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> Second Place Winners: The Park (Bradford Creek) 15342 Wild Timber

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Thanks again for making our neighborhood a beautifully decorated winter wonderland!

Fairfield Girls Raise Money

for Tsunami Victims...

Aimee Wilhem and Shannon Samia would like to thank the Fairfield Community for their support in helping them to raise money for the tsunami victims.

With the generous donations of friends and neighbors, they were able to raise \$910.92 which they sent to the American Red Cross.

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Articles, classified ads (limit 30 words), questions regarding our regular columns, and teen job postings (i.e., additions, deletions and changes) must be submitted to the editor, Holly Reichert, via e-mail at hreichert@houston.rr.com. Photographs and graphics are accepted in either format and may be submitted along with any article.

When submitting articles and classifieds, please submit typed items only. Handwritten information will not be accepted. Always include your name and telephone number, as we must be able to contact you prior to printing your article.

The deadline for submission of the above is no later than the 10th of the month and will appear in the following month's Gazette. In order for the Gazette to be released on time the article submission deadline date will be strictly adhered to from now on. No articles will be accepted after the 10th of the month. Advertisers should contact Jeri Devoe at 713-569-5342 or jdevoe@Peelinc.com for advertising and "Business Classified.".

ALL ARTICLES AND CLASSIFIEDS MUST GO THROUGH THE EDITOR.

Articles submitted directly to the publisher will not be accepted or published.

Thank you, Holly A. Reichert (#281-304-9956)

Community Calendar

Tuesday, February 8, 2005 MOMS Club of Cypress NW-Fairfield Northwest Harris County Aggie Mother's Club Meeting

> Thursday, February 10, 2005 Senior's Pot Luck Supper

Friday, February 11, 2005 Northwest Harris County Aggie Mother's Club 13th Annual Dinner & Auction Fundraiser

> Tuesday, February 15, 2005 Fairfield Women's Club Meeting Senior's Game Night

> Wednesday, February 16, 2005 Fairfield Book Club Meeting

Saturday, February 19, 2005 Fairfield Sports Baseball & Softball Parade & Opening Day Boy Scout Troop 533 Delivery of Mulch & Fertilizer

> Thursday, February 24, 2005 Senior's Game Night





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4 Wheelers/Damage To The Common Areas...

As you may have noticed there is a great deal of damage to the common area grounds due to these 4 wheeler vehicles. We have received numerous reports of 4 wheelers being driven on the greenbelts and common areas. Fairfield has irrigation on these areas and the repair cost is passed along to you, the homeowners.

Individuals found damaging these areas will be held responsible for the damage they've caused. If you have witnessed these 4 wheelers and know who these individuals are, please let AMI know so that we can address this matter. Please also contact the Sheriff's Department at the non-emergency number, 713-221-6000.

Thank you.

To the Residents of Fairfield:

LOCK YOUR CAR DOORS!

The night of Wednesday, January 5th, my husband's truck was robbed. We didn't even realize until someone called the next morning and said he had found my husband's briefcase on Mason Road. We went outside, searched the truck and found they had stolen a palm pilot and digital camera. We called the police, and reported it. Later, we talked to others and found out that others had also had things stolen from their cars the same night. We don't even live close to each other.

How sad! I know that the days of unlocked doors are long gone, but sometimes accidents happen. The one night you don't lock up, whatever you leave in the car could be stolen. I know it's not the first time, but for several robberies to happen in one night, (blocks apart, on different sides of Mason road) we should start to take notice.

Take notice of our neighborhood, take notice of people out late at night. The police believe it to be "kids". We don't really know who is stealing from us. It could be people coming into the subdivision from elsewhere. For that reason, please take notice of what your children are doing and where they are.

Fairfield is a wonderful community with great people. Let's keep it that way.

Concerned Fairfield Resident

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The Fairfield Sports Page...

There are many things happening with Fairfield Sports. Here are a few...for more information on *SPORTS, CONCESSIONS, CALENDAR OF EVENTS, ADVERTISING, CONTACTS, LINKS, LOST & FOUND,* please visit the Fairfield Sport's website at **www.fairfield-sports.com.**

Important Dates to Remember:

February 1 – February 9	Baseball & Softball Tryouts (FAC Baseball Fields)
March 14	Volleyball Season Begins
February 20	Basketball Season Ends
March 14	Baseball & Softball Season Begins
February 23 – February 27	Basketball Playoffs
March 19	Baseball & Softball Opening Day
February 26	Volleyball Tryouts
March 27	Board Meeting
February 27	Board Meeting

Please remember to always check the website as dates, times and places can change at any time during the month.

As Fairfield Sports Spring Baseball Season is just around the corner, we'd like

In Loving Memory ...

Dear Fairfield Residents and Participants,

The foundation of each family and the foundation of each one of our Sport's Programs is comprised of children and parents. Over the past few months our program and more importantly our community has felt the loss of a very special young man, Weston Smith, the son of Doug and Lisa Smith; and a quiet, kind and giving man, Joe Zemba, husband of Lori and father of Craig and Brianna Zemba.

Weston and his family have been participants and actively involved in our sport's program over the past six years. Because Weston was such a fine young man and a great ball player we will be honoring Weston on opening day of the spring baseball season (March 19th) by handing out 2500 wristbands with Weston's name and his favorite bible verse engraved on the bands. The wristbands were designed by his brother Zach and the program was spearheaded by Steve Croes, Kelly Kippes and John Jenkins. In addition to the wristbands we will also be dedicating a tree, donated by Craig Harring of Cypress Landscaping, and placing that tree and a bench, donated by the Fairfield Women's Club, in a newly planned, landscaped area outside the centerfield fence of Lowe Field.

The sport's committee, along with other entities are discussing other ideas to honor Weston with Doug and Lisa. They are currently reviewing these ideas with the rest of their family — Erika, Lauren, Zach and Kyle. The ideas under review have no immediate timeline and may or may not be shared with the community before the March 19th opening day ceremony.

Joe Zemba, husband of Lori Zemba (Fairfield Sport's Equipment Commissioner), was a quiet, sharing and giving man. Lori and Joe have been extremely dedicated and involved in improving not only our program but our community as a whole. We will share how we will honor Joe at the March 19th Opening day ceremony.

The faith, hope and love shown to each of these families (Smith and Zemba) by the community has been and continues to be both heartwarming and comforting and a true testament to the people in our community.

I will finish this letter with a quote that really says it all. The quote comes from a paper that Lisa Smith, Weston's mother, let me borrow today titled "Fairfield is Awesome." Weston Smith wrote the paper two years ago in the 3rd grade:

"I really love Fairfield and I don't want it to ever change."

Please continue to keep both families in your thoughts and prayers.

Sincerely, Tom Cunningham Chairman, Fairfield Sports to keep everyone in the community up to date on what's coming down the line. For starters, please join all the Baseball and Girl's Softball Teams as they kick-off the Season and PARADE down the streets of Fairfield in full uniform with cars and trucks decorated in the great spirit of team ball on March 19 at 8:00 a.m. — to be immediately followed by opening ceremonies at the Fairfield Baseball Fields! Come see a game and enjoy lots of food and great fun for the day!

If you know someone in the community, family, friends or businesses who would be interested in sponsoring one or more of Fairfield's great baseball or softball teams, please contact Cindy Mendoza, Team Manager Coordinator, via e-mail address: teammanagers@fairfield-sports.com with the information (names, addresses, phone numbers, e-mail addresses).

Also, if you know of any businesses that might be interested in BANNER advertising on the Fairfield baseball field fences, please have them contact Holly Reichert at 713-899-1650 or via e-mail address: hollyr@mmgmedia.com. For more information on banner advertising, please go to the Fairfield Sports website: www.fairfield-sports.com and click on ADVERTISING – also where the banner advertising form is located.

Weston Smith Memorial Wristbands

To all the many people that donated money for the wristbands, Thank You! We have met our goal and then some. We were able to order 2,500 wristbands instead of 1,500 we were going to order. There will be 1,500 adult size bands and 1,000 youth size bands that will be given away just after the Baseball Opening Ceremonies on Saturday, March 19th. The Fairfield Sports Association has donated a booth, next to vendors row, for us to hand out the wristbands.

