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## FCA COACH OF THE MONTH

Name: Scott Frei School: Thorndale High School Sport(s) Coached: Baseball Years Coaching: 4  
Years as FCA Huddle Coach: 3

### How has your life changed through FCA?

*I would have to say that the greatest change FCA has brought to my life is the restored hope in our youth today. We get so caught up that our students today are so far away from the Lord and that when given a choice it will always be the path away from Jesus Christ. But after seeing my students' participation in FCA, I realize that when given a chance students will follow and stand up for our Savior. It has been a pleasure to help my Huddle members find their way to the Lord.*

### What is your favorite Bible verse, and why?

*Jeremiah 29:11-14 NIV*

*I recently prayed with the quote on my mind. I find it to completely cover what our Lord does in our lives. Our God wants us to succeed, wants us to be happy, wants us to prosper. It tells us that he will never hurt us, never leave us. And most importantly, when we ask for his help with our hearts; he will answer our prayers. Just truly amazing is our God.*

### What is one of your best memories of your FCA experience?

*While I love my one on one time with my students discussing the Lord and all of our Huddle meetings, I would have to say that the greatest moment the Lord has blessed me with so far has to be Fields of Faith 2008! We are a 1A school from small town Thorndale. 100 people there would have blown me away that night. But our God is an amazing God and blessed us with 325 souls (community included) there to worship in His name. The highlight of the night was an amazing Impact Testimony from a young man who survived a car crash a year earlier followed by a Prayer Circle that stretched from the 20 to the 20 on Bulldog Field. It was a great night, and our Huddle still talks about it today.*

### How have you seen God at work through FCA?

*I have seen God at work on this campus in many different ways, and they have all been glorious. However, one truly stands out to me. During a Christmas volunteer project, a young man came into the gym running, completely in a panic. He informed me that his grandmother was having heart failure and in bad shape. A leader and I asked him what he needed. He replied, "I just need to pray." This in itself would have been a great moment. But afterwards the leader that prayed with the young man and I said, "It goes to show what we have done on this campus, Coach. Last year no one would have come up to any of us and asked for us to pray with him or her." That moment has & will stay with me.*

**If you could have dinner with three people, dead or alive, who would you pick? Judas, Bob Dylan, MLK**



Coach Frei (middle back row) with Leadership Team.

## PRAISES

- Year end gifts received!
- For the student leaders of our 80+ huddles
- For the faithful men and women who give of their time, talents and treasures!

## PRAYER REQUESTS

- For new coaches to come forward to sponsor new huddles
- For existing Huddle groups
- Huddles starting a new semester.