

Serve

Loaves and Fishes: We will be serving the evening meal at Loaves and Fishes Wed, May 29. The menu- Breakfast for Dinner! Please sign up in the Narthex or on the app to bring food, to set up, serve food, and clean up. *We especially need a committed clean up crew to come at 5 PM to help us finish strong! Would your family like to volunteer? Or your small group? Invite your neighbors or friend group to volunteer with you!*

Moving Furniture and Packing Books: On Saturday, June 15 at 2 PM we will meet to move pews and office furniture into the narthex to prepare the spaces for the flooring installers. If you'd like to help but are not interested in moving large furniture, do not despair! We'll also need your contribution to pack books for temporary storage.

Build Community

Worship on the Lawn June 16 & 23: While the sanctuary and narthex are getting a refresh we'll worship outside on the lawn! if it is too hot or rainy we will worship in the Fellowship and Activity Center (the gym). These will be "old school" Sundays- we'll use bulletins and hymnals exclusively. We will still stream our worship online- it will be a stream we've recorded earlier in the week. We'll all get the same scripture, sermon, music and prayers, just in different formats. Nursery will still be in the nursery. Children's Church will be in a downstairs classroom or near/ on the playground, depending on weather. Bring your favorite lawn chair and spirit of fun!

Neighborhood Outdoor Movie: Stick around after Camp Fairview Kick-Off Night (May 31) for our third annual neighborhood outdoor movie to welcome summer! Bring drinks, a lawn chair, and blankets as we watch the original Parent Trap on the lawn. Popcorn Provided! Movie will begin at 8:15 PM.

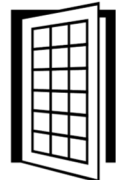
Camp Fairview Kick-Off Night! During Camp Fairview Kick-Off we'll be focusing on the Bible. We'll enjoy dinner together, sing together, learn, play and connect! We'll also get a preview of our summer together and the other events we'll enjoy on June 15, July 12, Aug 2, Aug 3, and Aug 4! For more information check out our website! Please register by May 17. frontyardchurch.org/camp-Fairview.

REGISTER HERE

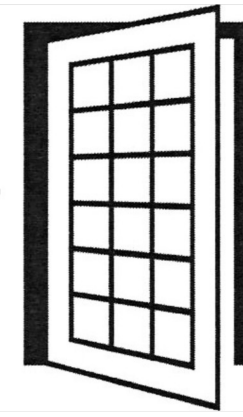


Learn

Unpacking General Conference: Every four years the only body that can speak for the United Methodist Church meets. That body is our General Conference. General Conference just concluded on May 3. Our church building will be the site for an informational session lead by some of our Missouri delegates to General Conference. It'll be in our sanctuary on Thursday, May 16th from 6-7:30 PM. Please come with any questions you have for our delegates.



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Our Mission: to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world
Our Vision: to be a neighborhood church where YOU make a difference
Core Values: We are faithful, relational, inclusive, genuine, and service-oriented



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Seventh Sunday of Easter | May 12, 2024 | 10 AM

Gathering Music Judy Shaw, Director of Music

Greeting Rev. Nancy Martin, Pastor

*Hymn All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name UMH 154 v. 1,3,4

*Call to Worship Sam Gartman, Liturgist
Jesus prayed for his disciples, giving them into God's eternal care.
Jesus prays for us, giving us into God's care.
Know that you have been blessed with the love of the Savior.
We live in that love and seek to serve God.
Open your hearts and minds now to hear God's word.
May our lives be open to God's Spirit and reflect God's love. AMEN.

Opening Prayer Sam Gartman

Special Music A Simple Song by Bernstein

Joys and Concerns; Prayers of the People Rev. Nancy Martin

The Lord's Prayer
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Children's Moment Rev. Nancy Martin
Children are welcome to come to the front to hear about the scripture we're focusing on today. Adults may accompany their child(ren). Children can also stay in their seats.