Again, Thank you, In His Honor Steve Croes, Kelly Kippes, John Jenkins

Keith Cougar News

In Honor of Weston, a fund has been set up to donate books to the Keith Elementary Library. If you would like to contribute to the Weston Douglas Smith Library Fund, please pick up an envelope from the front office and submit your money or check to Mrs. Leanne Drake in the Library. Your funds can be sent to your teacher, the library or the front office in the designated envelope.



Thank you.

Holiday on the Square

A good time was had by all at Fairfield's Annual "Holiday on the Square"!



Thanks to all of you who brought canned goods and toys for our donation to Cypress Assistance Ministries, Boys & Girls Country and Casa de Esperanza. Your generosity helped many needy families in our area have a happy holiday season.

Fairfield Athletic Center would like to thank all of our wonderful sponsors whose contributions made this year's Holiday on the Square possible. Don't forget to thank these local businesses, as events like these are not possible without their willingness to give back to our community.



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A special thanks to the staff at the FAC and to John Litton for your contribution to the event. This year we had three wonderful groups who showed up to help in anyway they could, even if that meant cleaning up the grounds after the event. Thanks to, Trinity Vineyard Church, Fairfield Baptist Youth Group, and to Dee Jagers and Girl Scout Troop #5485; you guys are awesome!

Lastly, a huge thank you goes out to Cy-Fair Station 7 Fire Department for your help in making Holiday on the Square possible.



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to sell high-quality mulch and fertilizer. The Troop will start taking orders on January 3, 2004 and will run through February 7, 2004. Here is the best part of it all, the products will delivered to your door on February 19, just in time for spring in Texas!

If you have any questions or would like a Scout to call on you, please call our Scoutmaster, Larry Fritsch at 281.373.1427 or our Committee Chairman, Linda Jaquez at 281.373.3928 and they will make sure a boy visits you.

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Annual Food and Toy Drive

Station 7 would like to say a special thank you to the Girl Scout Troop 5870 for all of their help with this year's food and toy drive. We truly appreciate all of the time and effort you spent helping us deliver and collect bags, and work the warehouse. Your hard work helped make this year's food and toy drive a huge success. Again, Thank You!

CPR & First Aid Classes

Do you or a group that you're associated with need a CPR or First Aid Class? The Cy-Fair Volunteer Fire Department hosts these classes every month. All classes are held at Station Nine in the Copperfield area. The cost is \$20 each per person or you can take both for \$35. Courses include infant, child, and adult CPR, as well as obstructed airway and rescue breathing. For more information or to sign up for a class, please call the Cy-Fair Volunteer Fire Department Business Office at 281-550-6663.

On the NET

Did you know we have a website? Visit us in cyberspace at www.cyfairvfd.com. There's something for everyone including information about the department, becoming a member, upcoming events, and other useful items.

New Members...

Want to join us? Anyone interested in becoming a Volunteer Firefighter, EMT, or learning more about the department is invited to visit the station on any Thursday evening between 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. or check our website at www.cyfairvfd.com. No experience necessary.

If you would like more information or have any questions, please contact B.J. Worster, Station 7 Public Relations @ 281-256-7530.



The Pet Corner:

ATTENTION FAIRFIELD PET OWNERS ...

My name is Susan Locke, I am the Lost and Found Pet Coordinator for Fairfield. I am a contact for someone that has lost or found a pet and tries to match the two together. I am unable to pick up, deliver or provide medical assistance to lost, found or injured animals. I would like to thank **ALL** my neighbors that have rescued my schnauzer and foster dog for the past couple of months. Your help and patience have been greatly appreciated and possibly saved both of their lives more than once. I can only stress the importance of a name tag in addition to the rabies tag being placed on your animal with name, home phone, cell number and street address. Wal-Mart, Petco and Petsmart all have ID tag machines located within the store for less than \$10 dollars.

ID tags are your pet's ticket home when lost!

February's Pet of the Month: 9 dogs are in need of loving homes. We have a resident that kindly rescued a dog in November only to find out she was pregnant and gave birth to EIGHT puppies on Jan 6, 2004! (Mom is pictured below) Our neighbor needs your help in finding homes for the Adult dog as well as her puppies. Please call Jenny at 713.744.8796 (day) or 281.213.3904 (evening) and she can email you a current photo and tell you all about them.

Are there any Fairfield Neighbors that can donate their web skills to help develop a website for lost and found animals that might be more user friendly than yahoo groups to encourage more members?

Please join out Lost and Found Members list at: <u>http://groups.yahoo.</u> <u>com/group/fairfieldpets</u>

Report Lost/Found Pet to Susan Locke at 281-304-7231 or <u>smltxag@houston.rr.com</u> or <u>http://groups.yahoo.com/group/fairfieldpets</u>

Female Mixed dog and puppies need home.





Dear Fairfield Residents,

Have you noticed the yellow ribbons around our neighborhood? These pretty ribbons show support for our military men and women

Let's Show Our SUPPORT!

Here's one of our brave countryman over in Iraq; please show your love and support by sending Kevin cards, letters, care boxes, whatever you can to show him he's in our hearts, thoughts and prayers:

Sergeant Allison, K.S. 1st BN 23rd MAR H & S Co. Sniper Plt/recon Unit 41900



serving our nation. I enjoy and appreciate seeing these ribbons on a daily basis. You see, our son is a medic in the U.S. Army stationed in Iraq and these yellow ribbons speak to me. Each ribbon represents a heart. Thus, I'm asking you to display yellow ribbons in your yard to remind us all of the efforts

these people do to provide us the freedoms we enjoy daily.

With the recent deaths of several area service men, these ribbons take on a very personal meaning. This letter is not intended to state whether or not our troops should be in Iraq; it is much more personal than that. It is intended to persuade you to join together to make Fairfield a premier neighborhood whose voices reach personally to individual service personnel showing words of acknowledgement, appreciation, and encouragement.

Therefore, I am also asking individuals, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Women's clubs, sports teams, senior clubs, and churches to take time to send cards or letters to a specific service person until they come home. If you would like an individual name and address to send your words to, just call me (281-373-0142) and I'll gladly provide you with one. I'm sure there are other families in Fairfield who have loved ones and friends serving in the military. If you would like to submit a person's name and address as a recipient, drop their information into the decorated box at the Fairfield Athletic Center.

Together we can reach around the world and bring Texas to those protecting us all!

Sincerely, Peggy Gardner, Fairfield Resident



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For questions or information, please call Kristi Aaby-Arsenault at 281-304-7852.



COOKBOOKS For Sale

The Fairfield Womens Club has their first issue of cookbooks available with 400 recipes that are certain to help you through the busy holiday season. The books sell for \$10 each



and are a perfect addition to any cookbook collection.

We will have a booth at Holiday on the Square selling the cookbooks or you may contact Kim Urban at 281-373-0014 or <u>krayurban@sbcglobal.net</u> if you would like more information.

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Attention: 2005 Fairfield Senior High Students



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If you have any questions, please call Vivian Sobotik, Scholarship Chairperson, at 281-373-9323

Fairfield Book Club



The Fair field Book Club has room for new members!

We are a fun group who like to read and get together once a month to talk about books. Our members range from sporadic to avid readers. The book club is a great place to meet new people, have good conversations, and develop new friendships.

We've been in FF for about five years. In the past we have read such varied selections as, Cane River, Wicked, Pillars of the Earth, The Pilot's Wife, Seabiscuit, and The Guardian.

We meet the third Wednesday of each month from 7:00 pm-9:00pm(ish).

If you are interested in joining us or have questions, please call Linda at 281-304-8011.



$\frac{www.}{A} \frac{Fairfield Seniors}{Group.com} Group.com}{A \ \text{Fun-Loving Over Fifty Group}}$

The Seniors of Fairfield are an active, fifty plus, fun-loving group of couples and singles who share fellowship, events, and activities. *If you or your spouse are fifty or older*, a newcomer to Fairfield Village or even if you have lived here in the Wonderful World of Fairfield for some time, but have never attended one of our functions you are cordially invited. Come be a part of our fun-loving group.

