



Dr. Susan Tasker-Weaver **Class of 1968**

Dr. Susan (Powell) Tasker-Weaver, Class of 1968, received her associate degree in nursing from Allegany College of Maryland in 1977. She later obtained her undergraduate and graduate degrees from the University of Maryland and her doctorate (Ed.D.) in educational leadership from the University of Phoenix. In addition to her nursing education, Dr. Tasker-Weaver also attended Zion Bible Institute in East Providence, RI with a focus on missions. She is the proud mother of two children, Jeff & Denise, also graduates of Fort Hill.

Clinically, Susan has diverse experience as a critical care/emergency/trauma nurse for over 15 years as well as five years in nursing administration at the WMHS. Additionally, Dr. Tasker-Weaver has an advanced practice nursing license in psychiatric-mental health nursing and is board certified as an individual/family nurse psychotherapist. She was Co-Founder/Director and therapist of the outpatient mental health facility Covenant Counseling Ministries, Inc. (CCM) located in Cumberland, MD providing counseling services to thousands of uninsured and under-insured clients in the four-state area since 1993.

Often working two jobs simultaneously, Dr. Susie, as her students refer to her, has been a nurse educator for over 30 years. Prior to becoming the Director of Nursing at Southeastern University in Lakeland, FL, she was employed as Professor of Nursing at Allegany College of Maryland for over 20 years; before going to Frostburg State University as well as serving as adjunct faculty at Liberty University.

She is an outstanding example of what is possible when an individual sets a path and devotes time and effort in advancing their profession while living in the service of others. Additionally, she has always been a proud and loyal supporter of Fort Hill High School and an avid fan of Fort Hill football (Go Big Red!).