

## A Heart That Forgives

Words and music by Kevin Levar

I want a heart that forgives  
A heart full of love  
One with compassion just like yours above  
One that overcomes evil with goodness and love  
Like it never happened, never holding a grudge  
I want a heart that forgives, that lives and lets lives  
One that keeps, loves over and over again  
One that men can't offend  
Because your word is deep within  
One that loves without price like you Lord Jesus Christ  
I want a heart that loves everybody  
Even my Enemies  
I want to love like you, be like you, just like you did  
I want a heart that forgives

I want a heart that forgives!  
When the ones that are closest  
That I've known the longest  
Hurt me the most; I still wanna love them just like you loved me  
Even though I'm hurting,  
I want a heart that forgives  
When the pain is so deep  
It's so hard to speak about it to anyone  
Just like your son I give up my rights to hold it against them with hatred inside  
I want a heart that loves everybody, even my Enemies  
I wanna love like you, be like you, just like you did  
I wanna walk like you, talk like you, just like you did,  
I wanna be like you, live like you just like you did  
'Cause the heart that forgives that is the heart that will live  
Totally free from the pain of the past  
And the heart that lets go is the heart that will know so much freedom,

Lord I wanna let it go  
God I need to let it go  
Lord it's been holding me back  
I don't want it, I don't want it, I don't, I don't want it no more  
I don't know exactly what to do to get rid of it but,  
Here I am Lord Jesus, Here I am Oh, Here I am Lord Jesus  
Oh Lord I need you I need you I know this is me that you're talking to  
This is me, this is me, this is me, Lord this is me

Lord I let it go every person every person that's ever hurt me  
God I let it go every single hurt  
God I let it go every single pain  
God I let it go  
I let it go  
I let it go  
Lord you can have  
Lord you can have  
Lord you can have it  
Lord you can have it  
You can have it now  
You can have it now  
'Cause I don't want it no more



Welcome  
Guests

Today

# Fairview Family News

November 25, 2012

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### ***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 phone: 665-8402, e-mail: [norm@fairview-missionary.org](mailto:norm@fairview-missionary.org), or slow mail: 525 E 200 N, Angola, IN 46703.

### **9:00 & 10:30 am Worship Services**

- ♦ Pastor Norm Fuller speaking: *Why I Must Learn to Forgive Others.*
- ♦ Adult Small Churches and Children's Treasure Time meet during both services. Teen Sunday school meets at 9:00 am. A list of adult Small Churches and their locations is available at the Connection Center.

**1:00 - 2:30 pm BMP Music Rehearsal in the Sanctuary**

**6:00 pm The Hill** AGAPE Meal and Candlelight Service. Please bring a candle and a holder if possible. The service will be a time of reflection on God's faithfulness and provision in our lives.

Childcare provided.

Location: Bridge Park on Harcourt Road, behind Buffalo Wild Wings.

## This Week at a Glance...

### Monday, November 26

9 am Decorate the Church for Christmas

### Tuesday, November 27

6:15 am Prayer Time in the sanctuary

9 am Finish Decorating the Church for Christmas

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

7 - 8:30 pm Men's Basketball in the gym

### Wednesday, November 28

5:30 - 6:30 pm Fairview Grill - in the gym

6:45 - 8:00 pm Nursery through adult classes.  
A list of classes is available at the Connection Center.

7:00 pm The Hill - Young Adults Bible Study, John ch. 9  
Bridge Park on Harcourt Road, behind Buffalo Wild Wings.  
Child care provided.

8:15 pm Worship Service Rehearsal, Sanctuary

### Thursday, November 29

5:30 am Men's Bible Study, room S105

9:30 - 11 am Young Moms/Kids Play Group, Toddler room

6:30 - 8:00 pm Identity Theft - What You Need to Know, Kim Frye & Tim Crooks presentation, Fireside room

### Friday, November 30

6 - 8:00 am Men's Bible Study, Fireside room

7:30 - 11 pm Volleyball, in the gym

### Saturday, December 1

1 - 5:00 pm Bethlehem Marketplace

In your bulletin is an invitation for you to use to invite your friends to BMP.

There is more BMP publicity on the table in the foyer.

Help yourself to all you can use.  
It is no good after next Sunday!