JANUARY HAPPENINGS:

The pictures from our trip to Beaumont, Texas are posted on our web site under Trips Pictures. The January pot luck pictures are posted under Pot Luck Pictures and our two game night pictures are under the Game Night Pictures hyperlink.

FEBRUARY ACTIVITIES PLANS:

Thursday, February 10th: Our Potluck Night at the Lakeside Trails Club House starts around 6:30pm. Try to get there early for some mixing and fellowship. This is our Valentine's theme potluck. I'm sure we will have some heart shaped cakes for desert. We could if we have enough interest have our dessert while playing some games.

Tuesday, February 15th: Game Night at the Cook's 6:30 pm. The directions are posted on our web site on the activities page. Directions will also be in our February 13th weekly email planner. This is always pleasant gathering for games and fellowship. We might have a few more games. Don't miss it.

Thursday, February 24th: Game Night at Lakeside Trails Club House, 6:30 pm to 11pm. We would like to have a few more members get out for this get together. It would be terrific if we could get someone to introduce a few new games. If you have a favorite card or board game, bring it and teach the rest of us how to play.

For All Activities Other Than Trips: Call Mary Lou Cook for more details at... 281-304-8359 FEBRUARY TRIP PLANS:

Friday, February 18th: The plans for this trip are just now being finalized; however, we were not able to confirm them prior to our submission due date to the gazette. The details for this trip will be sent out to everyone on our email list, along with the cost and departure time for this outing. You can call Susan at **281-304-7837** to get your name(s) on the list and/or for additional trip information. Checks for our trips need to be made out to Susan Haushalter.

UPCOMING TRIP DATES:

Mark you calendars with these dates for some fantastic trips: *Saturday, March 12th, Saturday, April 16th, Saturday, May 21st and Saturday, June 25th*. Details for these trips will be posted when available.

FAIRFIELD SENIORS WEEKLY PLANNER:

A planner each week is emailed to its members. It provides the current information for the upcoming weeks events: planned activities, member birthdays, and other news of interest. If you would like to receive our weekly email planner, send your email address to:

Fairfield-Seniors@houston.rr.com.

We recommend that you check our web site regularly, for the latest information. Things change from the time an article must be submitted to the Gazette and when you receive the Gazette.

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Moms In Touch International

Every week, in every state of the U.S. and in 85 countries around the world, thousands of mothers meet to pray for their children and their schools. They gather in Mexico, New Zealand, China, Germany, India, Uganda, Egypt, Romania, Russia and many other countries. They are all part of *Moms In Touch International*, an interdenominational, nonprofit ministry of women who believe prayer makes a difference.

The group was founded in 1984 by Fern Nichols while she was stationed in Abbotsford, British Colombia with a Christian ministry. She had two sons entering junior high school. Nichols knew her boys were going to face their greatest test yet in resisting immoral values, vulgar language, and peer pressure. She found other concerned mothers, and they began meeting for prayer.

The following summer Nichols and her family moved to Poway, California, where by the fall of 1985, a group was established at Poway High School. The women met once a week and prayed for a full hour for their children and the school. They prayed for a *Moms In Touch* group for every school in their district, and they shared the concept with their friends and other moms they met. Two years later, Nichols published a *Moms In Touch* booklet, and the following January the first *Moms In Touch* retreat was held. Today there are thousands of *Moms In Touch* groups meeting worldwide.

The organization's goal is to have a group of two or more moms praying for every school in this country and throughout the world. We know our children face many challenges at school (academics, drugs, peer pressure and violence), and to stand in the gap for them through prayer is our highest calling.

The mothers meet once a week to pray for teachers, principals and administrators, conferences, respect for authority, curriculum choices, holiday situations, coaches and athletic programs, high standards, family values, after school programs, problems faced by the students and for the specific needs of the children of the mothers in the group.

If you are interested in joining a Moms In Touch group, please call Alecia Mallett at 281 -256-0433

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The MOMS Club of Cypress NW-Fairfield *is calling all Stay-At-Home Moms*

MOMS (Moms Offering Moms Support) Club is a support group for all moms who make the important decision to stay at home to raise their children so whether you are expecting your first child or are a veteran mom with school age kids there is sure to be something of interest in our group. The MOMS Club of Cypress NW-Fairfield serves the entire Fairfield subdivision in Cypress. Interested moms who live outside Fairfield please visit *www.momsclub.org*.

The MOMS Club has numerous activities including playgroups, babysitting co-op, Moms Night Out, coupon swap, cooking and crafts.

Our next monthly all-member meeting will be held at Good Shepherd United Methodist Church located on Cypresswood Drive in Fairfield on the second Tuesday of the month at 10:00 AM.

For more information please contact Deborah Gilstrap, Membership VP at 281-304-6552 or email debgilstrap@swbell.net or Amy Wilczek, President, at 281-304-4640 or email amywilczek@yahoo. com with MOMS Club in the subject line.

We are happily welcoming new moms at each meeting, hope to see you there!



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February 8, 2005 – Second Tuesday of the month

Please join the Northwest Harris County Aggie Mothers' Club on Tuesday, February 8, 2005 to hear Lisa Whittlesey '89, an Extension Program Specialist speak about the National Junior Master Gardeners and floral arranging. Our meeting begins with a brief social at 7:00p.m. at the Foundry Methodist Church, in the Fellowship Hall, 8350 Jones Road, Jersey Village (one block North of Hwy 290).

For more information or carpool possibilities please call: Mary Vargo at: 281-433-3042 E-mail – mkvargo1@juno.com

Come One! Come All! To The 13th Annual Dinner and Auction, **'BOOT SCOOTIN'**, sponsored by the Northwest Harris County Aggie Mothers' Club. This **'Silent and Live Auction' fundraiser** will be held on Friday, February 11, 2005, at the Wyndhaven Terrace Banquet Room (12716 Cutten Road; just off of FM 1960 W, Houston). The fun begins at 6:30p.m. Dress will be Casual Denim or Glitzy Bling!!

Please plan on joining us for a delicious Buffet Dinner and Cash Bar. Tickets are \$20.00 per person. For further questions, donation information, or to purchase tickets, please call Sue Dehnert at: 281-890-8686. Seating is limited, so we encourage you to purchase your tickets <u>a.s.a.p.</u>

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Family Friends



We Need Volunteers and Families!

Family to Family Network is an organization that empowers families of children with disabilities by providing information, training, referral and support. We are initiating a new project in the Houston area called Family Friends. It is an intergenerational program that matches volunteers (age 55+) with children with special needs and their families. The Family Friend (volunteer) will visit the home once a week for a couple of hours to offer support and encouragement by reading a book, playing, and become a friend!

<u>The family</u> gains from the emotional support provided by the volunteer. Their visits often give family members a break from caring for their child with disabilities, all the while knowing the child is in good hands.

<u>The Volunteers</u> offer their special skills, wisdom, support and life experiences. They gain a sense of pride knowing that they are making a difference in the family's life.

<u>The Community</u> is strengthened by volunteers providing supportive services that would otherwise prove too costly for the families.

If you are 55 years or older or have a child with a disability and are interested in this wonderful program, Please call Patricia McMahan or Aline Houston at Family to Family Network (713)-466-6304

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Fairfield Athletic Club News:

Hours at the Club

Monday thru Thursday	,	5:00 a.m-10:00 p.m.
Friday		5:00 a.m-8:00 p.m.
Saturday		8:00 a.m-8:00 p.m.
Sunday		1:00 p.m-8:00 p.m.
	Friday Saturday	Saturday Sunday

New Card Replacement Policy - The FAC has started a new policy for members that have lost their cards. For anyone who has to have a new card made, we will be charging a mandatory \$2.00 fee. If you have simply misplaced your card, we ask that you try to locate it before requesting a replacement. We thank you for your cooperation, and if you have any questions, please call us at 281-373-0834.

Guests - If you are going to bring a guest with you to the FAC, you will need to pay a \$5.00 guest fee and have your guest sign a waiver. ALL guests must be accompanied by a resident.

