

# The FORECASTER

AT FAIRMOUNT CHRISTIAN CHURCH



Ten Fairmounters ventured off last week to central Indiana and the annual “Lead Well” conference put on by our good friends at E2. This year’s theme was “Grow Younger”. Everyone reading this newsletter knows that if a church does not attract the next generation, then that church will eventually die. Sadly, it happens across America every single day. Thankfully, Fairmount’s elders and staff recognize the importance of ministering to all ages – men, women, boys, and girls. As we like to say around here: from the cradle to the grave.

Three excellent speakers walked the group through a number of topics that challenged all in attendance to reach the next generation of young people with Christ and then activate those young people for service. The topics addressed included: leaving a legacy, metrics for measuring ministry, the impact of technology, and building a Timothy culture.

Every Fairmounter in attendance was encouraged to look at all ministry in the church as an opportunity to reach more people with the hope that only Jesus offers. As study after study shows, we are much more likely to reach people with faith when they are young than to wait till adulthood. The field is ripe for harvest.

Thank you for your prayers – thank you for loving ALL people – and thank you for doing all you are doing to “bring the children (and teens and young adults)” to Jesus.





## FAIRMOUNT SWAG STORE

### Opening in April!

Watch for details on  
how to order.





# Easter at Fairmount

## Preschool Party with My Peeps | Saturday, March 23rd at 10am

Join us for an Easter Celebration just for Preschoolers and their parents! We will create, sing, eat snacks, and learn what Easter is *really* all about! Invite some “peeps” and enjoy the fun! Sign up at [fccsignups.info/preschool party](http://fccsignups.info/preschool-party)

## Children’s Ministry Road to Resurrection | Sunday, March 24th

Fairmount kids are invited on this journey to learn more about Jesus’ life, death, and resurrection!  
Preschool: 10:15am (during their Bible School hour) Elementary: 10:15am-12:15pm (Plan to come to both hours)

## Worship Choir Musical | Sunday, March 24th at 6pm in the Sanctuary

The Worship Choir will present their Easter musical, “Amazing Grace, My Chains Are Gone,” based on our faith’s most cherished hymn and its modern day adaptation.

## Good Friday Service | Friday, March 29th at 7pm in the Sanctuary

Join us for a special service commemorating Jesus’ death. Hosted by the Bill Farmer Class.

## Easter | Sunday, March 31st

Sunrise: 6:30am | Traditional: 8am | Contemporary: 9am | Traditional: 10:15am | Modern: 11:15am

## Living Cross | Sunday, March 31st

Bring fresh flowers on Easter morning to decorate the Living Crosses at the main entrance and the worship center entrance.

## Home Equipment Loan Program

Did you know Fairmount has many types of medical equipment for loan?

**Let the HELP Ministry help you!**

Wheelchairs - Knee scooters - Bath chairs - Toilet chairs - Crutches - Bath wall grips - Rollators - Walkers  
Canes - Orthopedic ankle boots, tall and short - And more!

Call the church office at **804-559-8070** if you need to borrow any of these items.  
Donated equipment no larger than a wheelchair is also appreciated.



### FEBRUARY OFFERING

	Actual	Budget
<b>General Fund</b>	\$187,152	\$202,625
<b>Onward</b>	\$27,786	\$18,302

### FEBRUARY ATTENDANCE

<b>In Person Average</b>	998
<b>Online Average</b>	385
<b>Total Worship Average</b>	<b>1,383</b>
<b>Bible School Average</b>	445





## Ladies Salad Supper Monday, April 15th at 6:30pm

Join us for a wonderful evening of food and fellowship. Our guest speaker, Renae Carter, will share a special message. Invite a friend! Please bring any type of salad to share. Serving utensils will be provided.

Register at [fccsignups.info/ladies-salad](http://fccsignups.info/ladies-salad)

Hosted by Fairmount's Morning Friendship Circle



# IMPACT DAY

Saturday, April 13th

Serve those in our church family or help with projects in the community.

Sign Up to Volunteer or Submit a Project at [fccsignups.info/ImpactDay](http://fccsignups.info/ImpactDay).

Questions or need info? Email [impactday@fairmountcc.org](mailto:impactday@fairmountcc.org)

# ROCKIN' REFIT

Rockin' REFIT is a FREE dance-exercise class for our bodies, minds, and spirits! Enjoy a fun workout to modern Christian music followed by a time of devotion. The class meets every Monday at 7pm in the Fairmount Family Life Center. All ages and abilities are welcome. Please join us!



Thanks to your generous donations, this year's Baby Bottle Campaign raised **\$20,851** for the Pregnancy Resource Center of Richmond!