### Fairview Family News

is the E-mail Newsletter that FMC sends out usually on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. To subscribe, go to [www.fairview-missionary.org](http://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

**The Edge** 9th - 12th Grades

Sunday School 9:00 am

Wednesdays 6:45-8:00 pm \* Game room opens 6 pm

In teen rooms above the sanctuary.

Joel and Carolyn Greenwood  
260-668-6734

**Events below are for both Fusion  
and The Edge!**

### Football in the CASA

- Sunday, December 9
- After 2nd service until 4:00 pm
- Pizza, pop and chips

### Fantasy Football Standings

1. Hunter Kohart
2. Joel Greenwood
3. Grant
4. Kent Kohart
5. Josiah Mortorff

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email list? Go to [www.fairview-missionary.org](http://www.fairview-missionary.org) to subscribe.

# Sermon Notes

by Pastor Norm Fuller ♦ November 25, 2012

## The Lord's Prayer - part 6 Why I Must Learn to Forgive Others

1. Because God has forgiven me
2. Because resentment makes me miserable
3. Because I am going to need forgiveness again

Some of the Scriptures used to form this message:

Matthew 6:9 - 15  
Matthew 18:21 - 22  
Matthew 18:27 - 30  
Romans 8:1  
Ephesians 4:32

Matthew 18:33 - 35  
Job 21:23 - 25  
Job 5:2  
Matthew 5:7  
Job 11:13 - 16

## Bethlehem Week Schedule November 26 - December 4

**Monday, November 26 Decorate Church** - begin 9:00 am until done. Lunch provided. Need ladies, teens and adult **manpower** to decorate for Christmas; put up trees and assist with lights, move BMP semis, etc.

**Tuesday, November 27 Decorate Church** - 9:00 am until finished. Lunch provided. Need a few people to finish decorating for Christmas; clean up.

Begin preparations for BMP set up:

- Take down baskets and flags, close curtains, cover door windows
- Get supplies from small kitchen for meals: refrigerator, paper goods, etc.

### Wednesday, November 28

**AM** 8:00 am until finished. Lunch provided.

Prepare for BMP set up, bring in carpet pieces from garage and duct tape pieces together, set up scaffolding

**PM** 6:30-10:00 pm after Wednesday Night Grill is over. Maybe mom can take the family home while dad stays to build BMP. Need everyone who can come, targeting those who work days: Begin setting up walls; do the easy, fast things, begin manger scene. Bring tools (be sure they are marked with your name).

**Thursday, November 29** 8:00 am-5:00 pm. Lunch served. Need 20 people to set up BMP: walls in gym, hallway, sand brought in and spread, props brought in  
5:00 pm fine tuning crew comes in to arrange vendor booths, etc.

### Friday, November 30

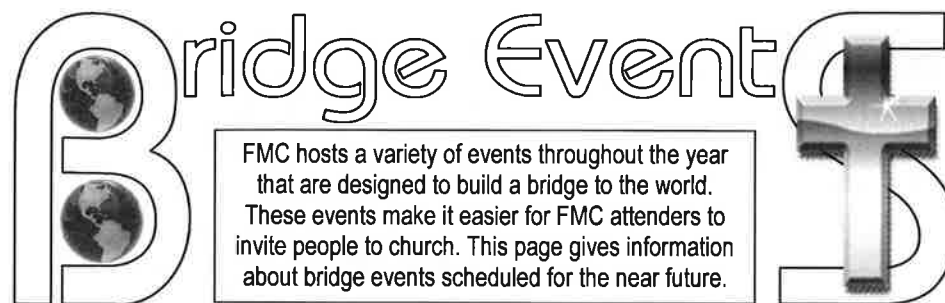
Put on finishing touches; move semis  
6:30 pm - dress rehearsal in the sanctuary

**Saturday, December 1** 1:00-5:00 pm BMP  
5:00 pm - reset classrooms for Sunday, touch up restrooms

**Sunday, December 2** 1:00-5:00 pm BMP  
11:45 Lunch served in the children's sanctuary for first shift workers who attend second service

**Monday, December 3** 8:00 am until finished, lunch provided  
Tear down BMP and store in semis; remove sand and carpet, clean the whole church

**Tuesday, December 4** 8:00 am until finished  
Fine tune cleaning of the whole church - we clean all week, evenings too



FMC hosts a variety of events throughout the year that are designed to build a bridge to the world. These events make it easier for FMC attenders to invite people to church. This page gives information about bridge events scheduled for the near future.



