40 Days of Prayer

September 28 - November 6

What you can do...

Check out www.40daysofprayer.net. Click on "prayer initiatives" link for links to many other resources.

Make your own personal prayer schedule / prayer list.

Attend the "Freedom of Religion Rally" in Auburn, Indiana on Saturday, October 20, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. at the National Military History Center at I-69 and County Road 11A.

What we will be doing...

Every Thursday with Norm's Notes, emailed to the congregation, the Presidential Prayer Team weekly prayer email. You can sign up for it yourself at www.presidential-prayer-team.org. You will receive it in your email box between 12:01 and 5:00 a.m. each Thursday.

Special prayer times in Sunday worship services September 30, October 7, 14, 21, 28, and November 4.

Special bulletin inserts about prayer every Sunday September 16-November 11.

Joining area churches for daily prayer meetings beginning September 28. See schedule on other side.

Pray Connect Magazine given to congregation.

Every meeting of any kind at Fairview will be asked to have a special time of prayer for our nation during the 40 days.

24/7 prayer time at FMC Sunday, November 4, 6:00 a.m. to Tuesday, November 6, 6:00 a.m. when polls open.



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Welcome

A special welcome to our first time guests.

We invite you to go to the Guest Reception Center in the foyer to receive a special gift. Pastor Norm welcomes your response to your experience at FMC today. Contact him by e-mail: norm@fairview-missionary.org, land mail: 525 E 200 N, Angola, IN, 46703, or by phone: 665-8402.

Fairview Missionary Church

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This Week at a Glance...

Today, September 16

9 & 10:30 am Worship Services

9 & 10:30 am Adult Small Churches - A list of

adult Small Churches and their locations is available at the

connection center.

9 & 10:30 am Children's Sunday school

9:00 am Teen Sunday school

6:00 - 7:00 pm **Singspiration** - For those who love

to sing the old hymns of our faith, followed by fellowship time.

Room S 103

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7:00 pm The Hill Ministry - Young Adults

Jake Shipe speaking - last in an 8 week series about Christian Doctrines - Resurrection. Location: Bridge Park on Harcourt Road, behind Buffalo Wild Wings. Doors

open at 6:30 pm

Tuesday, September 18

6:15 am Prayer Time in the sanctuary

9 am-noon Ladies Scrabble Club room \$101

Call Vicki Sharp: 665-2013.

11:45 am LAFF (Life After Fifty-five)

Leave FMC parking lot to have lunch at and a tour of Cameron

Woods

6:30-7:30 pm Ladies Intercessory Prayer in the

prayer room

Wednesday, September 19

5:30-6:30 pm **Fairview Grill** - *in the gym* 6:45-8:00 pm **Nursery through adult classes.**

A list of classes available is at the

connection center.

7:00 pm **The Hill** - Young Adults Bible Study at Bridge Park on Harcourt Road,

behind Buffalo Wild Wings

8:15 pm Worship Service Rehearsal

Thursday, September 20

5:30 am Men's Bible Study, room \$105

Friday, September 21

6:00 am Men's Bible Study, Fireside room

Saturday, September 22

8:00-11:30 am Children's Clothing and Toy Resale

For more details about events listed in the bulletin, go to our web site: www.fairview-missionary.org

Children

Children's Ministries -

Nursery through 5th grade Sundays 9:00 and 10:30 am

Where do my kids go on Sundays and Wednesdays?

Nursery & Toddler - Hallway to the gym, across from the mailboxes

Preschool - Children's Ministry hallway

K-3rd grade - Kids worship room

4th & 5th grade - Room 120

(upper level of children's hallway)

Jessica Bonner, Director 419-889-7900



6th - 8th Grades



Sunday School 9:00 am
In teen rooms above the gym.
Wednesdays 6:45-8:00 pm
In teen rooms above the sanctuary.
Mark Compton, Leader



9th - 12th Grades

Sunday School 9:00 am Wednesdays 6:45-8:00 pm In teen rooms above the sanctuary.

> Joel and Karolyn Greenwood 260-668-6734

Events below are for both Fusion and The Edge!

School Year Wednesday Nights

- ♦ September 19, 6:45 8:00 pm
- ♦ Game room opens at 6:00 pm

Bowling Night

- ♦ Saturday, October 13, 5 9 pm
- ♦ \$15, includes pizza, bowling & shoes

Win \$150 for Teen Events

- ♦ Must be present every Wed night in Sept
- ♦ Drawing will be held Sept. 26
- ♦ Start the school year right

Fantasy Football Standings

- 1. Tyler Frye
- Tanner Frye
- Josiah Mortorff
- 4. Joel Greenwood
- Isaiah Mortorff

In the family

Congratulations to Sally Poklen on the birth of her first grandchild, a girl, Rhyeleigh Michelle Mason, September 6, 6 lb. 6 oz., 20" long. Mom and Dad are Shea and Nick.