Weight Room Orientation - Orientation will be offered at the club on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m.Please call the front desk to make sure of the dates, occasionally we do have to change our dates due to our trainer's schedule

WEIGHT ROOM RULES - No one under the age of 12 is allowed in the weight room. 12-14 year olds must have completed weight room orientation and be accompanied by an adult that is taking responsibility for them. 15 year olds must have completed weight room orientation. We would like to remind residents that proper athletic attire must be worn when working out. We will not allow residents to work out in jeans, blue-jean shorts or other non-athletic apparel._

Rentals - The FAC rents out the Golf Center, the Bradford Creek clubhouse, and The Lakeside Trails clubhouse. For rental fees please call the FAC.

Tennis - If anyone is interested in finding out more about tennis activities at the FAC you can email factennis@yahoo.com for more information. We offer lessons for adults and children. We have a tennis pro, Charles Boyd that has many years

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of experience teaching tennis.

Adult Lap Swimming - If you are over the age of 18 you can sign a waiver and lap swim when the FAC is open. The only time that lap swimming is not available is when swim team practice is going on in the afternoon from 4:30 to 7:30pm. If you have any questions about lap swimming please call the FAC at 281-373-0834.

Before and After School Counselors - The FAC is hiring counselors for the Before and After School program. You must be 18 years old and have graduated from high school. Please call Linda Litton for more information at 281-373-0834.

Aerobics - Morning aerobics classes, taught by Laura Schutt, are on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 9:30am to 10:30am at the the Golf Center. Evening aerobics classes, taught by Nancy Wong, are Monday and Wednesday from 6:30pm to 7:30pm at the Golf Center. Please come for a free tryout.

Yoga - Yoga classes, taught by Nancy Wong are on Monday and Wednesday from 7:30pm to 8:30pm at the Golf Center. Please come try out a class for free!

Life guarding - If you are interested in life guarding this summer, please come into the Fairfield Athletic Club and fill out an application by Feb.13th. Life guard interviews will be Sunday, February 20th from 6-7 pm at the FAC. Once selected in the interview, life guard certification training required by Ellis & Associates will be March 17-21 at the FAC. Returning guards will also be required to take the Ellis recertification training on March 17-21. Qualifications of Life guards: 15 yrs. old, dependable, punctual, keen sense of importance for water safety. If you have any questions regarding life guarding, please call the Fairfield Athletic Club (281)373-0834 and ask for Charlotte Byrne.

FAC Website: www.fairfieldclub.com



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Texas Terrapins Swim Team

The Texas Terrapins Swim Team celebrated holidays with a trip to the Matt Family Orchard (just off Mueschke Rd.). It was great fun with a hayride, a campfire and S'mores.



Our team t-shirts are finally here, so start looking for the bright lime green shirts every Wednesday at school. We are in our champion-



ship season now, with most swimmers having their Champs meet in February. We have a two-week trial period for anyone that wants to try swimming year round. We will help you learn your strokes and the turns and have tons of fun along the way!

TTST swimmers show off their new turtle shirts at the recent "Winter Champs" Swim Meet.

Go to <u>www.texasterrapins.com</u> or call Coach Barbara @ 713-725-6190.

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Is My Child Ready for Swim Team?

This is a very common question this time of year. Here are some guidelines that will help you decide if your own child is ready for this wonderful sport.

DESIRE: This should be your first consideration. If your child doesn't have the desire to be on swim team, chances are they are not ready. Swim team takes a lot of commitment (especially on the parents' part). Practicing almost every day and doing swim meets every weekend is very tough for those not ready. Even if they just want to participate because their friends are, that will be enough desire to see them through the hard parts!

ABLITY: Some parents put their child on swim team to <u>learn</u> to swim. While some may be able to learn strokes from a coach on deck, it's really best to make sure your child is safe enough in the water that they can make it to the side of the pool on their own. The older the child, the easier it is for them to take in what a coach is telling them and be able to make their body do it. Younger children require more "hands on" work to help legs and arms do what they are supposed to. What is really hard is when a child learns the wrong (hard) way and practices those bad habits. Muscles have memory and it is hard to change them once a habit is set — so children that are a "clean slate" and haven't learned the strokes at all will do best with instruction from in the water.

<u>Any</u> child that has a fear of water can overcome it with time and patience. Sometimes those children continue to be afraid while they are still learning. Once they conquer their fear, they just take off, like a switch has been turned on — it's great! What's best for these children is parents and teachers/coaches that are very patient and encouraging. It's also important to these children to know that they are safe in the pool with their coaching staff. If you are not sure your child has the ability, but they do have the desire, now is the time to put them in swim lessons!

FUN: Swimmers are likely to excel if they are truly having fun. Try not to be too serious about swim team. Leave your child to the coaches at practices, and at meets, only be encouraging. It is the coach's job to constructively criticize, and it will mean more to your child coming from the coach.

If you think your child is very talented and has a chance to really excel in this sport, the fun factor is extremely important. When a child reaches the age of eleven or twelve and wants to pursue swimming at a higher level, that's when the seriousness begins – on their part. The parent needs to stay in a supportive role throughout their child's swimming development.

All children can learn to love swimming and be very competent swimmers with the right balance of instructional coaching and supportive parenting. As a swim coach, I will not turn away any child (age 4 and up) that has a desire and the ability to swim. Many children need a few weeks or even a month to see if they can do this sport. While still learning, however, swim meets are best only when they can navigate the 25 meters on their own (and within a reasonable time – no 5 minute 25's!)

The **Texas Terrapins Swim Team (TTST)** of Cypress, Texas is a yearround competitive swim team offering instruction and competition to swimmers of all ages and abilities. The **Texas Terrapins Swim Team** provides a positive, supportive and fun-filled environment where swimmers can improve their skills and meet their individual goals. Through the guidance of trained, experienced coaches, coupled with the support of the families, we encourage team spirit, sportsmanship and a lifelong love of the sport of swimming. Also, please visit our team website at: <u>www.TexasTerrapins.</u> <u>com</u> or contact our Head Coach, Barbara Harold, at <u>swimbarb@igg.net</u>.



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Thinking of buying or selling your home in 2005? It can be tough to sell resales when your competing with New Construction, call me today to see how I can help you sell your home. Sticking a sign in the yard doesn't cut it anymore, buyers today are very internet savvy, having your home listed on several websites, including the ONLY Fairfield Website dedicated to the residents of Fairfield, (My site features only FAIRFIELD listings) works.

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F.A.S.T.

HEY ALL YOU FAIRFIELD SWIMMERS ... It's not too early to be thinking about summer swim league! We are planning an exciting new year in Division 4 that will include a new coaching staff, great social events for the whole family and best of all a fun team for you to be a part of!!



It's time to mark your calendars for some upcoming dates to remember:

Registration:	Saturday, March 19, 2005, following the baseball opening ceremo- nies at FAC Saturday, March 26 th at FAC		
Swim clinic:	Monday, March 28 – April 21 Meet twice per week for 4 weeks (M/W or T/Th)		
Practice Begins:	Monday, April 25 th		
Blue and White Meet:	Wednesday, May 11th and Thursday, May 12th		
1 st Meet:	Saturday, May 21st		
Watch for more details in future newsletters and get ready to			

HAVE FUN WITH F.A.S.T.!!!

Cy-Fair Jackets looking for Players!

The Cy-Fair Jackets are looking to expand their 9U AAA roster for the remaining fall tournament and spring 2005 season. We are looking for players having AAA skills and experience, the desire to listen, work hard, learn, and most important, have fun. We also seek supportive and cooperative parents.

If you would like more information about the team and would like to schedule a tryout, please contact Jim Webb at 281-788-9206 or <u>CoachJim@JAXBaseball.com</u>. You can visit our website at <u>www.JAX-Baseball.com</u>



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Little Lamb News - January

Our spring semester at Little Lambs Mother's Day Out and Preschool is off to a chilly start. During the frosty month of January, we had fun with our snowy friends, dinosaurs and discovering space. We are looking forward to in February celebrating Valentine's Day and becoming cowboys and cowgirls during our Rodeo/Texas theme.



