley



Mary Beth was born and raised in southern Africa as a missionary kid (MK). In high school, God ignited a deep passion in her heart to use her experiences to minister to other MKs. After serving on several short-term mission trips and as a teacher to MKs in Central Asia for two and a half years, **Mary Beth's passion for MK care has only** continued to grow as the need has become increasingly apparent. Now, as she steps into a new role as Global Partners MK Wellness Specialist, her greatest desire is to empower MKs to embrace their Kingdom identity.

See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are! –1 John 3:1a NIV

March 10, 2019

Sermon Notes:

Mark 2:1-12

1. A _____ community stands by and _____

2. A _____ community _____ the way

Luke 5:17

Mark 3:1-8

Luke 13:10-17

3. A _____ community _____ others to Jesus

James 2:14-20

Reflection: What is one new thing you believe God spoke to you today as a result of worshipping at FOCUS?

The Word of God directs us as we consider what the *next step* is for our lives. When you consider the three communities represented by the crowd, which do you most identify with? Are you a curious bystander, waiting to see what will happen next? Do you find that you often have a critical attitude and spirit which could be blocking others from experiencing the relentless grace of God? Or do you most identify with the community who carries others to Jesus? How might the Holy Spirit be prompting you to live out your faith this week? Who will you reach out to this week with caring arms?

Challenge: This week I will pray for the following unsaved friend(s) or family members:

Communion at FOCUS

Every Sunday at FOCUS we celebrate the **Lord's Table, also known as Communion.** We have open communion which means all are invited to receive. We receive communion elements by intinction. Tearing off a small piece of the loaf of bread, dipping it in the communion glass of juice, and then consuming it immediately. Please note, upon your request, we also have gluten free elements for those with gluten and other major food allergies.

FOCUS Small Groups

Are you interested in connecting with others throughout the week? We have several Small Groups already meeting and some preparing to start additional groups. Here are the groups already gathering during the week:

~ **Women's Group** - 11 AM Wednesdays - Upbeat Café

~ **Men's Group** - 11 AM Wednesdays - Upbeat Café

~ **Women's Life Group** - Wednesday Evenings 7 PM - **Life Group member's Home, Sadieville, KY**

~ Tentatively starting this week:
Youth Small Group - afterschool at Chick-fil-a, Georgetown, day and time TBD

*For more information about joining or starting a small group please contact Pastor Anton. afolz@focuswesleyan.org or 502-369-2096

FOCUS LBA Meeting

This Tuesday, March 12, 6:30 PM



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Worship God,
Live for Jesus,
Love all People,
and Serve the World.***

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Mission Trip to Uganda, June 2019

There is a team meeting is scheduled for today at 4:30 PM here at FOCUS.

Welcome
GROW SEE YOU