



“Pray”

Prayer is the ultimate step to being Unleashed in the world today. Though prayer is imbedded in practically all of Fairmount’s sermon series, as ICOM is on our doorstep, we want to be deeply involved in lifting up our hands and hearts to the God of this universe. Following up on our “Heart Transplant” series, for three weeks we will delve into the very issues that were at the heart of Jesus’ prayers. No one loved the world more than He did, so we can learn much about what it means to be Unleashed in the world through praying like Jesus prayed. ■

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Countdown to ICOM - October 29th-31st It's not too late to volunteer. Register to attend!

If you were unable to sign up at the registration tables to help at ICOM, please contact Chris Santasiere to see where help is still needed (csantasiere@fairmountchristian.org, 559-8070). To help in the children's program, contact Ashley Sears (asears@fairmountchristian.org).

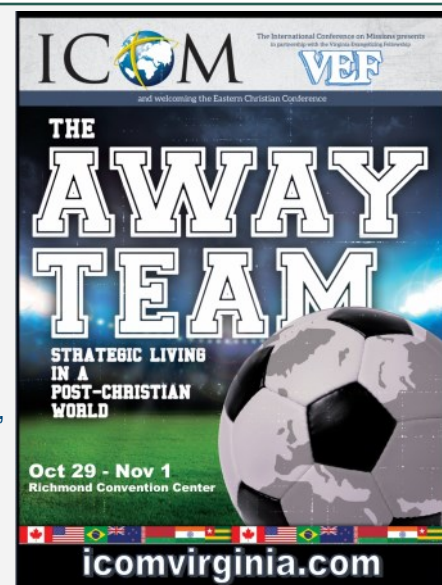
Fairmount has paid for our entire church family to attend ICOM. Printed registrations are available from the Church office or the Welcome Center. Or, to register online:

1. Visit <http://theicom.org/register/>, choose "Individual Registration" then "Register Now."
2. Choose the "Code" option and enter 2015ICOM in the box. Click Next.
3. Enter your name, address, phone, email, special needs and the names of any other family members attending as well as the name of an emergency contact. Click Next.
4. Some special events at ICOM require an additional fee which you would be responsible for paying. Choose any you prefer or none at all and click Next.
5. You'll see a summary of your registration. If all is well, click Register.
6. If you didn't add any extra options, you're all done! Print the confirmation page for your reference if you'd like. A copy will also be emailed to the address you provided.

If you did choose extra options, you will be asked for a credit card number and receive your confirmation page once payment is processed. You are now done as well!

Once you arrive at the Convention Center, you will simply go to the "Preregistered" line to pick up your name badges and other information. You may also register onsite in the "Church/College Registration" line, where you'll fill out a brief form and get your badge.

In addition, the IMPACT Team will pay the cost for every Middle or High School student who wants to attend SICOM, the student convention at ICOM. To register for SICOM or to help in this area, please contact Mike Campbell directly (mcampbell@fairmountchristian.org).



Mission to Virginia Volunteer Signups Continue

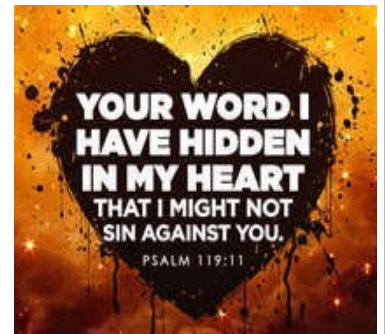
Mission to Virginia is a day set aside where men, women, boys and girls of all ages come together to serve God by serving those in our community. Sign up at the table in the front foyer on Sunday to help demonstrate the love of Christ to our neighbors through service projects. This is a great whole-family opportunity!

We also need your help in identifying potential projects. If you have a neighbor who needs yardwork help, small household repairs, etc., please contact Bobby Carter no later than October 17th (robc1960@comcast.net or 382-3409). Projects should be accomplishable within 4 to 5 hours and could consist of: yard work, small paint jobs, minor home repairs, or tell us what the need is and we will see what we can do. The number of projects we're able to accept will depend on the number of folks that volunteer to help out.

Remember, the best way to receive a blessing is to be one!