We will begin registration for the 2005-2006 school year the first week in February. We will conduct registration online and in person again this year. Registration will begin at 9 a.m. on the following dates: January 31 - church members with children currently or previously enrolled our program, February 1 - currently enrolled students, February 2 - church members new to the program and February 3 - open registration. Little Lambs is weekday ministry of Good Shepherd United Methodist Church in Fairfield. We have two and three day program options serving children from 18 months of age to Pre-Kindergarten. We also have four day "Bridge" Program for children who are five years of age but not attending kindergarten in the fall. Please call Sheree or Claire at 281-373-0052 or go to our website littlelambsmdo.org for more information about our program.

Fairfield Kids Club Preschool



We have openings in the 2's 3' and 4's and if you want to give us a call we can give you more information about the days that are available. Please ask to speak to Charlotte Byrne at the FAC at 281-373-0834.



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CY-FAIR PROJECT PROM 2005 NEWS

The Project Prom committee only has a few more months until the **BIG EVENT** on **May 6th**, **2005**. We have had great participation from many senior parents, although there are still a lot of senior students that have not been represented either at the parent meetings or through the various fundraisers that have taken place since the beginning of the school year. We have several fundraisers that are for parents who don't have the spare time to donate. Most of our fundraisers enable the parents to earn Project Prom Bucks for their Senior(s). Some of those are:

- Busy Parent Fundraiser Funds donated may be written off on your 2005 tax return. Seniors receive Prom Bucks for each \$25.00 donated.
- Willowbrook Mall will donate a percentage of your purchase during the month of February to Project Prom. All you have to do is present your receipts to the information booth on the day you make a purchase.
- Market Day Grocery shopping via the net. Check out their website, <u>www.marketday.com</u>. Internet orders are due February 26th. Your order can be picked up at the school cafeteria on March 8th. Seniors receive 100 Prom Bucks per \$1.00 spent.

- Krogers Grocery Card Krogers will donate a percentage of your entire purchase. All you have to do is present your Kroger Share Card to the checker at the time of your purchase. What an easy way to contribute! Please call Kay Vaul at 281-894-1697 or Myrna Piper at 281-256-1821 if you are in need of a card.
- Corporate Donations We are still in need of help in this area. This is for those parents whose employer is looking for a worthy cause to donate to and earn a tax write-off at the same time. Donation forms and letters can be picked up from Cathy Havels office at Cy-Fair High School. Prom Bucks will also be earned.
- Rudy's La Maria Cantina Dine in on any Saturday and Rudy will donate 10% of your total bill to Project Prom. A coupon must be presented at the time. To obtain a coupon, please visit our website <u>www.cyfairprojectprom.com</u>.

For those parents who were not aware of the parent meetings, they are held the second Monday of every month in the High School Cafeteria at 7PM. Our next meeting is February 21st, 2005 (due to Valentine's Day).

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Don't Miss Out on L.I.F.E.

L.I.F.E at Cy-Fair College will cover the creation of Valentine cards Feb. 2, a field trip to "Forbidden Gardens" Feb. 9, the ancient healing practice of acupuncture Feb. 16 and insights on antiques Feb. 23. These weekly programs are free and held Wednesdays at 10 a.m. in the Cy-Fair College Branch Library (Room 131.) Call the library at 281-290-3213 for L.I.F.E. program information or check the library web page online at cy-faircollege.com/library.

Spring Film Series Under Way

Among some of the February features of the Cy-Fair College's Spring Film Series are "Scotland, PA"; "Hero"; "The Gold Rush"; "A Day Without a Mexican"" and "The Killing Fields." Professors and student organizations host the films and discussions at Barker Cypress campus and Fairbanks Center at no charge to students or the community. The film series, which is part of an effort to promote cultural activities on campus, is also offered as a free continuing education class. Go online at: <u>http://faculty.nhmccd.edu/robobrien/Film_Series.html</u> for information.



CY-FAIR KIWANIS CLUB OF HOUSTON

Kiwanis, International is a worldwide service organization with "Children, Priority One" as its primary focus. Kiwanians work for a better quality of life for the citizens of the Cy-Fair area, the state, the nation, and the world.

This Club is a "Service Club," rich in tradition and pride in its accomplishments. Members engage in various fund raising events to support youth organizations, such as Key Club, the high school division of Kiwanis, Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, as well as other charitable organizations that assist families. An annual golf tournament is one of the primary fund-raisers along with a few sales projects. Kiwanis is a nonprofit organization and all funds raised are used to support these organizations and charities.

The Cy-Fair Club, an affiliate of the International organization, meets three times a month at the Hearthstone Country Club in Copperfield from 12:15 p.m. to 1:15 p.m. for lunch, fellowship, the reporting of progress of the Club's sponsored children and youth projects, and programs by guest speakers on subjects involving community affairs.

On the first Tuesday, **January 6th**, **Boy Scouts** in the Cy-Fair area will be the focus. The speaker will be Ronald George, Boy Scout District Executive Director. George Crowl is the Kiwanis Club liason to the Boy Scouts. The Cy-Fair Club provides monetary support for several scouting activities. On **January 13th**, the Club will host a speaker from the **Salvation Army**. On **January 20th**, the speaker will be **John Devine**, former district judge and current candidate for the new Legislative District which includes the Cy-Fair area. He will discuss issues, concerns, and priorities that face the citizens of the district.

If you would like to know more about Kiwanis and the service programs it promotes, call Peggy Presnell, President, at 281-304-7127. Membership is by invitation and is open to those who share the philosophy of joining in efforts to improve the community, the nation, and the world.





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Shannon Archabal	14	•	W		281-256-2276
Ben Baltes					
Nicole Bell					
Ashlee Bennick					
Megan Booth					
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Jacob Campbell	13	•	•W	•	281-373-0701
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FAIRFIELD COMMUNITY GAZETTE - February 2005 31

Congregation Jewish Community North to Present Play on Health Care Issues...Community is invited to attend on Saturday, February 12, 2005.

Congregation Jewish Community North, located at 5400 Fellowship Lane in Spring, will host a reader's theater production of the play Primary Care, on Saturday, February 12, 2005 at 7:00 p.m. The event is free and open to the community.

Primary Care dramatizes the issues facing families, medical professionals and community leaders seeking to provide responsible care for the aged. This short play includes a frank discussion of medical ethics related to Alzheimer's Disease and end of life issues. The story realistically explores the issues of poverty, delivery of health care and the various attitudes towards death and dving that must be faced in today's complicated medical world. The reading will be followed by a panel discussion / moderated question and answer session open to the audience. Native Houstonian William Monroe in collaboration with Thomas Cole wrote the play.

William Monroe (Ph.D., University of Chicago, 1982) is Professor of English and Associate Dean of the Honors at the University of Houston. Historian Thomas R. Cole is a Professor at the Institute for Medical Humanities, University of Texas Medical Branch. Appearing in the reader's presentation will be Megan Cole, Tanya Lunstroth, Joyce Murray, Brandon Hearnsberger and Beth Kungel Borck.

For more information or directions to the synagogue, please contact the office at 281-376-0016.



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One of the many things that makes the Bible unique is prophecy. Jesus spoke of the end-times in his teachings, and he was very specific about what would happen. One of those specifics is that Israel will sign a seven-year peace treaty one day with the leader of the European Union. But this man will break that treaty at the midpoint, and he will set up an image of himself in the rebuilt Jewish temple in Jerusalem. That image is called the Abomination of Desolation. When this event transpires Jesus has cautioned all Jews and Christians who live in Judea to flee, for they will be at the highest risk for arrest due to their loyalty to Jesus (Mark 13:14-23).

As they flee Jerusalem during that time many false prophets will arise. Mark 13:22 says that "they will appear performing signs and wonders." Christians will be desperate for good news, so they'll be susceptible to the claims of these false prophets. The epistle of 2 Corinthians says this about false teachers: "…such men are false apostles… disguising themselves as apostles of Christ. And no wonder, for even Satan disguises himself as an angel of light. Hence it is not surprising if his servants also disguise themselves as servants of virtue…" (11:13-16).

Jesus tells us to "watch out!" The fact that he warns us of "everything

ahead of time" shows that prophetical teachings, given many years before they will actual occur, are meant to warn people about what's coming in the future. Jesus' coming will be unmistakable, and no one will miss it, for Mark 13:26 says that he will appear in the clouds, and the whole world will witness his second coming to the earth. But he's only taking Christians with him. The rest will judged for their rejection of him most severely (cf. Matthew 25:46).

