

# Fairmont Evangelical Covenant Church

**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**  
507-235-6407  
**Church E-Mail**

## Welcome to Worship Sunday, July 18th, 2021

“Lay Me Down”

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

“I Stand Amazed”  
“Your Love Awakens Me”

Kids Message

“Reckless Love”  
“Who You Say I Am”

Scripture— Matthew 22:36-40

Morning Message—”Called to Love”

Praying for One Another/Lord’s Prayer

“I Saw the Light”

Benediction

*Offering will be gathered as you leave the service this morning.*

Sermon Notes

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## THIS WEEK IN OUR CHURCH

### Today, Sunday, July 18

9:00 am Worship  
 10:30 am Fellowship Time—Diegnau Group Serves  
 12:00 pm Church on Channel 12

### Monday, July 19

Quilters

### Tuesday, July 20

6:00 pm Elders

### Wednesday, July 21

6:00 pm Hunger for Healing/Social Gathering Room

### Thursday, July 22

4:30 pm Sacred Steps  
 6:00 pm Meyer Bible Study/Social Gathering Room

### Friday, July 23

9:30 am Peanut Butter Gang meets in the Social Gathering Room for Bible study

### Saturday, July 24

1:30 pm Baby Shower for Amanda Wilken

### Next Sunday, July 25

9:00 am Worship  
 10:30 am Fellowship Time—Meyer Group Serves  
 12:00 pm Sunday Service on Channel 12



### Happy Birthday

Terry Peters	July 19
Barb Smith	July 20
Norb Pranger	July 20
Bill Wallace	July 21
Titus Krusemark	July 22
Beth Schieber	July 23
Lauren Stauffer	July 24

### Happy Anniversary

Maynard & Mary Jagodzinske	July 6
Dan & Cindy Bankson	July 20
Kyle & Lori Koerselman	July 31

### FOR YOUR PRAYERS

#### Our Community

Trimont Evangelical Covenant Church  
 St. Paul's Lutheran Church  
 Jail Ministry

#### Reaching Our World

Francisco & Stephanie Ramos  
 Daron & Kristen Jagodzinske  
 (Kitsap County, WA)  
 Mourning Glory's Ministry  
 (Gloria Senenfelder)  
 Kyle & Matilda Tromanhauser—Converge  
 Munich Germany

#### 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  
 (Gretchen Hoppe's grandson)  
 Mark Knobel (Jan Olson's grandson)  
 Jake Michaletz (Bob & Debra Engman's grandson)  
 Isaiah Nault (Cathy Meyer's grandson)  
 Isaiah Easton—U.S. Marine (Kari Wedel's nephew)  
 Alyssa Nagorske —Jarred & Jessica Clows's dgtr.

### Our Vision Statement

We aspire to be a spirit-alive, multigenerational church family that embraces and nurtures authentic, Christ-centered relationships and shares the unconditional, life-changing love of Christ with our community and the world.

### Prayer Requests

Many, many prayers have been answered through our prayer chain. We care and are waiting to help you! Please call Dorothy Deguise at 399-6588 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 [fair-montcovenant.com](http://fair-montcovenant.com).**

**Or by scanning on the QR Code.**

### GIVING REPORT

General Budget 2021	
Weekly Need	\$3694.66
Received July 11	\$3146.00

## Small Group Opportunities

**Hunger For Healing** is held on Wednesdays at 6:00 pm in the Social Gathering Room on the lower level of the church. The purpose is to fellowship and celebrate God's healing power in our lives through the 12 Steps. Please contact Dawn at 399-1243 or Dan at 507-399-9771 for more information.

**Meyer Bible Study** Thursday evening Bible Study group will be studying "Spiritual Warfare—Terms of Engagement" by Dr. David Jeremiah. This study will explain the nature of spiritual warfare and describe how to use each piece of the armor God has provided for us in Ephesians 6:10-18

This group meets Thursdays at 6:00 pm in the Social Gathering Room on the lower level of the church.

