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Aug. 26, 2016 -- Carlisle Barracks will host a wide range of community members for the CBMC group's 2nd annual 9/11 community prayer breakfast, featuring a "first responder" to the crisis at the World Trade Center on September 11, 2001.

On Friday, Sep. 9, from 6 and 9 a.m. at the LVCC, the event includes guest speaker David Karnes, at 7 a.m., who will offer an inspirational message about finding meaning in that fateful day and the months that followed. Sponsored by the Christian Business Men's Connection of Carlisle, this event is open to all interested parties, civilian and military. There is a fee. POC to RSVP or to learn more: John Hoberle, at dhoblre@aol.com.



Karnes, now a manager with Deloitte Consulting was a former Marine on 9/11 when he left his Wilton, Conn. office and drove to the site of the World Trade Center to offer his assistance. Of the few survivors to be rescued from the rubble of the site were police officers Will Jimeno and John McLoughlin – located and helped to rescue by Karnes and another Marine, Jason Thomas. Following the incident, Karnes reenlisted in the Marine Corps Reserve and deployed twice to Iraq during the next 17 months, according to Slate News.

Participants in the 9/11 prayer breakfast will join the Army War College/ Carlisle Barracks Patriot Day Ceremony at 8:30 a.m. at the U.S. flag in front of Root Hall, recognizing both first responders and the men and women of military forces around the globe who have responded in one way or another to the events of 9/11.