God's people must be watchful today. False teachers are everywhere – even in churches. Many believe that they are eternally saved because they think they're good. But consider Matthew 7:21-23: "Not everyone who says to me 'Lord, Lord' will enter the kingdom of heaven; but he who does the will of my Father... Many will say to me on that day, 'Lord, Lord, did we not prophesy in your name and in your name cast out demons and in your name perform many miracles?' And I will declare to them, 'I never knew you; depart from me you doers of unrighteousness." So beware of false prophets today, and make sure you understand what it really means to be a Christian. Your eternal destiny rides on that one bit of understanding.

If you have questions about your eternal destiny, and/or you're seeking a Bible-teaching church, call us at Harvest Bible Church at 281-304-1441. You can consult our website at <u>www.harvestbiblechurch.net</u>



Catholic News

We are an active group of Catholic's that attend and support Christ the Redeemer Catholic Church on Huffmeister. If you are new to the neighborhood, please go by the parish office and pick up a welcome packet. Mass times at CtR are Saturday: 5 pm; Sunday: 7:30, 9, or 11am and 5:00 pm. Mon., Tues, Thurs. & Fri at 9 am and Wed. at 7 pm.

We share our faith with the our neighbors in Fairfield through a local C.C.E. program K-8th grade, adult and family faith formation, spiritual activities, etc. These activities are planned by a core group of volunteers that meet on a monthly basis. If you would like to become more involved and get to know your neighbors and Catholic community better, please call Anna Marie Novoa at 281-213-3136.

Feast of Fellowship Ministry: This ministry has been created due to the increase in new parishioners and new Catholic neighbors within our community. We want to you to come and join us for Catholic sharing in a new approach to ministry: *sharing the family table*. Our designated host families will be hosting another dinner in February. If you would like more information, please contact Bill Bradley at wjbgolf2003@yahoo. com or Leslie Ann Seifert at lseifert@houston.rr.com.

Adult 10 Commandment study in Fairfield: Sunday's, 4:45-5:45 pm during CCE class time. We are so excited to offer a new fall study about The 10 Commandments. We all need to be reminded they are *commandments*, not *suggestions*. Come join us after you drop your child off for CCE at the Lakeside Trails Clubhouse. For more information call Bill or Stacie Bradley at 281-304-9341.

C.C.E. CLASSES (Continuing Christian Education): Fairfield holds CCE classes for K-8th in local homes every Sunday from 4:30-6 pm. This CCE program is affiliated with Christ the Redeemer Catholic Church off Huffmeister/290. Please keep praying for all the teachers and students this year, as we strive to serve our Lord and learn more about our faith. If you should ever have any questions or concerns about our Fairfield CCE program, please call Katie Smith at 281-373-9008.

BIBLE STUDIES: Men's in FF: Sunday, 8:30-9:30 pm at the Golf Center. If you have any questions or concerns, please call James Smith at 281-373-9008. **Adult at CtR:** Every Thursday at 7 pm at Christ the Redeemer, room 113. For more information call Rose Mary Potter at 281-469-5533. **Jr. & High School at CtR:** T.N.T., Tuesday Night Truth, at Christ the Redeemer. For more information call the parish office at 281-469-5533.

FLAG POLE at AULT: Every Wed, from 6:30-6:45 pm, local Catholic's come together in prayer at the Ault Elementary flagpole. Everyone is welcome to join!

If you would like to be added to the local Catholic's mailing list or have a change of address, please call Katie Smith at 281-373-9008.



Fairfield Baptist Church

Upcoming Events

God's Little Angels MDO will begin Public Registration on February 2 for the Fall program. Registration will continue until all classes are filled.

God's Little Angel's MDO is a Tuesday/Thursday program that meets from 9 am to 2 pm and closely follows the Cy-Fair calendar. For more information concerning our program, contact Director Jenny Cunningham at 281-373-5446 or jenny.cunningham@fairfieldbaptist.com.

Join Student Ministry for Winter Camp February 25-27, 2005 in Trinity Pines TX. "Master's Commission", a Discipleship/Drama group will be the Special Guest, along with Rodney Ring and the "Big E". Cost is \$100. Our weekly worship times are Wednesday night "Halftime", from 6:45-9:00 pm. Sunday morning small groups at 10:15 am and Sunday evening "Free Shipping" from 5:00-7:00 pm. If you would like to be added to weekly e-mail updates, please e-mail <u>vickie.brummett@fairfieldbaptist.</u> <u>com</u>. Events and schedule updates are also available on our website.

"Worship is a lifestyle not an event." Join us as we welcome Kevin DeFreese, our new Minister of Worship Arts, arriving February 13.

Financial Peace University is a Dave Ramsey video based financial planning class meeting on Sunday and Monday nights. Join us to learn how to better manage your finances and become debt free. Visit <u>www.</u> fairfieldfpu.com for more information.

Ladies Ministry will host "Freedom Friday" on February 18 at 7:00 pm. This month our theme will be "Good Spousekeeping" Bring a friend and come join us!!

New Service Times

Fairfield Baptist Church now has two Worship Services, at 9:00 and 11:05 am with Kidstuf Family Ministry and Student Ministry classes at 10:15 am. Adult Community Groups meet on Sundays and throughout the week in numerous locations throughout the area as well as on campus. "First Wednesday", is our unique casual, interactive worship service is lead by our Associate Pastor, Daron Adkison. Don't miss our next one on February 2 at 6:45 pm.

Location

Fairfield Baptist Church is located at 27240 Hwy 290 between Mueschke and Mason Roads. Come check us out! For more information call us at 281-373-5446 or email us at <u>info@fairfieldbaptist.com</u>. Visit our website for current information on all activities and events at <u>www.</u> <u>fairfieldbaptist.co</u>.

Trinity Vineyard Church

Who are we?

Trinity Vineyard is a new church that is gathering in Fairfield. We love Jesus. We are growing through study of the bible. We find life and purpose in relationships. We drink coffee together and dress casually. We exist to pursue God in the company of friends.

What's on our mind this month?

This past month we have been talking about having the best year ever. Recently there was a popular song on the radio called 1985 by the band Bowling for Soup. The song tells the story of a woman who cannot seem to get out of her high school days. These are the lyrics to the chorus: Bruce Springsteen, Madonna, way before Nirvana, there was U2 and Blondie, and music still on MTV, her two kids in high school, they tell her that she's uncool, cause she's still preoccupied with 1985. Maybe you are not still stuck in 1985, but all of us struggle with living in the glories of the past. Wouldn't it be wonderful if 2005 becomes the best year we have ever experienced? This is also what God desires for all of us. He wants each year to have new adventures, experiences, challenges, relationships, joys, difficulties, and rewards. When we encounter these things in relationship with the maker of the universe they can amount to the best year we have ever experienced. Jesus told his followers to: seek first God's kingdom and His righteousness. At Trinity Vineyard we are learning what that statement means for our lives. If in turn, we can live what we learn, and have the support and encouragement of our friends, we hope and believe that 2005 will be the best year ever.

Who is invited?

Imperfect people of all ages, backgrounds, and cultures are welcome to attend.

When are our Gatherings?

On Sunday evenings at 6:00 pm to 7:15pm. Children's programs are provided for those 6 months – 5^{th} grade. Mid-week small groups are another opportunity to join us in this mission to pursue God in the company of friends. We study the bible together, pray for each other, and do life together. Email us or call for more info.

Plans are now being made to begin a Sunday morning service. Contact us for more details!

What is our Location?

Our services are currently at Fairfield Dance Studio at Lakeside Place of Fairfield office building. The street address is: 15040 Fairfield Village Place Suite 180 Cypress, TX 77429.

What is our contact information?

Our web page is <u>www.TrinityVineyardChurch.cc</u>. Our phone # is 281-256-3353. Our email is info@trinityvineyardchurch.cc



Fairfield Church of Christ (Mason Road and Chappell Knoll)

"Discovering the Heart of Christ, in the Heart of Fairfield."