Do Bridge Events fulfill their purpose? Overwhelmingly, yes. Each year we ask the BMP crowd if this is their first time and about 75% of visitors say yes, this is their first time. Bridge Events are designed to draw new people into the church.

## Bethlehem Marketplace (BMP)

- ♦ If you are already signed up for the cast, you should have information in your church mailbox today. Please contact Cindy in the office if you don't.
- ♦ Your costumes are ready this Sunday, November 25th. **PLEASE** be sure to pick up your **costume note** from your FMC mailbox **BEFORE** looking for your costume. It will have your costume number on it so you can match up your number with the number on your costume and not take someone else's costume by mistake!
- ♦ Thank you to everyone who has said YES! to presenting the Christmas story in this unique way.
- ♦ Please look over the BMP Week schedule on the opposite page. We need help every day of the week, especially Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. if you are not involved in a Wednesday night class.
- ♦ Publicity for you to hand out is available at the BMP table.
- ♦ Be in prayer for BMP:
  - For the people you are inviting to come.
  - For the set up crew. Without them there is no BMP.
  - Pray for good weather—not too warm, not too cold, no freezing rain...
  - Pray for the health of all the workers - it is a long weekend for many.
  - Pray that God would put His Spirit in a styrofoam city filled with sand, props, and human actors.
  - Thank God for the volunteers who provide food—before, during, and after the event.
  - Pray for the publicity that goes out to four counties and on the radio.
  - Every year there are people who are moved to tears by the streets of Bethlehem. Thank God for changed lives at BMP.
  - Thank God for the music that keeps the crowd both calm and excited; and prepares their hearts for BMP's crowded streets.

## In the Family

Thank you, Fairview Family, for your cards, visits and prayers for the loss of our mother, Corinne Croy. Your kindness was appreciated.

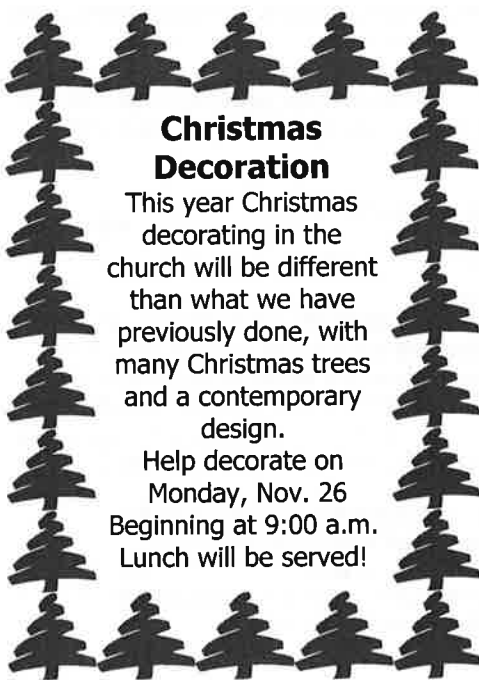
*Ed and Dona Clouse*

Our prayers are with Mike Cain, former youth pastor at FMC, and his family with the passing of his father.



During the month of November you are encouraged to pray for those state and local community leaders who provide the "roof of protection"

against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms that seek to locate within a mile of FMC. Major decisions concerning this are being made.



### Christmas Decoration

This year Christmas decorating in the church will be different than what we have previously done, with many Christmas trees and a contemporary design.

Help decorate on Monday, Nov. 26  
Beginning at 9:00 a.m.  
Lunch will be served!



### Auburn Community Band Christmas Concert!

Benefitting the Turning Point  
Homeless Shelter of Steuben County  
Thursday, November 29, 7:00 pm  
Dale Hughes, Jr. Auditorium  
Steuben County Community Center  
(old Angola High School)  
317 South Wayne Street  
Angola, IN  
Concert is free but  
Good will offerings accepted!

### Young Mom's Group

Thursdays at 9:30 a.m.  
In the Toddler room at FMC  
Next meeting: November 29  
All moms and preschoolers invited!  
Questions? Contact Amber Shipe:  
574-315-7671

We don't change God's  
message - His message  
changes us.



**Men's Basketball  
Week of BMP:**  
**Tuesday, Nov. 27, 7:00 pm**  
**Regularly: Thursdays, 7:00 pm**  
For all men post-high school.  
?s, call Dave Huffman, 665-5628.

