



Fairview Reformed Presbyterian Church

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March 15, 2026 | 10:45am

WORSHIP TO THE FAITHFUL GOD

Come and worship the Lord. From the old covenant to the new, He is forever faithful.

CALL TO WORSHIP – Lamentations 3:22–23

“The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases;
his mercies never come to an end;
they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.”

*HYMNS OF ADORATION “Great is Thy Faithfulness” (No. 54)

“O Sing a New Song to the Lord” (Psalm 96)

*PRAYER OF ADORATION AND INVOCATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING Genesis 15:1–6 (p.13)

RESPONSIVE CONFESSION OF SIN – Psalm 32:1–5

Leader: “Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered. Blessed is the man against whom the Lord counts no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit.

Congregation: **“For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away through my groaning all day long. For day and night your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, ‘I will confess my transgressions to the Lord,’ and you forgave the iniquity of my sin.”**

Privately confess your sin to the Lord

ASSURANCE: NEW TESTAMENT READING Romans 4:16–25 (p.1198)

²⁴ It [righteousness] will be counted to us who believe in him who raised from the dead Jesus our Lord, ²⁵ who was delivered up for our trespasses and raised for our justification.”

*HYMN OF ASSURANCE “My Jesus Fair”

PRAISES & REQUESTS

PASTORAL PRAYER

WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

*SCRIPTURE READING **Matthew 13:47–52** (p.1041)

**PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON **Two Last Kingdom Parables**

*HYMN OF FAITH “By Faith”

BENEDICTION

*HYMN OF COMMISSION – “By Faith”

*“We will stand as children of the promise
We will fix our eyes on Him, our soul’s reward
Till the race is finished and the work is done
We’ll walk by faith and not by sight.”*

*Please stand as you are able

**Children's worship is available age 4 through 1st grade

March 15, 2026

“Jesus Christ for Western Beaver County”

Songs for Worship

1 | Great Is Thy Faithfulness (No.54)

1. Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father!
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not Thy compassions, they fail not;
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

Chorus: Great is Thy faithfulness!

Great is Thy faithfulness!

Morning by morning new mercies I see;

All I have needed Thy hand hath provided

Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me.

2. Summer and winter and springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above,
Join with all nature in manifest witness
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love. **Chorus**

3. Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide,
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! **Chorus**

2 | O Sing a New Song to the Lord (Psalm 96)

1. O sing a new song to the Lord;
All earth sing to the Lord.
Sing to the Lord, and bless his name;
He saves! Each day proclaim.
His glory to all nations show;
His deeds let people know.

2. The Lord is great, great praise He's due.
He's feared above all gods.
For peoples' gods mere idols are;
The Lord the heavens made.
Before Him honor, majesty,
And strength and splendor dwell.

3. O families on earth, ascribe
All glory to the Lord.
All strength ascribe unto the Lord;
Give glory due His name.
Come to the Lord, into His courts,
And bring an offering.

3 | My Jesus Fair

1. My Jesus fair, was pierced by thorns,
By thorns grown from the fall
Thus He who gave the curse was torn
To end that curse for all.

2. My Jesus, meek, was scorned by men,
By men in blasphemy
Father, forgive their senseless sin!
He prayed for them, for me.

Chorus: O love divine, O matchless grace
That God should die for men!
With joyful grief I lift my praise,
Abhorring all my sin, adoring only Him.

3. My Jesus, kind, was torn by nails,
By nails of cruel men
And to His cross, as grace prevailed,
God pinned my wretched sin. **Chorus**

4. My Jesus pure was crushed by God,
By God, in judgement just
The Father grieved, yet turned His rod
On Christ, made sin for us. **Chorus**

5. My Jesus, strong, shall come to reign,
To reign in majesty
The Lamb arose, and death is slain,
Lord, come in victory! **Chorus 2x's**

4 | By Faith

1. By faith we see the hand of God
In the light of creation's grand design
In the lives of those who prove His faithfulness
Who walk by faith and not by sight.

2. By faith our fathers roamed the earth
With the pow'r of His promise in their hearts
Of a holy city built by God's own hand
A place where peace and justice reign.

Chorus:

We will stand as children of the promise
We will fix our eyes on him our soul's reward
Till the race is finished and the work is done
We'll walk by faith and not by sight.

3. By faith the prophets saw a day
When the longed for Messiah would appear
With the pow'r to break the chains of sin and death
And rise triumphant from the grave.

4. By faith the church was called to go
In the pow'r of the Spirit to the lost
To deliver captives and to preach the good news
In ev'ry corner of the earth **Chorus**

5. By faith the mountains shall be moved
And the pow'r of the gospel shall prevail
For we know in Christ all things are possible
For all who call upon His name. **Chorus 2x's**

Welcome

Welcome to worship. We are pleased you chose to worship with us today. If you have any questions about God, the Bible, or our church, or would just like to say hello, please talk with Pastor Jeff.

