

## Ministry Overview



*Excellence in Education*

### **SFBC&TS Vision, Mission, and Values**

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**Vision:** Provide an affordable, quality Christian education under the Christian tenets provided by the Holy Bible.

**Mission:** An inter-denominational institution preparing men and women for ministry to serve Christ and His Church through Biblical thought & Christian life.

**Values:** Teamwork, Respect, Empowerment, Innovation, Integrity, Accountability, Excellence.

### **SFBC&TS Calling and History**

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*“Study to show yourself approved to God, a workman that needs not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the Word of Truth.” II Timothy 2:15*

- 1985** Established by Dr. Joseph Guadagnino to provide an inter-denominational institution of higher learning where men and women could fulfill the call of God upon their lives.
- 2008** Licensed by the Commission for Independent Education, Florida Department of Education.
- 2011** Moved to new location.
- 2013** Granted full accreditation for both undergraduate and graduate programs from ABHE.
- 2016** Inaugurated 2<sup>nd</sup> President of the Institution, Dr. Mary Drabik.
- 2017** Moved to new facility to accommodate growth (50,000 sq. ft. facility)
- 2018** Approved for Doctor of Ministry Degree Program

### **SFBC&TS Ministry Model**

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- As an inter-denominational institution, *we educate the student in the various evangelical doctrines and let the churches indoctrinate.*
- *A key distinction about our program is our commitment to affordable education.* Our students can graduate debt free as they go into ministry. Many students come from at-risk populations and their lives are turned around by dedicated faculty and staff. The majority of our unique body of students come from low-income households and diverse international ethnic backgrounds (e.g. 55% African American, 11% Hispanic, 34% international).
- **Degree Programs:** Bachelor of Arts in Biblical Studies, Christian Counseling, Religious Education, Pastoral Ministry and Christian Business Management. Master of Arts in Biblical Studies, Pastoral Counseling and a Master of Divinity. Doctor of Ministry Degree. Approximately 600 students are enrolled both on campus and through distance learning.

### **SFBC&TS Success Indicators and Expansion Goals**

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#### **Success Indicators:**

- Over 1,000 Alumni placed in ministry or active business.
- Affordable education, with the goal of debt-free graduation being realized by 66% of graduates.
- Fully accredited undergraduate and graduate Programs.
- Innovating; First Documented Academic Partnership with a Rescue Mission.

#### **Expansion Goals:**

Fully equip new Chapel (2019), Center for Global Engagement (2019), Roll out Homeschool Initiative by providing dual enrollment (2018), Provide Institutional Scholarships for students (ongoing), Increase book and periodical acquisitions for Library (ongoing), Strengthen Alumni Association (ongoing).

## SFBC&TS Prayer Strategy



The President and Board of Directors realize that prayer is vital in the success of any ministry. The culture of SFBC&TS is one of prayer, gathering every day for approximately 15 minutes to pray for the community and nation, as well as for our students, faculty and staff of the institution.

## SFBC&TS Board of Directors

## Leadership

Marv Wilson, Chairman of the Board  
 Joseph Roberts, Treasurer  
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 Rev. Dwight Stevens  
 Rev. Josephine Branch  
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## Executive Team

Dr. Mary Drabik, President  
 Rev. Josiah Stephan, M.S. Vice-President

Dr. JodyAnn Reid, Dean of Academics  
 Dr. Esa Autero, Dean of Faculty

We currently have 25 staff members and over 30 faculty members.

## SFBC&TS Funding Plan

## Stewardship

SFBC&TS relies on charitable gifts and tuition revenue. The Board of Directors are tasked to raise 25% of the institution's budget. Please consider this ministry as part of your 2019 giving.

	Last FY Actual	This Year	Next Year
<b>Total Income</b>	1,848,636	2,583,732	3,151,725

## SFBC&TS Impacting the Kingdom of God, One Student at a Time

- SFBC&TS has over 1,000 alumni serving in both Christian and secular capacities locally and around the world.
- Alumni include: Rev. Irving Fryar, former football player for Philadelphia Eagles & Miami Dolphins. Honorary degrees: Gov. Jeb Bush, Lt. Gov. Frank Brogan, Senator Daniel Webster, Attorney Mat Staver, and other prominent leaders.

## SFBC&TS Current Needs

- \$7 Million to purchase current facility
- \$25,000 to fully equip new Chapel
- \$100,000 to Fund Institutional Scholarships

