

Fairview Presbyterian Church Weekly News

“Love Grows Here!”

February 16-22, 2026

Join us for Worship on Sunday!



Jesus' ride into Jerusalem at the beginning of Holy Week was full of risk. Rather than a nice impromptu celebration, it can be seen for the carefully planned and significantly symbolic event that would rub those in power the wrong way. In a moment already filled with tension, this “victory parade” had many implications, and as we know, many consequences.

Come learn more during worship and the sermon “The Parade: Risking Reputation.”

If you are joining us virtually:

1. You can find us live on Sunday mornings on Zoom:
<https://zoom.us/j/905436486>
Meeting ID: 905 436 486
2. You can also find our service posted to our YouTube Channel later on Sunday,
here: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCvb_imMOOo6qnV6jwQTGKTQ

Hope to see you this week!



If we ever need to cancel Sunday worship, we will try to make the decision no later than 8:30am on Sunday. Weather related cancellations will be announced through a church-wide email and the church Facebook page.

Church Directory

Copies of the new updated Church Directory are on the table in the Lobby.



Scammers

Just a reminder that Pastor Emily will never text or email you to ask for gift cards for those in need. This is a scam where individuals impersonate the pastor and prey on congregation members' goodwill and desire to help others.



More Nursery Volunteers Needed!

The past two Sundays we have had 7 little ones and 5 littles ones in the church nursery. How wonderful to have so many families with us on Sunday mornings! We are in need of more nursery volunteers to watch these precious little ones during worship. Volunteers must have current clearances on file in the church office. If we can build our nursery volunteer list back up to 12 sets of volunteers, you would only have to be in the nursery 4 times a year.

Please reach out to the church office, if interested.

Session Summary

Session held its stated meeting on Thursday, February 12th at 6:30pm

- Spent the majority of the meeting on elder training, team building, reflecting on the church's history – in particular the last 10 years, and looking ahead. This is the focus of the Session meeting every February.
- Approved the minutes of the annual congregational meeting, on behalf of the congregation.
- Reviewed financial reports for January 2026. Gina will transfer the remaining \$112.42 from the Building Fund into Operations and close out the account.
- Required PA Business Annual Report filed. Corporate Officers for 2026 are:
President – Dennis Vogan (Chair of Trustees)
Vice President – Jake Tobolewski (Co-Chair of Trustees)
Secretary – Tom Fetterman (Clerk of Session)
Treasurer – Gina Case (Treasurer)
- Heard an update from Personnel about work being done regarding hiring our next Administrative Assistant. The job description has been updated, the compensation package range has been approved, and a general timeline has been established.

The 2026 Trustees



Back row: Rich Eddy, Jake Tobolewski, Dennis Vogan, Ron Ferringer.

Seated: John Paden, Carol Loll. Not pictured: Steve Sample, Bill McNally.

The board of Trustees is made up of 8 trustees, elected by the congregation. They elect their own chair and secretary and are part of the Corporate Officers for our Pennsylvania Corporation. The Trustees meet the third Thursday of the month at 7:00pm, roughly monthly.

According to our Constitution, *The Book of Order*, the Trustees' responsibilities include:

The trustees shall have the following powers: to receive, hold, encumber, manage, and transfer property, real or personal, for and at the direction of the council, the session. (G-4.0101) The trustees' work is under the supervision and authority of the session. (G-4.0101)

Our trustees oversee the church building and grounds and address any concerns or issues that come up, do regular maintenance, and coordinate the lawn and snow care. Many trustees offer their knowledge and time and handle small repairs.

Our trustees do an excellent job of caring for the church building and grounds!

THANK YOU!

A wonderful member of the church donated the money for a new washer!
Thank you so much! Your thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated!

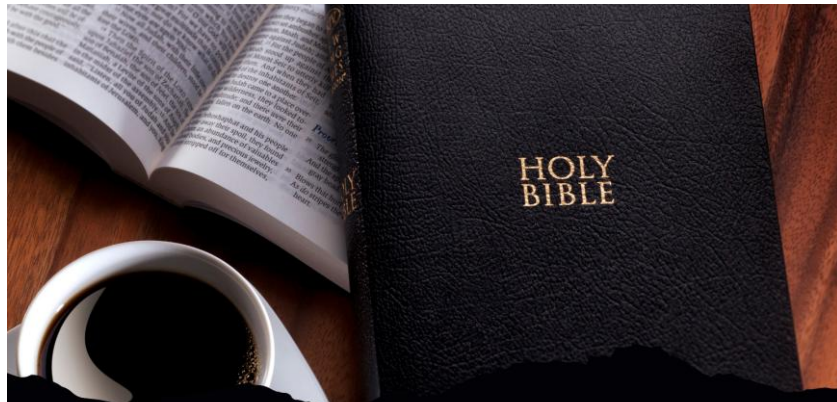
Holy Cross Fish & Shrimp Dinners Fridays during Lent, 4:30 – 7:00 pm

Your choice of fish, shrimp, or mac & cheese
Includes coleslaw, potato salad, roll & butter, beverage and dessert

Mac & Cheese - \$7

Fish/Shrimp - \$15

Dine In or Take Out!



STUDY OF PAUL

A Lenten study of Paul like you have never thought of him before.

2/25, 3/4, 3/11, 3/18, 3/25 7:00 – 8:00 PM

LED BY JAKE TOBOLEWSKI

ALL AGES WELCOME
FAIRVIEW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Sunday, March 1

The Youth Group will be having a Spaghetti Lunch on Sunday, March 1, right after worship! Please plan to come and enjoy a delicious lunch while supporting our Youth Group!