Congratulations to Matt and Kelli Engelberth on the birth of their fourth child, Paul Raymond, September 10, 8 lb. 4 oz., 21" long. Big brother and sisters, Will, Kate and Jayne welcomed him home.

You are cordially invited to a **25th Wedding Anniversary**

Celebration honoring
Steven and Lucretia Shank
Sunday, September 23, 2012
Open House starting at 4:00 pm
Their daughter, Emma, will be hosting
this special occasion at the residence of
Dean and Carole Sue Shank
6830 W 200 N, Angola
260-665-2568

Please let your presence be your gift!

On Wednesdays September 19 and 26 the movie *The Isaiah 9:10 Judgment* will be shown in room S 103/104. These are about 9/11 and God's judgment and protection - very powerful! Starting time is 6:45 pm - don't be late. This is two separate DVD's, not the same movie twice.

The church is totally wired for wireless internet.

Your electronic device will work anywhere in the facility.

Thank you for using the silent mode on your device.

It's on our calendar, is it on yours?

December 1 & 2!



Bethlehem Marketplace (BMP) planning is underway.

We are seeking a carpenter to make a new well out of Styrofoam and plywood.
See Pastor Norm.

We are looking for people whose first experience at FMC was with BMP (not the same ones we used last year.) We would like you to share your experience in 2 to 3 minutes on video. Contact Sandee, 665-8402.

Young adults - are you looking for a good community of people to connect with? The Hill is a community of people who love Jesus, love people, and enjoy investing in each other's lives. We meet Sundays and Wednesdays, 7:00 pm. If you're curious about who we are but don't want to come alone, bring a friend! For more information check out our website at www.thehillangola.com.

Men's Sport Day

At Steve Keeslar's Farm, Hamilton Saturday, September 22, 3:00 pm Skeet, archery, tomahawks, knives, corn hole followed by a cookout. Sign up at the connection center by Wednesday, September 19.

Men's Retreat

At Wingshadow on the River, Greenville, Michigan September 28-30 (4 spots left) Great time of fellowship with other men and a rich encounter with God. Call Dave Bruns, 833-3242 for details. Marriage Matters Marriage Retreat
Friday-Sunday, October 19-21, 2012 at
Gull Lake, MI, (www.gulllake.org)
\$250 per couple, scholarships available
Limited availability...
only 14 rooms left!

Last day to register, Sept. 30th!
Lots of indoor and outdoor activities!
Speakers: Scott and Carrie Makin,
Directors of the Wabash Friends
Counseling Center
Registration table in the foyer.
Scholarship donations
gladly accepted!

We are praying and planning for the 40 Days of Prayer for our Nation September 28-November 6.

The "Can Prayer Save America?" conference September 28-29, in Brownsburg, Indiana (Indy area) may be of interest to you. If interested, please contact Dick Randall, 665-3620.

www.harvestprayer.com

Visit <u>40daysofprayer.net</u> for 14 different prayer programs leading up to the election.

Why do we have donuts, coffee and juice in the foyer?

Answer: We are trying to close the "back door" of the church. It is too easy to



come to a worship service on Sunday morning right when it starts and leave during the closing prayer. By creating an opportunity/space to connect with people in the foyer it gives others a chance to meet those that would normally just leave without connecting.
"...I have become all things to all people so that by all possible means I might save some." 1 Corinthians 9:22b

At the bulletin table

and the connection center there are copies of 2012 Issues Guide For Christian Voters. Help yourself.

Are You Registered to Vote?

Some startling facts:

- ◆ 15-20 million Christians are not even registered to vote. That's about 20% not registered.
- ♦ Key states in the 2008 election were won by a smaller margin than the number of unregistered Christians in those states.
- ♦ 537 votes in Florida in 2000 actually determined the outcome of the national election.
- ◆ In 2000, 76% of the citizens of the US were registered to vote. Only 51.3% actually voted.
- ◆ The Christian community could determine almost any election anywhere in the nation if they would simply vote.

If you have moved since the last election, check to see if you are registered to vote in your precinct. Forms for voter registration can be found online. Just Google "voter registration [your state] form". Completed forms must be postmarked by October 9, 2012, in Indiana. Deadlines for other states may vary.

LAFF (LIFE AFTER FIFTY-FIVE)

Tuesday, September 18, 2012
Leave FMC parking lot 11:45 am
Cameron Woods Lunch and Tour
Cost \$14.00 per person
Includes lunch of chicken
croissant, vegetable soup,
fresh fruit, dessert and beverage.
Sign up at the connection center on
or before Sunday, September 16.

Ladies Intercessory Prayer

Every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month beginning this Tuesday, September 18, 6:30-7:30 pm in the FMC prayer room. All ladies invited. Check out the flyer in your church mailbox. Questions? Please call Annie Bledsoe, 260-833-1144.

FMC Fall/Winter Children's Resale This Sat., September 22 8:00 - 11:30 am In the gym!

Baby furniture, clothes, toys accessories, outside toys such as sleds, ice skates, etc.

