

The FORECASTER



AT FAIRMOUNT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Impact Edition

An Update from Indonesia



The Armistead Family

We are thrilled to announce ANNA GRADUATED FROM HIGH SCHOOL! Anna has worked VERY hard the last 20 years to get to this point, and God has provided everything we've needed in order for her to be educated in Indonesia. A whole team has worked with Anna, specifically our Indonesian aide, Gadis. I have also recently been able to come alongside Anna in the classroom, as has our American teammate, Kate. Anna's teachers at Mountainview have made many accommodations over the years so that she could succeed! Now that Anna is no longer a student at Mountainview and her friend group is moving on to the four corners of the world, we'll need to create a new community for her.



Graduate Anna

Please pray for us as we renovate a Disability Training Center. It will train Indonesian parents to receive and develop their own children with special needs as well as to share God's special purpose for them, as they are often considered a curse in their culture. This disability ministry will be a big part of Anna's new world. It's what she has a visa to do, so she'll join our team as a motivational speaker. Please pray that this disability ministry will be able to change this worldview to one based in God's love and compassion.

-Brent Armistead



Johnny & Helen Scott visited our missionaries in Indonesia

We were blessed to be able to spend a week in May with Brent, Bonnie, and Anna in Indonesia. Our days were spent getting better acquainted with the ministries they have been a part of over the last 29 years and seeing the vision the Lord has given them for the future. We were excited to join a presentation of their Lay Training that Brent and Johannes (one of his Indonesian partners) gave to leaders of the Indonesian Churches of Christ at their local Bible college. The training includes character building, Bible study, and outreach components, all of which will strengthen the existing churches and provide tools to reach out to the lost. Please pray that God would orchestrate and arrange all the details for this ministry to move forward.

Please also pray for the Disability Ministry the Armisteads are also beginning. Paul says in 2 Corinthians, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness. Therefore, I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me." A concrete example of "power through weakness" is Anna recently receiving a visa as a motivational speaker for disability ministry -- the first time a cognitively disabled person has received a visa from the Indonesian government.

Please let us know if you would like to hear more about our visit. We love to talk about what God is doing and our hope for Indonesia.

-Johnny Scott



Members of the Training

IMPACT Jerusalem - Local

FAIRMOUNT'S JERUSALEM:

our neighbors in Mechanicsville, Richmond, Henrico & Hanover

Team Leader: Connie Davis

IMPACT JERUSALEM INCLUDES:

- Feed His Sheep
- The Fix Ministry
- Young Lives
- Backpack Feeding Program
- Habitat for Humanity
- Pregnancy Resource Center

- Pamunkey Regional Jail Ministry
- Impact Days
- H.E.L.P. (Health Equipment Lending Program)
- Moments of Hope (MOH)
- Caring Hearts and Hands
- Lets Go Services
- MCEF (Manna Sundays)
- Ramp Up for Jesus

Pray specifically for the children served by the Backpack Feeding Program.

IMPACT Judea - Virginia

FAIRMOUNT'S JUDEA:

reaches out from our backyard and encompasses all Virginia.

Team Leader: Joe McHale

IMPACT JUDEA INCLUDES:

- Waypoint Church Partners
- Virginia Vision

- Mountain Mission School
- Camp Rudolph
- CMOV-College Ministries of VA
- Oak Hill Christian Camp

Pray specifically for camp season at Oak Hill Christian Camp and Camp Rudolph.

IMPACT Samaria - USA

FAIRMOUNT'S SAMARIA:

includes the entire USA.

Team Leader: Betsy Raines

IMPACT SAMARIA INCLUDES:

- Good News Productions Int'l (GNPI)
- H.E.A.R.T. Ministries Inc.
- International Justice Mission
- IDES (Int'l Disaster Emergency Svcs.)

- ICOM (Int'l Conference on Missions)
- Central Christian Coll. of the Bible
- Emmanuel Christian Seminary
- Lincoln Christian University
- Milligan University
- Operation Christmas Child (OCC)
- Brenda Webb (Pioneer Bible Translators)

Pray specifically for Brenda Webb as she moves to Dallas with Pioneer Bible Translators.