### "Identity Theft"

#### What you need to know!

Thursday, November 29  
6:30 - 8:00 pm  
Pumpkin Pie & Coffee served in the  
Fireside room  
Presenter: City of Angola Police  
Detective, Sgt. Tim Crooks  
Come learn:

- How identity theft can occur
- Tips to protect yourself
- Steps to take if it happens to you

Sign up at the connection center or  
Contact Kim Frye, 260-409-4111 by  
November 23 to reserve your spot!

### Womens Basketball Mondays

December 10 & 17  
January 7  
6:30 - 8:00 pm  
High School and up  
Questions, Call Kim Frye  
260-409-4111

If you are a regular attender of  
FMC and need help with Christmas,  
contact Pastor Norm.  
We want to help.

FMC does its small part to help fight  
world poverty. One way  
we do this is through the  
**Leap Of Faith** store in  
the Brick House Designs  
store, 107 E. Toledo St.,  
Fremont, next to Edward Jones' office.  
The **Leap Of Faith** store has a wide  
variety of World Fair Trade items - it's  
like a small Ten Thousand Villages  
store. Fall/Winter hours are:  
Tuesday - Saturday, 9 am - 5:30 pm.



### LAFF (Life After Fifty-five)

Tuesday, December 11, 2012  
11:30 am - Christmas Party at  
Caruso's. Christmas cards will be  
addressed and sent to shut-ins.

**If your Small Group or family**  
would like to adopt a family for  
Christmas, please contact the FMC  
office, 665-8402 or Project Help,



Helping Families Thrive  
Friday, January 11, 2013  
7:00 p.m.  
FMC Sanctuary

We are often asked - "How do I  
become a member of FMC?" The  
process has changed. We are  
shortening and redesigning FMC  
101, 201, 301 and 401. Each class  
is approximately 90 minutes long  
with FMC 101 and 201 being taught  
on one Sunday afternoon and FMC  
301 and 401 on another Sunday  
afternoon. There is homework be-  
fore FMC 301. You must complete  
all 4 classes and be committed to  
being involved in some ministry be-  
fore being accepted as a member.  
The next cycle of classes will be in  
late January or early February.



### Note from Pastor Norm

I make a special appeal to all the contractors in the congregation to help set up BMP starting at 6:30 pm Wednesday. Come for supper at 5:30 and start setting up at 6:30 and work until you are tired. Your expertise in construction is what we need!

### Wanted!

Clean, gently used or new coats of any size.  
Please drop off  
in the barrel  
in the FMC foyer by  
Friday,  
November 30, 2012



### Men Of Iron University

Every Wednesday, 6:45 pm, room S105

#### **SCHEDULE CHANGES!**

Nov. 28 - Prayer 102, Effective Prayers - Dave Bruns  
Dec. 5 - Prayer 103, Prayer Disciplines - Dick Randall  
Dec. 12 - Israel Revealed, Part 1 - Ron Smith  
Dec. 19 - Israel Revealed, Part 2 - Ron Smith

**Come & Join Us!**

### Opportunities to help with your giving:

FMC will spend about \$3,000 to present Bethlehem Marketplace to approximately 3,000 people this year. Your special gift will help make this possible. Thank you for your generous giving.

### Looking to trade vehicles before year end?

FMC CARS Ministry is always looking for cars with usable miles left to pass on to those who have no vehicle at all.  
*Consider giving your car to the church!*



**The new van/utility truck project** is back on the top of the needs lists. 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 bald, 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 \$9,925 toward our half of the purchase price. Thank you for your generous giving!



**Facebook is one of the best free advertising venues available to us.**



Any FMC event you put on your personal event calendar is seen by your friends and others too. We encourage you to put FMC events on your event calendar - even worship service times.