Hymn Thine be the Glory UMH 308

Scripture John 17:20-26 Sam Gartman
 'I ask not only on behalf of these, but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, that they may all be one. As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. The glory that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, I in them and you in me, that they may become completely one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me. Father, I desire that those also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory, which you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world. 'Righteous Father, the world does not know you, but I know you; and these know that you have sent me. I made your name known to them, and I will make it known, so that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them.'
 The word of God for the people of God. **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon Rev. Nancy Martin

Call to Confession Rev. Nancy Martin

Prayer of Confession
Lord, we are impatient! We want everything right now, instantly! We don't want to wait for anything. We rush our holidays, our celebrations, our very lives and then wonder why our spirits are exhausted and depressed. Slow us down, Lord. Help us to enjoy the process of waiting for the wondrous things you offer us. Let us feel the power and beauty of praising you and singing your praises. Clear away our "high gear" mentality and place us on paths of peace and hope. Forgive our arrogance and impatience. Stir us up to go and serve God joyfully in this world. Inspire us and give us delight for what is to come. AMEN.

Words of Forgiveness Rev. Nancy Martin

Generosity Moment Rev. Nancy Martin

*Doxology UMH 94

*Offertory Prayer Sam Gartman

*Closing Hymn He Lives UMH 310

*Benediction Rev. Nancy Martin

Postlude Judy Shaw

The asterisk (*) indicates when to stand in body or spirit;
 UMH stands for the United Methodist Hymnal; TFWS stands for The Faith We Sing
 Nursery Care is available starting at 9:45 AM for children three years old and under. Children's Church happens during our service for those in fifth grade and under. During this time kids will learn more about the scripture we are focusing on in the worship service. Adults will pick up their children after worship from the children's church room (at the end of the Children's Corridor).

All volunteers who work with children and youth have passed a background check, have been Safe Gatherings trained, and uphold our Safe Sanctuary policies and procedures. All children are welcome in all aspects of our worship. Feel free to keep your children with you or utilize nursery care or Children's Church.

We have an offering plate in the back of the sanctuary as you exit the double doors. To give online, please scan this code using your smart phone's camera:



Ways to Participate in the Life of our Church:

Small Groups

Sunday Bible Study: Join us for Bible study Sundays at 9:00 AM in the Pastor's Study. Next Sunday we'll discuss Matthew 26:27-30; Mark 14: 23-25; Luke 22:20 (Jesus offers the cup).

Book Study Group: Join us next Sunday (no meeting today) at 11:15 in the church office/library as we explore the book The Road Back to You . Meetings are hybrid—in-person and on Zoom. Meeting ID: 872 2387 8090 Passcode: Breakfast.

Moms Group: Join us as we discuss the book Woven: Nurturing a Faith Your Kid Doesn't Have to Heal From by Meredith Miller. Our next meeting is Sunday, May 26 at 7 PM in the Narthex. We'll discuss chapter 9.

JOY Group: Joy Group meets Tuesdays nights in the church office at 6:30 PM. Join us for our Spring study Wrestling With Doubt, Finding Faith by Adam Hamilton. This will be a six week study running from April 16-May 21.

Fairview Choir: Our choir practices Wednesday evenings at 7 PM in the sanctuary. All levels of musical ability welcomed and encouraged. You are invited to come and sing!

UWF: We seek to connect and nurture women through Christian spiritual formation, leadership development, creative fellowship and education so that they can inspire, influence and impact local and global communities. At our meetings on Second Thursdays of the month we have a program, short meeting and refreshments. All women are invited!

Ministry Teams

Care Team Wants You! The Fairview Care Team's mission is to ensure Fairview Folks feel seen and cared for. If you are someone who wants to show care through keeping in contact with fellow Fairview Folks by making contact through cards, texts, or emails to acknowledge birthdays, special accomplishments, get well wishes, etc, please contact either Pastor Nancy or Janice Zelasko janicezelasko@gmail.com