# April 2024



**FAIRMOUNT**  
CHRISTIAN CHURCH

<b>Mon, Apr 1</b>	9-12pm 7pm	Caring Hearts & Hands, 132 Rockin Refit, Gym
<b>Tues, Apr 2</b>	10am 1:15-2:15pm 7-8:30pm 7-8:30pm	Morning Friendship Circle, Sanctuary Forever Young Choir ONE17 (Young Adults), Activity Center Fresh Hope, Music Suite
<b>Wed, Apr 3</b>	6:30-8pm	Worship Choir, Music Suite
<b>Sun, Apr 7</b>	8am-12:30pm 2-4pm 4:30-5:30pm 4:30-5:45pm	<b>MANNA SUNDAY</b> Sunday Services & Bible School GriefShare, Music Suite Orchestra, Sanctuary 456 D Groups, Exit 34A
<b>Mon, Apr 8</b>	9-12pm 7pm	Caring Hearts & Hands Rockin Refit, Gym
<b>Tues, Apr 9</b>	6:30-8pm 6-8pm 7-8pm	ONE17 (Young Adults), Activity Center <b>Men's Night at Oak Hill Camp</b> Fresh Hope, Music Suite
<b>Wed, Apr 10</b>	10-11 am 6:30-7:30pm 6:30-8pm	Adult Bible Study, 132 Lies Girls Believe Study, 152 Worship Choir, Music Suite
<b>Sun, Apr 14</b>	8am-12:30pm 10-11 am 12:30-1:30pm 4:30-5:30pm 4:30-5:30pm 6-7:30pm 5:30-8pm	<b>SCRIP TABLE OPEN</b> Sunday Services & Bible School Shares Store. Room 250 Jedediah's Porch, Library GriefShare, Music Suite Orchestra, Sanctuary Cancer Support Group, Library FCYM Alive Bowling, Meet in the Gym
<b>Mon, Apr 15</b>	9-12pm 6:30pm	Caring Hearts & Hands, 132 <b>Ladies Salad Supper, Gym</b>

<b>Tues, Apr 16</b>	10am-1pm 1:15-2:15pm 7-8:30pm 7-8pm 7-8:30pm	Forever Young, Sanctuary Forever Young Choir, Music Suite Christ in Culture, 132 ONE17 (Young Adults), Activity Center Fresh Hope, Music Suite
<b>Wed, Apr 17</b>	10-11 am 6:30-7:30pm 6:30-8pm	Adult Bible Study, 132 Lies Girls Believe Study, 152 Worship Choir, Sanctuary
<b>Sun, Apr 21</b>	8am-12:30pm 12:30-2:30pm 2-4pm 4:30-5:30pm 4:30-5:45pm 6-7pm 6-7:30pm	Sunday Services & Bible School JC Crew, 150 GriefShare, Music Suite Orchestra, Sanctuary 456 D Groups, Exit 34A <b>Vespers Service, Sanctuary</b> FCYM Alive, Gym
<b>Mon, Apr 22</b>	9-12pm 7pm 6:30pm	Caring Hearts & Hands, 132 Rockin Refit, Gym Elder's Meeting, 132
<b>Tues, Apr 23</b>	7-8pm 7-8:30pm	ONE17 (Young Adults), Activity Center Fresh Hope, Music Suite
<b>Wed, Apr 24</b>	10-11 am 6:30-8pm	Adult Bible Study, 132 Worship Choir, Music Suite
<b>Fri, Apr 26</b>	8am-12pm	MOH Saturday Serving Prep
<b>Sat, Apr 27</b>	8am-1pm	<b>MOH Saturday Serving</b>
<b>Sun, Apr 28</b>	8am-12:30pm 12:30-1:30pm 4:30-5:30pm 6-7:30pm	Sunday Services & Bible School Jedediah's Porch, Library Orchestra, Sanctuary FCYM Alive, Gym
<b>Mon, Apr 29</b>	9-12pm 7pm	Caring Hearts & Hands, 132 Rockin Refit, Gym
<b>Tues, Apr 30</b>	6:30-8pm 7-8pm	ONE17 (Young Adults), Activity Center Fresh Hope, Music Suite