IMPACT Ends of the Earth - World

FAIRMOUNT'S "ENDS OF THE EARTH":

includes our foreign mission partners from around the world.

Team Leader: Chuck Rogers

IMPACT WORLD INCLUDES:

- Haiti - Avenel Clersaint & Luc Aristhene (H.E.A.R.T. Ministries)
- Haiti - Leon Dorleans & Frandy Dareus (HOM)
- India - Drs. David & Sunisha Henry (H.E.A.R.T. Ministries)
- Indonesia - Brent & Bonnie Armistead (H.E.A.R.T. Ministries)

- Kenya - Disciple Makers
- Niños de México
- New Zealand - Michael & Rosalind Trusty (Team Expansion)
- Polish Christian Ministries
- Venezuela - John & Zandra Dye (Team Expansion)

Pray specifically for the June Mission trip to Poland.

EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS



We had 39 walkers representing Fairmount at this spring's Pregnancy Resource Center of Richmond Walk for Life. Our team collected \$16,755, our largest Walk for Life collection ever. Thanks to our church family and friends for their support.



The PRC offers alternatives to abortion, which affirm the lives of women, men, and their pre-born babies. Last year, at the PRC of Metro Richmond, 124 women made decisions to carry to term and parent their child. The PRC program assists both mothers and fathers in preparation for parenting - emotionally, spiritually and materially - through support groups, parenting classes, and Bible study.



On Sunday, May 21, we were excited to pray over Brenda Webb during the 9:00 worship service. Brenda will be moving to Dallas, Texas to begin work in full-time ministry with Pioneer Bible Translators. After further training in Dallas, Brenda will eventually move to her ministry location of Louisville, Kentucky. In Louisville, Brenda will be working with one of Pioneer's Diaspora Teams (the Kinyamulenge Translation Team) in the role of a Scripture Impact Specialist & Trauma Healing Facilitator. This team works with the local Banyamulenge congregation and those in the surrounding areas. Fairmount's IMPACT Team was excited to approve Brenda as an IMPACT Ministry Partner earlier in May. We look forward to seeing how God uses Brenda in this ministry with Pioneer Bible Translators.



Fairmount's recent Impact Days gave us the opportunity to serve several families in our community. Projects included repairing ramps and handrails, staining decks, fixing drainage issues, moving assistance, yard work, and more. Our next Impact Day will be on October 14th. Watch for ways you can be involved.



Oak Hill Christian Camp is excited to welcome campers of all ages for the summer season! Many camp weeks

are already full. Oak Hill is thankful for everyone who has worked to make the camp a beautiful and fun place to fellowship and learn about the love of Christ. Some of our middle and high schoolers (pictured above) set up the popular 9-Square game and cleaned up several spaces to prepare for camp's opening.

Fairmount collects non-perishable food items on the first Sunday of each month. In May, our Manna Sunday collection totaled **2,203 pounds**. The pantry is currently in need of crackers, canned meats and tuna, and canned pasta. Thank you for your support!





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June

- 3 Faith Build
- 11 Graduate Sunday
- 18 Father's Day
- 25-29 Vacation Bible School

July

- 3 Blood Drive
- 9 Family Movie Night
- 19 Congregational Meeting & Fellowship Dinner

August

- 2 Children's Ministry Volunteer Dinner
- 20 Promotion Sunday
- 27 Local Christian Church Send-Off and Fairmount's 120th Birthday Celebration

Be sure to check with your Bible Study & Life Group leaders to see if you will be meeting!

SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE

8:00am	Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary	10:15am*	Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary Adult & Children's Bible School Classes
9:00am*	Contemporary Worship in the Worship Center Adult Bible School Classes Children's Worship	11:15am*	Modern Worship in the Worship Center Children's Worship
10:00am	6-12th Grade FCYM community		

*Worship service live-streamed at fairmountcc.org