## Opportunities to



*Step into Ministry!*

- 1. In-Service Prayer Team** - We are putting together a team that would pray during 1st and 2nd service. If you are interested in being a part of this, please contact Joel, 665-8402 or joel@fairview-missionary.org. A schedule will be put together soon.
- 2. Bethlehem Marketplace**, Saturday and Sunday, December 1 & 2, 2012. It takes almost 200 people to make this weekend work. Areas of ministry available for this FMC Bridge Event: being a character in the Marketplace, rolling scrolls, cookie baking, set building, meals for set-up crew, break room help, BMP Sunday lunch help and clean-up crew. Contact Cindy, 665-8402.
- 3. Step into Monday morning ministry** by cleaning up the food and drink fellowship areas of the church. Our Sunday fellowship time can create a mess of donut dust and coffee residue in many areas of the church. It can take up to two hours to clean off tables and counter tops, wash coffee pots and set up the areas for the next fellowship time. Come for the whole morning or any amount of time you are available. Contact Mark, 665-8402.



### 2012 Kid's Christmas Musical *Instant Christmas Play Nativity*

**Lights! Camera! Action!**  
**Saturday, December 15**  
**12:30 - 4:30 pm with the**  
**production at 2:00 pm**

Kids ages K-5 along with their entire family can join in (Kids whose families can't join us are still welcome.) This year there will not be weeks and weeks of rehearsals! In one afternoon, on Saturday, December 15 families will create sets and costumes, rehearse, and present a full Christmas production. Pick up more information and a registration form at the connection center or Miss Jessica's office.

November 13, 2012

Residents of Steuben County,

We have all heard about the proposed strip club wanting to come to Angola and we have all asked, what can I do to stop it?

I am thankful for our local leaders who are doing everything within their legal powers to make it very unappealing for the club to locate here. They cannot legally say, get out of town. I suggest all of us do three things to help stop the club: Sign it, show up, and pray.

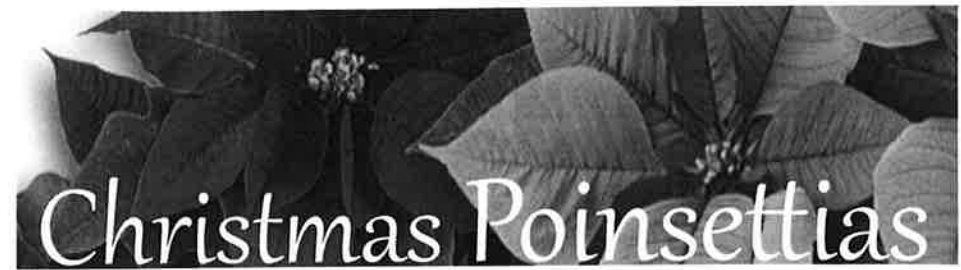
1. Sign a petition asking the Alcoholic Beverage Board of Steuben County to deny the transfer of the liquor license to the club. Any Steuben County resident, 18 years old and over, can sign the petition. Download it online, take it to work, to your neighbors, church, club, everywhere, to give every resident of Steuben County the opportunity to sign it. If they know about it, everyone will sign it. Please return petitions to me by Tuesday, November 27.
2. I invite everyone to show up at the meeting of the Alcoholic Beverage Board of Steuben County on Wednesday, November 28, 1:00 p.m. at the Court House Annex in Angola. Anyone of any age from anywhere can come and show their support to deny the liquor license transfer. People in Ohio and Michigan, you are asked to come because people from your communities will come to the club. South Bend, Fort Wayne, Auburn, LaGrange, Kendallville, you come. Everyone that is free, come. Mothers and babies and children, university students, high school government classes, every club of any type, come. Everyone of all ages in Steuben County, come. Take a late lunch and come. Even if you sign the petition, still come to this meeting. Wednesday, November 28, 1:00 p.m, Angola Courthouse Annex.
3. I ask you to pray. On this issue we fight not against flesh and blood but we fight against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms and these type fights are only ever fought with prayer.

Residents of Steuben County, I urge all of us to do all we can to make it very unappealing for the strip club to come to Angola. Sign it, show up, and pray.

Working Together,

*Norman Fuller*

Pastor Norm Fuller



Each year we decorate our sanctuary and foyer with poinsettias that people have donated in memory or honor of a loved one. If you would like to remember or honor your loved one with a poinsettia, please fill out the form below and return to the Connection Center with \$15.00 for each plant requested.

Plants will arrive right before Bethlehem Marketplace and be used to decorate for Christmas during December. You may take poinsettias you ordered home following the Christmas Eve service on December 24.

**I want to HONOR:**

**I want to REMEMBER:**

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

How many plants? \_\_\_\_\_

**Requests with payment must be received by  
Sunday, November 25.**