Nursery is available. See or call JoAnna with any questions. 724-601-7153.

- **Children's Worship**, led by Kim Forton & Helper Ben Forton

The Lord's Day

9:30am – Sunday Education Hour

Sunday School opens at 9:30am in the sanctuary.

Sunday School Superintendent: Kara Masters

Kids and Youth Classes

Toddlers & Pre-K: Room LL 203 Marie Fowler,
Diane Justice & Marci Thoman

Kindergarten thru 3rd: Room LL204 - Emily Forton

4th thru 6th: Room LL304 Helen Lorah
& Lisa Barney

7th thru 12th: Youth Room – Naomi Oosting
& Rosh Raines

Communicant's Class (6th-12th grade) with Pastor Jeff |
Conference Room (by kitchen)

Adult Education Classes

The Minor Prophets led by Steve Lorah / Fellowship Hall
Now - June 28

Jonah: The Depths of Grace led by Mark Oosting / Kitchen
Now - April 26

Sunday Worship

10:45am Morning Worship – Pastor Jeff will return to preaching God's word, using the book of Matthew. What does the whole word of God bring to bear upon us? Today we finish up Jesus' teaching on Kingdom Parables from Matthew 13:47-52. "The Parables of the Net and the New and Old Treasure."

Small Groups

(directly after Worship) Jeff & Linda Lyden's Home
(with Lunch served) 121 Hummel Drive Ohioville

5pm Dave & Linda D'Angelo's Home (dinner then
Bible study) 618 Cannelton Road Darlington

6pm Pastor Ric & Dee Dee Raines Home
220 Hickory Drive Chippewa

This Week

Monday 10am Bowling – at Walnut Lanes | 420
Walnut Street East Liverpool, OH

3pm Midland GNC – They meet in the
multipurpose room.

Tuesday 7pm Men's Bible Study - Join the men of
the church, in the Gospel of James "A Portrait of a
Living Faith". A beloved book so practical, so full of
vivid exhortations to live a godly life. We meet the
first and third Tuesdays of the month in the kitchen.

Wednesday 10am Ladies Bible Study – 1 & 2 Peter
"Living Hope in a Hard World" Meet in the Library
downstairs this week. Child Care available.

6:30pm – 8pm Covenant Kids - Grades 1-5 are
doing "Pilgrim's Progress." And 4yrs.- Kindergarten
are doing: The Armor of God.

6:30pm – 8:30pm The ROCK – We meet for games,
worship, Bible Study and snacks.

6:30pm Prayer & Study – We are using the book of
Acts to guide our prayer.

Thursday 3pm Fairview GNC – They meet in the
cafeteria.

6:30pm-8:30pm Fairview Teachers Appreciation
Dinner & Training – We will enjoy dinner together
at 6:30, and at 7:30, we will offer two different
training sessions – one for children's ministry and
one for adult ministry at Fairview.

Friday First Day of Spring

Next Sunday

9:30am Sunday Education Hour – Join us for the
opening in the sanctuary, before heading to class.

10:45am Morning Worship – Pastor Jeff will be
preaching from the book of Matthew 13:53-58 "The
Prophet in His Hometown". Jesus' teaching ministry
about the parables of the kingdom comes to a close.
Then he enters the synagogue and gets a puzzling
response. Amazement (v54-56) which leads to
"offense" (v57). What does Jesus' response to their
unbelief teach us about the reward of faith itself?

6pm Evening Worship – *All Things New: Prophecies*
of Final Restoration (Revelation 19-22) In a world of
hardship, sin, and evil, the promise of Jesus's final
return brings great hope: One day, Jesus will declare,
"Behold, I am making all things new." Next Sunday is
part two of a subject of great debate in recent
Christian history: **the Millennium**. You will learn all
the views, questions are encouraged. And Pastor will
explain his view of the Millennium. But, unlike most
folks who get lost inside timelines, we will not forget
the main hope: "Victory over Satan" (Revelation 20:1-
10). One day, the great deceiver will be crushed.

Congregational Announcements

Thanks to the missions committee and to all who stepped up almost immediately to help us put on the World Missions Conference 2026. It was a great blessing.

Pack the Church for Easter – Easter is coming. A day of resurrection. Talk to your family and friends who have been out of church. Let us pack the church for Easter.

Easter Flowers – We would like to decorate the sanctuary for the Easter services with flowers, to help display the glory of the resurrection. Simply purchase flowers, bring them to the church on Thursday, April 2 and set them on the display behind the pulpit. If you wish to commemorate someone, fill out the information slip and **return** it in the offering plate **by March 22**.