"Then Jesus said, 'What can I compare God's kingdom with? It is like what happens when a woman mixes yeast into three batches of flour. Finally all the dough rises.'" —Luke 13:20

I can't think of a more appetizing aroma than that of bread baking in the oven. And when the bread is removed, it is delicately brown and ready to be eaten. Jesus compared simple living with this bread making process. When we have the kingdom of God in our lives, we can rise above our problems, find solutions and live joyfully. God's grace causes wisdom, courage and love to abide in our lives.

How do we encourage the kingdom of God to enter our lives? A powerful way is to hear or read God's Word. Paul wrote, "What God has said isn't only active and alive! It is sharper than any double-edged sword. His word can cut through our spirits and souls into our joints and marrow, until it discovers the desires and thoughts of our hearts" (Hebrews 4:12).

A friend of mine had a double mastectomy and she was certain she was dying. No one was able to lift her from her depression, until she happened to hear Dr. Norman Vincent Peale say, "Forget the past! Press forward toward the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus!" My friend responded and began to thank God for her family and to look for opportunities to be of service. She is now 85 and is still a joyful Christian.

-Jane Douglass White

Each Sunday we seek to help one another learn about Jesus and how he changes an ordinary life into an extraordinary one. Why don't you plan to come and be a part of worship services at Fairfield church? It will bless your lives and you will be refreshed and recharged, ready to realize how precious life is.

Please take a look below at our worship times and other activities we have and drop by some time. We would love to meet you.

On Sunday mornings; **<u>Bible Classes</u>** for babies to adults begins at 9:30am. Each bible class is taught by loving, well prepared, Christians utilizing the latest in educational techniques and finest bible curriculum's.

Worship is at 10:30am and each service is carefully thought out and planned by our worship ministry leaders. Every service is meant to bring glory to the name of Jesus and help each person realize how wonderful it is when you fall in love with Jesus as your savior.

At 5:00pm on Sunday evenings we have "**<u>Power Surge</u>**". This is a program that each week offers different ways to grow as a person. Monthly activities include, "Prayer Vigil" (a time of prayer for any need), "Celebration of Life" (a time of food, fellowship and acknowledging the wonderful gift of life God gives us each day, "Acronym Sunday" (a fun time of bible study that is always full of surprises).

Each Tuesday is a special "Ladies' Brown Bag Lunch and Prayer." Ladies come together at 12 noon and spend time eating and fellowshipping and then a time of prayer. Everyone in the community is invited to come.

Mid-week **<u>Bible studies</u>** are also offered every Wednesday at 7:30pm. This is a great time to pause in the middle of a busy week and be re-energized by fellowship, prayer, and study of God's word.

We also offer free of charge in-home, personal, one-on-one Bible studies and for those who wish to study alone, Bible correspondence lessons as well.

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Church of Christ - (Continued from Page 36)

If you have a prayer need of any kind please let us know by calling the church office or visiting our web site at <u>www.fairfieldchurch.org</u>. You may also call the church office and set up a time to come into our sanctuary for a personal time of prayer and reflection. We are available to meet your prayer needs 7 days a week, 24 hours a day, holidays and weekends included. At Fairfield Church of Christ it is all about Heart.

(H)- Helping, everyone as Jesus would.

- (E)- Encouraging, God's family through love and fellowship.
- (A)- Adoring, the one true and living God in worship.
- (R)- Reaching, out to others with the message of hope.
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Good Shepherd United Methodist Church

February Is Here And Easter Is Just Around The Corner

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February 5 th -6 th – Saturday/Sunday	Mission Work Day – Fairfield TX		
February 8 th – Tuesday 5:30 – 7:00	Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper		
February 9 th – Wednesday 7:00 pm	Ash Wednesday Service		
February 25 th – 27 th - Friday – Sunday	Women's Retreat		
March 19 th – Saturday	Community Easter Egg Hunt for all ages		
March 27 th – Sunday	Easter Services		
April 17 th – Sunday	Annual Shrimp and Crawfish Boil		
	you need to continue that journey. Everyone		

February is here and as you can see we are well into the New Year. Plans and mission opportunities are being set, what an exciting time. Take a look at some of the things happening at Good Shepherd.

Lent is Here!!

We are preparing to enter the Lenten Season, the 40 days prior to Easter Sunday and will begin with our traditional Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper on Tuesday evening February 8th serving from 5:30 to 7:00 pm. Our traditional Ash Wednesday Service will be the following day, Wednesday, February 9th at 7:00 pm. This Lenten Season we will be focusing on "Developing Your SHAPE to Serve Others", a six-week program designed to help each person find their giftedness and become more involved in using their gifts and talents to make a difference in the lives of others. We are forming small groups to share in the program and anyone can be involved, so if you are interested, contact Rick Ivey at the church, 281 373 2273.

Common Grounds - Saturday Evening Service Ramps Up for 2005

Common Grounds Gathering @ 5:55pm is a dynamic way to worship God SATURDAY NIGHTS at Good Shepherd. Each week you will enjoy powerful music, worship, praise, and fellowship in a casual atmosphere. Common Grounds is a great place for you to either begin your journey as a disciple of Jesus or to find the daily bread is welcome!

Youth:

Exciting News - We are pleased to announce Andrew Cooper joined our church staff as Student Ministries Director on Sunday, January 9, 2005. Andrew comes to us from Kentucky with over a decade of experience. We are very excited to welcome him! Weekly programming includes senior high meeting in the Youth Room from 4-6 pm each Sunday evening and the junior high meeting immediately following from 6-8 pm in the Family Life Center. In addition to the Sunday meetings Junior High Bible Study meets weekly on Wednesday nights at 7:00 pm here at the church. Sixth through Eighth grades are welcome to join this group at any point in the semester. Senior High Bible Study meets weekly on Wednesday nights at 7pm at the home of Bill and Lesly Haygood (call the church office for directions). Ninth through Twelfth grades are welcome to join this group at any point in the semester. In addition to these weekly programs lots of great activities are set for this spring. Our youth are attending mid winter camps and confirmation is kicking off for 7th grade. We are also starting to look to the summer. Summer Camp and summer mission projects are already well into the planning stage. For information on any of these activities Call Andrew (281-373-2273) for the details!

WOW Retreat

The Women's Retreat is February 25-27. This is a wonderful gift for a special woman in your life or a great event to experience with your friend, sister, or daughter. This retreat is open to any interested woman and your sisters in Christ will be looking for you. Registration forms are due now so please call the church office for more information. The cost of the retreat is \$130, but full and partial scholarships are available if needed. The retreat will take place in close by Tomball this year, at the Kaiserhof Retreat Center. Check out their website at Kaiserhofretreatcenter.com. We have an excellent speaker from Kingwood who will spend the entire weekend with us. Her name is Adele Bower and the title of her program is: The Woman of God-The Display of His Splendor. See her website at www.adelebower.com for more information on her presentation.

METHODIST MEN:

Want to get involved with other men in service and fun activities. Be at church for a pancake breakfast the first Saturday of the month at 8:00 to learn more. This is a great meal and you will get the information you need on upcoming activities.

Come join GSUMC and begin the journey. Good Shepherd is located on Cypresswood, two blocks east of Mason Rd. The church family looks forward to meeting you and your family at either the 8:31 Traditional Worship, the 10:59 Contemporary Praise service, or the Saturday night Coffeehouse gathering at 5:55. Call 281 373-CARE (2273) or check our website at www. cypressgs.net for more information.



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- How can I get myself out of debt?

Please join us this weekend and the rest of February as we cover, "*Fam-ily 101, Learning God's Way.*" Our services are Sunday morningsat 10:45. We have a complete Children's church program for children up through 5^{th} grade and a nursery for babies and toddlers. For more information call our church office at 281.373.9337. Fountain of Life Fellowship is a non-denominational church now in our 14^{th} year of serving the community,

Midweek Bible Studies

We study the Word of God together in small groups called "Mid Week Connection (MWC). This is a great time to pause in the middle of a busy week and be re-energized through fellowship, praise and worship, prayer and study of God's Word. MWC groups are comprised of singles, young married couples, adults and mature adults. These MWC groups meet on Tuesday and Wednesday nights. We have a special new believers Women's Study group which meets each Wednesday afternoon. In addition, we have a vibrant and exciting Kids Club and Youth Group which meet separately at the church on Wednesday nights. MWC groups allow everyone to be aligned with their particular marital status and age group. MWC groups allow relationships with God and God's people to grow through strong ministry in a more intimate setting. A nursery is provided for the MWC groups that meet on Wednesday evening. For more information regarding meeting days, times and locations please call our church office.