## DAILY BIBLE READINGS

<b>Mon, Apr 1</b>	Come and See	John 1:37-42
<b>Tue, Apr 2</b>	Heal Me and Save Me	Jeremiah 17:12-17
<b>Wed, Apr 3</b>	Jesus Provides Living Water	John 4:4-18
<b>Thu, Apr 4</b>	Worship God in Spirit and Truth	John 4:19-29, 39-42
<b>Fri, Apr 5</b>	Tell What God Has Done	Psalms 66:1-5, 13-20
<b>Sat, Apr 6</b>	Here Am I; Send Me	Isaiah 6:1-8
<b>Sun, Apr 7</b>	Jesus Heals and Forgives	Luke 5:17-26
<b>Mon, Apr 8</b>	Accept What God Has Made Clean	Acts 10:1-15
<b>Tue, Apr 9</b>	God's Servant Enlightens the Nations	Isaiah 42:1-12
<b>Wed, Apr 10</b>	God is Praised Among the Nations	Malachi 1:10-14
<b>Thu, Apr 11</b>	Christ Is All and in All	Colossians 3:1-11
<b>Fri, Apr 12</b>	Nations Shall Seek the Lord	Zechariah 8:18-23
<b>Sat, Apr 13</b>	All Shall See God's Salvation	Luke 3:1-14
<b>Sun, Apr 14</b>	Jesus Helps a Righteous Gentile	Luke 7:1-10
<b>Mon, Apr 15</b>	Jesus' Compassion for the Grieving	Luke 7:11-18
<b>Tue, Apr 16</b>	Sing Praises to God's Name	Psalms 92
<b>Wed, Apr 17</b>	Confession, Prayer, and Healing	James 5:12-20
<b>Thu, Apr 18</b>	God Pardons Iniquity & Transgression	Micah 7:7-20
<b>Fri, Apr 19</b>	God is Good and Forgiving	Psalms 86:1-7, 11-17
<b>Sat, Apr 20</b>	No Condemnation in Christ	Romans 8: 1-16
<b>Sun, Apr 21</b>	Jesus Forgives a Sinful Woman	Luke 7:36-50
<b>Mon, Apr 22</b>	God Provides for a Gentile Woman	1 Kings 17:8-16
<b>Tue, Apr 23</b>	God's Authority over Life and Death	1 Kings 17:17-24
<b>Wed, Apr 24</b>	God Blesses Whomever God Wills	Luke 4:24-30
<b>Thu, Apr 25</b>	Hear My Cry, O God	Psalms 61
<b>Fri, Apr 26</b>	May God Grant Your Heart's Desire	Psalms 20
<b>Sat, Apr 27</b>	God Gives Grace to the Humble	James 4:1-10
<b>Sun, Apr 28</b>	A Woman of Great Faith	Matthew 15:21-28
<b>Mon, Apr 29</b>	Vindicate Me, O Lord My God	Psalms 35:1-7, 22-28
<b>Tue, Apr 30</b>	Blessed Are They Who Fear God	Psalms 112

## ADULT BIBLE STUDIES

### SUNDAYS

- ⇒ Adults: Roland Greene (804)746-0251 - 6pm, Room 130
- ⇒ Adults: Barry Will & Karen Smith-Will (804)916-9687 - 6pm, Room 123

### TUESDAYS

- ⇒ Christ in Culture (3rd Tuesdays) - Felix Cross (804)363-8529 - 6:30-8pm, Room 132
- ⇒ Young Adult Group: One17 - Bill Nicol bnicol@fairmountcc.org - 7pm, Activity Center

### WEDNESDAYS

- ⇒ Adults: Rick Raines (804)559-8070 - 10am, Room 132

### THURSDAYS

- ⇒ Men: Rick Raines (804)559-8070 - 6am, Room 132
- ⇒ Men: Pointmen - Kevin Bartlett (804)932-3346 - 7pm, Music Suite
- ⇒ Women: Fearless - Angie Shay (804) 339-4777 - Time & Location Varies

### FRIDAYS

- ⇒ Men: Harry Gill (804)402-6107 - 6am - Cold Harbor Restaurant

*Be sure to check with your group leaders regarding any changes or cancellations.*

## LIFE GROUPS

- ⇒ Life Groups - Seth Wortman - swortman@fairmountcc.org

## SUPPORT GROUPS

- ⇒ Fresh Hope Mental Health Support Group: Tuesdays - 7-8:30pm in the Music Suite - freshhope@fairmountcc.org
- ⇒ Griefshare for Loss of Loved Ones: Charlie Udriet - (804) 291-6873
- ⇒ Cancer Support Group: Pepa Acors - pepaacors06@yahoo.com
- ⇒ Jedediah's Porch for Active & Retired Uniformed Service: Joshua Barrett - joshua.l.barrett@gmail.com
- ⇒ Deaf Ministry Sign Language Classes: Christy Conquy - 4christyconquy@gmail.com





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The  
**MIRACLE  
 MAKER**

Join us for "The Miracle Maker", a new sermon series beginning April 7th highlighting miracles from Jesus' ministry.

**Men's Camp Night**  
 Tuesday, April 9th - 6-8pm  
 Oak Hill Christian Camp  
 8451 Oak Hill Camp Rd, Mechanicsville

Fellowship: 6:00  
 Food: 6:30  
 Faith: 7:00

Fellas, this is an opportunity you don't want to miss!  
 Sign up at [fccsignups.info/menscamp](http://fccsignups.info/menscamp) or call the church office at **804.559.8070**

## SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE

8:00am Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary

9:00am\* Contemporary Worship in the Worship Center  
 Adult Bible School Classes  
 Children's Worship

10:00am 6-12th Grade FCYM Ignite

10:15am\* Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary  
 Adult & Children's Bible School Classes

11:15am\* Modern Worship in the Worship Center  
 Children's Worship

\*Worship service live-streamed at [fairmountcc.org](http://fairmountcc.org)