Teen & Adult Bible Memory Station Trial

The Women's Ministry team will be beta testing a concept for a teen and adult memory station similar to the one that our elementary children currently enjoy. The point of the Memory Station is to encourage Scripture memorization and help you track your learning. Starting October 18th at 9am, all 6th grade students through adults are invited to come to the Memory Station table in the library and quote your verses. Volunteers will track your progress and the progress of the church as a whole. If there is enough interest in the memory station at the testing stage, we hope to go "live" with this program in early 2016. We look forward to seeing you at the Memory Station! ■



PRAY T-Shirt Sale to Benefit Onward



The Reflections of Him Class will have PRAY T-Shirts available for purchase in the foyer on Sunday morning.

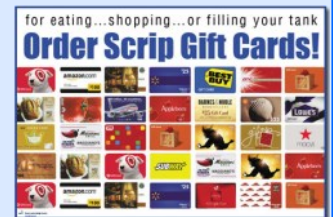
\$10 for sizes Small-2X

\$12 sizes 3X & 4X

Sunday, October 11th SCRIP Table Open

Your SCRIP purchases support the Onward Campaign!

Scrip cards (gift cards) make great gifts and can be used for your everyday purchases. They're also great to use when traveling and to pack in a college student's care package. Visit the Scrip table in the front foyer on the second Sunday of each month to pick up a few cards or place an order for what you need.



Fairmount also has an **Amazon Smile** portal. Use the link below when shopping on Amazon and a percentage will come back to the Onward campaign.

<http://smile.amazon.com/ch/54-6025362>

** Use an Amazon Scrip card to pay for your Amazon Smile purchases and get even more Onward bang for your buck! **

Fall Festival

Saturday, October 17, 2015
5-7pm

Fairmount's annual Fall Family Festival is a perfect time to invite your friends and neighbors to join you for some good, clean - and totally free - fun!

We need your help!

Donations needed: Individually wrapped candy and Matchbox cars. Donation boxes are located near Check-In and throughout the building.

Volunteers Needed: Bring a cake or pie or take a shift at a game. Sign up at the table in the front foyer on Sunday or email Crystal at cgriffin@fairmountchristian.org. You can also sign up in your Bible School class to bring a cake or pie. Just be sure to bring it in a disposable container since the cakes will be walking home with different people!





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To develop followers of Jesus who:

Love God,
Love People and
Introduce the world
to **Christ**



The Forecaster is
best viewed online @
fairmountchristian.org

Our Church: October 4, 2015

Welcome to our Newest Members...

Bryce Carter, Debby Deffendall, & Ashby Rude were baptized on October 4th. Paul Davis, Melissa Mulcahy & Jenny Whiteside transferred their memberships on October 4th.

Wednesday Night Supper Menu for October 14th

Meatloaf, mashed potatoes, vegetable, rolls and assorted desserts

Children's alternative: chicken nuggets & fries

Serve: Bill Farmer Class

Clean Up: Friends

Sign up using the yellow supper cards in the pew or chair backs or call the office by noon on Monday.

Attendance & Giving

8:15 Worship Service: 129
Children's Worship: 5
9:30 Worship Service: 461
Children's Worship: 68
11:00 Traditional Worship: 177
Contemporary Worship: 202
Children's Worship: 81

Total: 1,123

Bible School: 628

Budget Requirements: \$38,605

Budget Receipts: \$43,568



New Sermon Series Begins Sunday!

Your Church Staff:

Rick Raines - Senior Minister
Chris Santasiere - Associate Minister
Mike Langley - Associate Minister
Tracy Thomas - Worship/Music Minister
Mike Campbell - Youth Minister
Ashley Sears - Children's Director
Rose Williams - Early Childhood Director
Bob Massey - Business Administrator
Veronica Brewster - Office Manager
Jef Powell - Facilities & Grounds Manager
Barry Will - Technology Director
Debra Houston - Ministerial Administrative Assistant
Chris Branch - Administrative Assistant
Carolyn Holmes - Administrative Assistant
Lauren McCormick - Administrative Assistant
Morgan McMullin - Administrative Assistant
Crystal Griffin - Children's Administrative Assistant
Amber Grubbs - Children's Administrative Assistant
Krista Barnes - Youth Min. Administrative Assistant