



**FAIRMONT
EVANGELICAL
COVENANT CHURCH
MISSION
STATEMENT**

We, the Fairmont
Evangelical Covenant Church,
are a Praying, Bible-Based
God-Fearing,
Christ-Centered, Spirit-Alive
Congregation.

We love the Lord Jesus Christ
and desire to serve Him,
one another,
our community,
and the world.

In obedience to His Word,
we seek to fulfill
our calling, each sharing our
spiritual gifts.

We have been called and
commissioned
by faith in Christ to
minister to and pray
for all to know the Lord.

To that end may
God, our Father,
be given all the glory!

Church Phone

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Church E-Mail

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Church Website

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Church Address

901 Woodland Ave.

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Church Office Hours

Mon. 9-1

Tues. 9-3

Wed. 9-3

Thurs. 9-3

Office will be closed for the
lunch hour

11:45 am to 12:45 pm

Fairmont Evangelical Covenant Church

Welcome To Our Worship & Praise Service Sunday, April 30th 2017

Opening Song

"Open the Eyes of My Heart"

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Praise Song

"Enough"

Offering

Praise Songs

"God of Wonders"
"Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

Kids Message

Morning Message

"B.L.E.S.S.—Begin with Prayer"
Pastor Dan Wheeler
Luke 6:12-16

Prayer Time

Concerns of the Body
Prayers for our Mission

Closing Song

"You Are Holy"

Benediction

Sermon Notes

THIS WEEK IN OUR CHURCH

Today, Sunday, April 30

9:00 am Worship
10:30 am Sunday School for all ages
12:00 pm Church on Channel 12
5:30 pm Confirmation Class
6:30 pm Youth meets

Sunday
School
Offering
goes to;
Light
Ministry

Monday, May 1

5:00 pm Teen Community Bible Study
7:00 pm Meyer Bible Study

Tuesday, May 2

5:15 pm Banners
6:30 pm Elders

Wednesday, May 3

9:30 am Staff Meeting
6:15 pm Prayer Time
6:30 pm Small group @ Wallace's
5:00 pm Jen's Music Team Practice
7:15 pm Dan's Music Team Practice

Thursday, May 4

9:30 am Evergreen's meet at HyVee
7:00 pm Prison Ministry
8:00 pm Abuse Survivor Group Meets

Friday, May 5

11:00 am Women's Event

Saturday, May 6

Next Sunday, May 7

9:00 am Worship
10:30 am Sunday School for all ages
12:00 pm Church on Channel 12
4:00 pm Pray for the City
5:30 pm Confirmation Class

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

Our Community

Trimont Evangelical Covenant Church
Prison Ministry
St. John's United Church of Christ

Serving Our World

Francisco & Stephanie Ramos (France)
Daron & Kristen Jagodzinske
(Kitsap County, WA)
Jeff & Angie Martin (UPBC Mission's)
Jim & Gloria Senenfelder Mourning
Glory's Ministry
Rachel Hart—Linwood Covenant Church

Say Special Prayers for those

Serving Our Country

Parker Hahn
(Bob & Kathy Lake's son-law)
Nathan Lake (Bob & Kathy Lake's son)
David Hoppe
(Roger & Gretchen Hoppe's grandson)
Mark Knobel (Jan Olson's grandson)
Sgt. Andrea Fillingane
(Irene Ziemer's niece)

Prayer Requests

Many, many prayers have been answered through our prayer chain. We care and are waiting to help you! Please call church office at 235-6407 to get prayer chain started. On the weekend please call pastor Dan at home 399-2134.

On-line giving to the church is now available on our church website fairmontcovenant.com.

Or by scanning on the QR Code.



Happy Birthday

Lori Twitchell	May 1
David Anderson	May 3
Cindy Bankson	May 5

Happy Anniversary

Curt & Jeanette Howard	April 20
Lyle & Katie Rippentrop	April 24
Bill & Cindy Wallace	April 26
Craig & Jenni Diegnau	May 12
Stu & Lori Smart	May 25
Erv & Sharon Dorow	May 27

GIVING REPORT

General Budget 2017	
Weekly Need	\$4190.16
Received April 23rd	\$2440.00

"Pray for the City"



Prayer Walk

On May 7th at 4 p.m. we will meet at the church to begin our Prayer Walk through the streets and neighborhoods of Fairmont. We will do it like last year and either drive or walk, so people of all ages can participate. If it is nice, you may even ride bikes. Afterwards, we will gather for a soup supper. Plan to join us for this traditional event for our church!



Are you an Amazon.com shopper? If you are, you can designate a portion of every purchase you make to our church. Go to smile.amazon.com from your web browser and select Fairmont Evangelical Covenant Church as your charitable organization to receive donations from eligible purchases. A portion of every purchase you make after that will come to the church.

Housing for Intern Needed



Erin Hinkle is employed at Devenish Nutrition and the company is bringing in an intern for the summer who is looking for a place to live. She is a Senior at Kansas State University, so she would be a good tenant. She would prefer something furnished and is willing to pay rent and utilities. She would need a place from May 22nd—August 18th. Please call Erin at 507-848-4396.



The Evergreen Group will meet for coffee at HyVee, Thursday, May 4th at 9:30 am. All are welcome to join them.

Kinship Industrial Commercial Rummage Sale Auction

Rummage Sale - **Thursday & Friday, May 4 & 5** from 8:30 am-6:30 pm
Dutch Auction (prices reduced every ½ hour)
Saturday, May 6 starting at 9 am
in the Industrial/Bank MidWest building at the Martin County Fairgrounds

Coffee....Coffee...Coffee

..."Aren't we all enjoying the coffee on Sunday mornings? Thanks to Joel for being at church bright and early to get that ready. Just a reminder that the money you place in the jar pays for the coffee and cream available each Sunday morning. You also should have received a letter about our Summer Coffee times. To help support that time of food and fellowship, we are asking if any of you would be willing to sponsor a Sunday morning during the summer. As a sponsor, your donation of \$20 would help cover the cost of coffee, cream, and disposable cups/plates/napkins for that morning. Please talk to Jenni if interested." Summer Coffees begin May 21st.



Operation Christmas Child

April Needs; Boy and Girl Main Gift Items, Sewing Kits, Dolls, Purses, Jewelry, Trucks, Tractors, Tools, Colored Duct Tape.



Pillow Cleaning

THURSDAY, May 4th
7:30 am-3:30 pm
Covenant Church
Sponsored by CREST



Funeral service for G.L. Shriver will be held Saturday, May 13th at 2:00 pm at the Fmt Covenant Church. Fellowship time following the service.

Building Ministry Report for March

Our Goal	\$ 5,772.00
Gifts Received	\$2846.37
Loan Balance	\$140,198.00

March was not a great month but it was better than March 2016. Last year April was a great month so let's pray that April is great again. With spring here maybe sunshine brings out the giving spirit.