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Fountain of Life Fellowship - (Continued from Page 39) **Prayer**

We are God's people, called by God's name and we come together to pray each Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. We also have a monthly "prayer vigil" to lift up prayer requests and concerns. When you have a prayer need of any kind, we are here to pray with you and for you. If you are unable to join us for prayer, please call our church office and leave your prayer request with us. Your request will be lifted up in our Mid Week Connection groups as well as our Sunday evening prayer and monthly "Prayer Vigil. '



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PART TIME POSITION AVAILABLE: Strong Vision Center at Spring Cypress/290 is seeking a part-time person to do reception, clerical, some glasses adjustments, and some child care in the office. Hours will be about 15-25 a week, some Saturdays will be necessary. Must have good communication skills, computer skills helpful. Will train if needed. Fax resume to Dr. Strong: 281-373-3089.

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ADULT CAMPERS: Do you have an RV, kids grown up and gone? Like to socialize? Come join us. For more information, contact us at 281-373-1374 or e-mail <u>brakeaways@yahoo.com</u>. (nonsmoking group)

FREE TO GOOD HOME: 7 year old Bulldog/Rottweiler mix. Red female with white markings. Spayed. She is a great indoor or outdoor pet. Great with kids. Call Ryan (713) 560-7467.

LOOKING FOR: Sewing machine table and cabinet oak color prefer manufacturer Horn, Regal, Koala scratches do not matter. call Debbie (832)928-0816.

MOTORCYCLE FOR SALE: 2003 Harley Davidson Sportster XLH1200. Too many extras to list. 7300 miles. Service agreement.Lots of chrome. 713 825.4477. Never been down, always garaged.

CAR FOR SALE: 1999 Honda Civic EX Coupe. Black 5 speed manual transmission; 74k miles. Runs great. \$7500. Call William - 281-300-5853.

CAR FOR SALE: 2002 Honda Accord LX 4dr. Very Good Condition, Must See. Ext. White; Int.Beige. 39k Low Miles. Auto., Pwr. Asking 10,500. Call for Info. 281-373-3357or 281-796-8239cell .

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FOR SALE: Chippendale cherry wood dining room set w/ 6 chairs, China Cabinet, \$1000; Bassett Cherry High-Boy & Dresser Set, \$75; Broyhill girls 7 piece bedroom set w/ twin bed, no mattress, \$150; 7' book shelf, \$25; 1990 Kenmore white side/side refridge w/ ice maker, \$50; Boys oak Twin Bed Set, \$50; Toddler furniture set w/ dresser, night stand & book shelf, \$15; 2000 E-machine 400 mHz Computer w/ 6.4 gig hard drive, Lexmark Z-11 color printer & computer desk (All for \$75); Glider Rocker, \$15; Please call 832-372-9636

FOR SALE: 42" DIA Smoker Pit on Trailer. New Bulldog hitch and swivel Jack. It also has a BARBQ-Wood Holder, 5" Stack, Counter Balance door, Collapsable prep counter, two temp gauges, and two shelves for meat. It has brake lights on the back and the firebox was completely replaced one year ago. Here is an internet address for pictures: <u>http://www.geocities.com/whcoutdoors/pit2.</u> <u>html</u> \$2200 obo. 281-256-3187.

FOR SALE: New Kenmore washer-dryer laundry system 24"WX71"HX27"D \$575. or BO call 281-213-8155.

FOR SALE: King bed with boxsprings and frame \$75 obo. Wood/Wrought Iron End Table \$30. Like New Children's Kitchen and many other toys in very good condition. 281-256-3187.

FOR SALE: Gently used Ikea full/double rettan bed. Very good condition. \$125 obo. 832-237-8498.

FOR SALE: Lazyboy rocker, couch with recliners, and matching loveseat. White Whirlpool refrigerator, washer and dryer. Wood/White kitchen table with 6 chairs. Full size antique bed. BBQ pit. Call 218-213-8387 or cell 281-785-4095

FOR SALE: Whirlpool 30-Inch Microwave Hood combination for stove top; Model MH1150XM (color: biscuit); brand new; INTERNET price \$279; selling for \$200 (or best offer); call Patrick at 281-654-3109 (work) or 281-256-3711 (home).



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FOR SALE: Pfaltzgraff everyday ware—Trousseau pattern—cream with pink/grey roses. Sell as a whole for \$250 or by the piece. Approximately 60 pieces available but too many to list individually. Call Suzanne to come see. 281-304-4833.

FOR SALE: Boy's baby bedding—Simmons "Kendall" pattern—khaki with hunter/navy check. Retails for \$300-selling for only \$125. Looks brand new. Set includes comforter, sheet, ruffle, bumper, mobile, 2 valances and lampshade. Call Suzanne at 281-304-4833.

FOR SALE: Computer video card-ATI Radeon 9600 8X AGP 128mb DDR memory with original software and drivers. Compatible with WIN XP. 2000 or ME only. \$50. Call Chris at 280-304-4833.

FOR SALE: Beautiful antique Italian dining room table. Great condition. Could be used in an office. Can email picture if interested. \$400.00 OBO.Please call 281-304-5479.

FOR SALE: Girls clothes 1 box 18 mo. - 24 mo. summer, 1 box 2T, 1 box 3T mix of summer and winter clothes. 1 box girls shoes size 6-9 \$15.00 each box Call Debbie (832)928-0816.

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KITCHEN TABLE FOR SALE: Rectangular Oak Table with Hunter Green Legs and 4 matching chairs. Will throw in 2 additional matching chairs to use when you have guests. Terrific condition, barely used. Asking \$175 OBO. Call 281-256-3347 or send email to <u>sharitackert@ev1.net</u> to request a picture.

FOR SALE: Moving Sale. Side-by-side Refrigerator/Freezer (white), \$300. Computer desk, \$40. 15" Computer monitor, \$25. Microwave oven, \$30. Coffee makers, 2 for \$15. 2-piece Cherry wood Dresser (Hi Boy-Low Boy), \$400. Cherry wood CD rack, \$30. \$5-piece fireplace set, \$12. Dinning table w/6 chairs, \$225. Oak coffee table, \$65. Paper shredder \$15. Lamps, \$14. Golf decor galore and much more. Call 281-635-9981

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FOR SALE: LOVE SEAT \$50. Very clean & good in condition. perfect for game room/den. infant car seat \$10 (barely used). infant buth tub \$5. Free misc items: CD storage, coffee maker, floor lamps.. call sonia 281-256-9183. or e-mail ahmad farhana@yahoo.com.

FOR SALE: Baby Furniture: KidCo gate (stairway) \$75. Glider rocker \$40. Jenny Lind change table (\$50), dresser (\$75) & high chair (\$25) or \$125 for set of 3. Call Laurie (281)304-9348.

ROCKER FOR SALE: Dutailer Rocker, honey maple wood with light green uplostry. Like brand new! Asking \$190 (paid \$460). Contact Laurie at 281-256-1397.

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Dawn Fore's Fairfield Market Report

Neighborhood	4 th Quarter Results			Current	
	Sold	\$ per SqFt	DOM	Avail	Pending
Chappell Ridge	5	\$66.17	133	7	0
Cottage Glen	3	\$71.77	62	5	0
The Crossing	3	\$58.60	83	1	1
The Estates	1	\$76.01	33	2	1
Garden Grove	7	\$65.41	98	14	0
Inwood Glen	7	\$63.38	62	7	0
Inwood Meadows	4	\$65.79	87	13	2
Inwood Park	5	\$60.36	80	15	3
Lakes/Lake Ridge 2	6	\$70.48	58	4	2
Landing/Reserve	2	\$67.72	74	6	0
Meadows	4	\$59.99	80	7	0
Oaks	1	\$60.32	48	1	0
Park/Retreat	1	\$81.86	106	2	2
Pines	1	\$82.89	50	5	0
Summer Ridge	0	-	-	1	0
Trails	1	\$55.95	54	4	0

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