REGISTRATION

Register online for the Partner Conference at: fmsc.org/2017PartnerConference

ACCOMMODATIONS

Reserve your hotel room as soon as possible. FMSC recommends staying at the conference host hotel, the Doubletree by Hilton Deerfield Beach/Boca Raton.

Doubletree by Hilton Deerfield Beach/Boca Raton 100 Fairway Drive | Deerfield Beach, FL 33441 954.427.7700 | DeerfieldBeachBocaRaton.Doubletree.com

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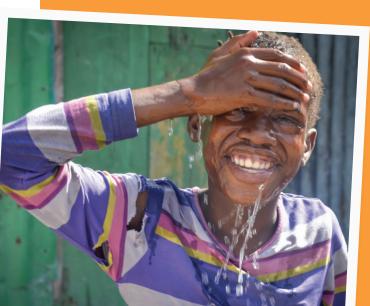
Mention FMSC to receive the group rate of \$179.00. FMSC will subsidize the cost by \$10.00, so individual guests will only be charged a rate of \$169.00 plus tax upon check out. Rooms are available at the discounted rate until **December 27, 2016**. Space is limited, so please make your hotel reservations early!

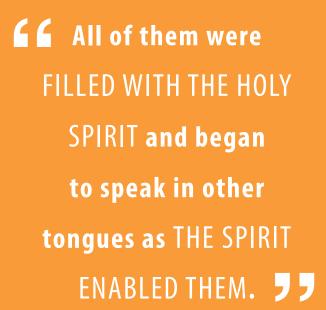
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Acts 2:4



10th Annual
Partner Conference





CONFERENCE HAPPENINGS

Tuesday, January 17

- CROPPS Pre-Conference Meeting to be held prior to conference.
 - *For active CROPPS members and Solution Providers only

Wednesday, January 18

- Registration & Continental Breakfast
- Welcome & FMSC Update
- Conference Vision: "Enabled"
- Doubling Capacity: "Next 250 Million" Meals
- Lunch
- Leaving a Leadership Legacy
- International Programs Update
- Telling Your Stories
- Maintaining Ministry Momentum
- Dinner

Thursday, January 19

- Prayer (optional)
- Continental Breakfast
- Devotion, Time of Worship & Prayer
- Understanding the Sustainable Development Goals
- New Solution Provider Introductions and Panel
- Returning Refreshed
- Giveaway/Drawing (must be present to win)
- Food Allocation Worksheet 2017 Collection

Spanish interpretation is available! Please consider

→ inviting your in-country partners who would like to
utilize this service. Sign up during online registration.

CONFERENCE VISION

We all work tirelessly to find, feed and befriend the hungry and hurting. We envision a world in which the last person in need has been found and cared for; but that seems so far off, maybe even impossible. Then God places that next person, family or village in our path and we are compelled to come alongside of them. This deep sense of compassion strengthens and compels us to take action, and we do. We are committed to continue this work, as long as we are able.

In the book of Acts, Chapter 2, Luke describes the day of Pentecost. The apostles had gathered together, and in one significant moment, they were equipped and enabled by the Holy Spirit. That moment sparked a mission that would forever change the world. We continue that mission of feeding those "Hungry in Body and Spirit."

During Partner Conference 2017, we will deepen our understanding of what it means to be "enabled."

Enabled: (Dictionary.com)

- to make able; to give power, means, competence, or ability to; to authorize
- to make ready; to equip

This fiscal year FMSC will produce 280 million meals. We are working to develop our packing operations to produce an annual output of 500 million meals. To do so, we will be exploring new ways of expanding our collective capacity and extending our global reach. We believe that the "next 250 million" meals is what God has called us to, and we cannot do it without you.

As FMSC pursues the "next 250 million," we come together at *Partner Conference 2017: Enabled* speaking a common language to further the work that lies ahead in a world that is full of challenges. CROPPS Solution Providers will be featured presenters to give you up-to-date information

on their organizations and the practical tools they have to share with you. You will also hear the latest on the Total Delivered Meal Cost (TDMC) project that has great potential to reduce the cost to you, along with other program advances designed to help you reach more.

So come, you are invited to be in the same place, at the same time, in a fellowship to build on the language of compassion that binds us together.

"When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place." — Acts 2:1

Onward,

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Matt Muraski, Vice President of International Programs and Supply Chain



Please use this link as a resource for all Partner Conference details and information: fmsc.org/2017PartnerConference