Diaper Blessing March 22 – August and Abby Stenswold are expecting their second child. Let's bless this growing family with diapers and wipes. March 22, immediately following the worship service in the fellowship hall. Grab a cookie and say hello to the Stenswolds.

Communicant Membership Fellowship Luncheon – see "Palm Sunday" in the box to the right about what to bring.

Save the Date! 2026 VBS June 8-12: The King is Coming! Join us for a royal VBS adventure where we'll discover how to prepare for Jesus, the King of Kings! Fill out the volunteer sheet and return it in the offering plate or put it in JoAnna Zehnder's mailbox by March 31st.

Fairview Food Pantry – For March we would like to restock the shelves with cereal, oatmeal packets, pancake mix, syrup, soup, chunky soup, crackers, canned ravioli, canned sloppy joe, canned tuna, canned chicken, ramen noodles, pasta & pasta sauce, rice, canned fruit, ketchup, mustard, mayonnaise, peanut butter and jelly.

CEF Walkathon – Child Evangelism Fellowship of Beaver County welcomes you to join us for our 6th Annual Walkathon! May 23, 2026, 10am-12pm at the Bradys' Run Health and Walking Trail. Bring the whole family for an enjoyable morning of live music, raffle baskets, kids zone with face painting & bounce house, free snacks, & fun for all ages.

Local summer mission opportunities through CEF of Beaver County! If you enjoy working with children, desire to share the gospel, and want to grow in your spiritual life, we have mission opportunities for you this summer!

1 CYIA - Christian Youth in Action – Growing Christians ages 14 and up can serve as a local missionary in Beaver County. Attend CEF of PA's awesome week of training June 13-19, 2026 with your team in Hooversville, PA and then teach/lead 5-Day Clubs and Good News Day Camp during July & August. Check out our brochure in the vestibule for details. *Need to apply by April 1, 2026.*

2 Good News Day Camp - Aug. 3-7 & 10-14 from 9:30-2:30 at Prayer Mountain in Darlington PA, experience the best weeks of summer! Children from all over Beaver County will be attending and you can help mentor, serve, and show the love of Christ in various capacities. Contact Edie Chaffee for more information 724-508-0757 or beavercountycef@gmail.com.

Easter Services

Palm Sunday ~ March 29 at 10:45am. We remember Jesus' victorious entry in Jerusalem. "Hosanna in the highest heaven!" **12:30pm Communicants luncheon** We will be celebrating Isaac and Adeline Bean as new communicant members. The Bean Family will be hosting the luncheon following the morning worship service. Main dish will be provided. **We are asking the church families to bring a side dish and dessert to share. All are welcome! (No Small Groups that night).**

Maundy Thursday Preparatory Service ~ April 2 @ 7:00 pm. Maundy Thursday remembers the evening before Jesus was crucified.

Joint Good Friday Communion Service ~ April 3 @ 7:00 pm. Now for the fourth year in a row, our 5 area PCA churches will hold a joint Good Friday Communion Service at Chapel Presbyterian Church. **Pastor Jeff** will be preaching. If able, please bring cookies to share. But don't let not-bringing-cookies keep you from coming.

Resurrection Sunday ~ April 20

****Pack the Church for Easter**** – This year only, session decided to shut down sunrise service and breakfast, for one purpose: *to encourage that we pack the church for Easter.* No evening worship either. Contact family. Contact friends. **Worship at 10:45.** Focus on filling the church with worship for Resurrection Sunday. Pastor will bring a focused gospel message.

9:30am Sunday Education Hour

10:45am Morning Worship Service – Josiah is bringing us a new song to sing today to prepare us to sing on Easter as well.

Worship Helpers

Worship Leader.....	Kevin Chaffee
Audio-Visual	Jon Forton & Gideon te Velde
Musicians.....	Linda D'Angelo, Josiah Forton & August Stenswold
Vocalist.....	Hannah Forton
Children's Worship.....	Kim & Ben Forton
Nursery.....	Laura & Emma Masters
Greeters.....	Jonathan & Grace Forton
Ushers	Doug Masters, Noah Oosting Micah Oosting & Rosh Raines

Next Week's Helpers

Worship Leader	Ben Hardesty
Audio-Visual.....	Jonathan & Grace Forton
Musicians.....	Linda D'Angelo, Josiah Forton Amy Hardesty & Kara Masters
Vocalist.....	Lindsey Hollabaugh
Nursery....	Naomi Oosting, Misty Miller & Anna Zehnder
Greeters.....	Philip & Edie Chaffee
Ushers.....	Brad Billheimer, Gideon te Velde Josiah te Velde & Ethan Masters

Sermon Notes

"Two Last Kingdom Parables"

Matthew 13: 47-52 (p.1041)

Prayers & Praises

"Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep." (Romans 12:15)

"Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ." (Galatians 6:2)

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