**The Peanut Butter Gang (PBG)** meets Friday 9:30 am in the Social Gathering Room on the lower level of the church. Contact Dawn at 399-1243 at for more information.

**Men's Coffee Group** meets Wednesday and Friday mornings, 6:30 am at Hy Vee.

**The Evergreen's** meet during the summer months on the 1st Thursday of the month at 9:30 am and also the 3rd Thursday of the month at 1:30 pm. All are welcome for some time of fellowship/food/ and sometimes a movie.

**The Quilter's Group** meets the 2nd Monday of the month. Anyone interested in joining this group, please contact Carolyn Siedel at 507-848-0481. Our talk to Debra Engman.

All ladies of the church are invited to a Baby Shower for Amanda & Ross Wilken, daughter in-law of Bryan & Becky Wilken. It will be held on Saturday, July 24th at 1:30 in the Fellowship Hall. Amanda and Ross are expecting a baby girl. They are registered on Amazon.



**Thank you** to the church family for the prayers, cards, visits and good goodies. You are a blessing.  
Melva Ziemer



2021 Annual Pool Party  
Friday, July 30th  
5:00 pm  
At Doug & Dawn Willner's Home  
#4 Forgotten Lake Rd. / Fmt  
New Water Slide  
Extreme Bocce Ball will return this year.  
Brats and Beverages provided.  
Please bring a dish to share.

### Grocery Receipts

Yes we are collection Hy-Vee and Fareway grocery receipts again. So start saving them and bring them in. Monies received for this goes towards our lower level paving the parking lot.



The church is in need of Standard Shoe Boxes for Operation Christmas Child. Please leave them by the Church Office or Education Office.

SOME OF OUR  
CHURCH  
LEADERSHIP

**Senior Pastor**  
Dan Wheeler  
399-2134

**Church Secretary**  
Barb Smith  
**Bookkeeper**  
Harriet

Tromanhauser  
**Church Chair**  
Bryan Wilken

**Vice Chair**  
Georgie Pfaffinger  
**Council Secretary**  
Sheila Zuehlke

**Financial Secretary**  
Roger Bloomgren  
**Worship Chair**  
Jayne Tonn

**Christian Ed. Chair**  
Jenni Diegnau  
**Fellowship Chair**  
Mary Jagodzinske

**Evangelism Chair**  
Kurt Hines  
**Stewardship Chair**  
Jeremy Hinkle

**Properties Chair**  
Marty Goodrich  
**Elders**  
Craig Diegnau

Maynard Jagodzinske  
Bill Wallace  
Cathy Meyer  
**Prayer Chain**

**Coordinator**  
Dorothy Deguise  
399-6588  
Barb Smith

**Church Custodian**  
Dick Tromanhauser  
**Morning Glory's**  
**Ministries**

Gloria Senenfelder  
507-236-4515  
**Advocacy for**  
**Victims of Abuse**

Georgie Pfaffinger  
507-301-5592

## Laughter with the Lord

Have you noticed some peculiar quack-ups in scripture? This that behaved... well.. rather oddly. For instance, Balaam's talking donkey. The only donkey I ever heard chatter was Frances the Talking Mule in the movies.

No doubt Balaam, the rider, was startled when the donkey began to converse (Numbers 22). I've always thought it's strange that the little boys' lunch box (John 6:9-14) turned into a cafeteria for thousands with leftovers. Now there's a lunch that smacks of entrepreneurial possibilities.

Or what about the bowl of flour and the jar of oil belonging to the widow who housed Elijah (1 Kings 17:10-16)? No matter how much they used, the containers of flour and oil were not exhausted until the famine was over. It was a gift that kept on giving.

The wonder of it all is that the Lord can use everything for whatever purposes he chooses. Not to mention everyone. He chooses oddities and odd ducks for his divine purpose.

~~ Patsy Clairmont~~

### Prayer Requests

This can be used to share with the body a prayer request, a word from the Lord, a word of encouragement, or other news you would like the congregation to be praying about. (births, deaths, celebrations) Fill out this sheet and place it in the offering. Half sheets available from ushers or can be found in back of the church

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