- Gift certificates are available to purchase in \$5.00 increments to give to your friends, relatives, or neighbors. Stop at the connection center.
- Volunteer schedule signup is posted at the connection center. There are MANY positions still open! If you work a 3 hour shift you can shop the Friday evening Presale!
- We are collecting plastic Walmart type bags for the Resale.
 Please drop them off in the box under the mailboxes.



Want to play Scrabble?

Come join us this Tuesday, 9:00 am in room S101.

Please call Vicki Sharp, 665-2013, if you're planning to attend so she can have enough boards supplied.



Community Gift and Craft Show at Fairview

Saturday, November 3 8:00 am - 3:00 pm

Applications for booth space are now available at the Connection Center.

If you have any questions, please call Liz Scofield, 260-668-1069

Love to Read?

The FMC library has over 3,000 current books for you to check out. The library is in Room S101, on the northeast side of the building and is open from 8-9 am on Sunday mornings as well as most of the time during the week.

Opportunities to Step into Ministry!

Children's Resale Volunteers are desperately needed for this week - please sign up at the connection center TODAY! If you volunteer at least one 3 hour shift you can shop at the Presale on Friday night.

Monday	9 am - noon	need childcare	
	Noon - 3 pm	3 people	
	3 - 6 pm	7 people	
Tuesday	noon - 3 pm	6 people	
-	3 - 6 pm	3 people	
Wednesday	9 am - noon	childcare needed	

9 am - noon 8 people Thursday noon - 3 pm 3 people

Saturday 32 people throughout various times!

Annual All Church Hot Dog Roast & Corn Hole Tournament!

Sunday, September 30, 6:00 pm
On the lower level parking lot.
FMC provides hot dogs, cider, donuts.
You provide your own lawn chairs and
your friends! Face painting, pumpkin
decorating for kids, roast marshmallows,

Corn Hole Tournament and fun! If you have a Corn Hole game that can be borrowed, please contact Joel, 665-8402.

Kindergarten - 5th grade
Thurs., September 20
Dinner for 5
At 5:00 pm!
At Miss Jessica's place
Open to first 5 to contact
Miss Jessica, 665-8402.



The new van/utility truck project

is back on the top of the needs lists. It got taken off the list when we needed to make \$77,000 of repairs on the chiller for the sanctuary and computer system.

Total cost \$35,000 - Project Help has agreed to pay half of it because they use it almost as much as we do. The old van has only gotten worse since we started this project in the spring of 2012. The tires are balder, the rust is bigger, the muffler system is louder. Those who use it are praying harder that it makes it back home! Above is a picture of something similar to what we pray to purchase. Presently we have \$4,300 toward our half of the purchase price.

Area Churches Come together for Prayer leading to the election

September 28 - November 6, 2012

Schedule of prayer gatherings			
Monday	. , 5		
Tuesday	Fairview Missionary Church	6:30 a.m.	
Wednesday	Sonlight Community Church	6:30 a.m.	
Thursday	Pleasant View Church of Christ	6:30 a.m.	
Friday	Friday Peace Lutheran Church		
Saturday	Angola United Methodist Church	7:30 a.m.	

You are welcome to attend any and all of these prayer opportunities. Come and go as you need to, the prayer gatherings are "open house" and free style prayer.

See other side for more details

4. I must repent with sincerity.

"and turn from their wicked ways"

"People will love only themselves, and be greedy for money. They will be boastful and arrogant, insulting to God, rebellious against parents, and ungrateful. They will consider nothing sacred. They'll be unloving, and unforgiving; they will enjoy slandering others and have no self-control; they will be cruel, and will despise anyone and anything that is good. They will betray their friends, and impulsively do foolish things. They will be inflated with self-conceit, and love pleasure more than God. They will claim to be spiritual but will reject the power that could make them godly. Stay away from people like this."

2 Timothy 3:2-5 (Multiple)

philautos self-absorbed philarguros money focused

alazon you talk

huperephanos status conscious blasphemos insulting God

apeithes rude

acharistos unappreciative

anosios crude astorgos unkind

aspondos unwilling to forgive

diabolos gossip akratess impulsive anemeros loves violence

aphilagathos cynical

prodotes double dealing

propetes reckless

tuphoo puffed up with pride

philedonos addicted to lust and allergic to God

"Repent and turn to God, so that your sins may be wiped out, so that times of refreshing may come from the Lord."

Acts 3:19 (NIV)



Part 2 of 2 by Pastor Norm Fuller ◆ September 16, 2012

2 Chronicles 7:14

- 1. I must confess with humility.
- 2. I must pray with intensity.
- 3. I must seek God with intensity.

Some of the Scriptures used to form this message:

2 Chronicles 7:14 James 4:6 Proverbs 28:13 James 5:16

Colossians 4:2 Ephesians 6:18 Hebrews 11:6

Matthew 6:33

Deuteronomy 4:29-31 2 Timothy 3:2-5 Acts 3:19