



Welcome 2025

Best Wishes For a Year of Peace and Hope

In observance of New Years, the Church Office will be closed Jan. 1

JOIN US JANUARY 16TH AT 11:00 FOR THE LADIES LUNCHEON

RAGS TO RICHES – It’s Fashion Show Time!

Wear your best Thrift Shop Outfit supporting our local thrift shops.

Centsible Furnishings - Supporting Love Inc./H.O.M.E

Bargains and Blessings – Christian Based/ Supports Wildwood Community

Ye Olde Thrift Shoppe – Supporting Villages Hospital

YOU DON’T NEED BLING!

Sign up at the Kiosk or on-line! Deadline to sign up is January 12th. Space is limited due to construction so be sure to notify the office if you have to cancel.



WOMEN’S ICE CREAM SOCIAL



Attention Women of Fairway, would you like to get to know your sisters better, to create and build new friendships, and to nurture existing ones?

And let’s not forget about welcoming back our “Snow Bird Sisters”. If so, this is an invitation to join us for an “Ole Fashion Ice Cream Social”, **Thurs., January 30, at 11:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.** in the Fellowship Hall.

Let’s make time to plant some seeds of friendship and watch how God makes them grow.

Sign up today at the Kiosk or on our website, www.fairwaycc.org

FAIRWAY’S got TALENT

You won’t want to miss this extravaganza of skills!

Sunday,
Feb. 2,
6:00 PM



WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY SCHEDULE JANUARY 2025

Wednesday, Jan. 8th; 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Fellowship Hall

Our mission committee will give an update on the 2024 Mission Trips.

Wednesday, Jan. 15th, 22nd & 29th ; 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Worship Center

Dr. Grady McMurtry, recognized international speaker on the subject of creation vs. evolution, both from biblical viewpoint as well as that of secular science, will be here the last three Wednesday nights in January.

Jan. 15: “It’s a Young Creation After All” Scientific evidences for a young earth/universe.

Jan. 22: “The Waters Cleaved” A 3-D globe shows ample evidence of Noah’s Flood.

Jan. 29: “The Creationist View of Marriage” The role of man and woman as God originally planned it.

The Elders and Staff would like to wish you a very Happy New Year and look forward to see what amazing things happen at Fairway in 2025!

WOMEN'S MINISTRY EMAIL ADDRESS

You can correspond with the Women's Advisory Team directly with questions, comments or information you'd like to share. We appreciate your feedback and your suggestions. WomensMinistry@fairwaycc.org

Creative Card Ministry

1st Thursday of every month 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Next Meeting: January 2, 2025

Meeting in Fellowship Hall

This ministry is for anyone who is interested in learning how to make basic greeting cards that are versatile enough for all occasions. No experience required.

Supplies are available for newcomers. You can sign up at one of the kiosks, or our website: Fairwaycc.org or call Kathy Gaubatz at 352-459-7000.



MAHJONG EVERY MONDAY

1:00pm - 3:00pm

Room C



WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP COFFEE

Next: January 8, 2025
(2nd Wednesday this month)

10:00 am in Room C-D

Ladies, you're invited to a delightful coffee and fellowship gathering! This is the perfect opportunity to meet new friends and experience the warmth of our sisterhood in Christ at Fairway. This is your opportunity to learn about the variety of ministries at Fairway. Don't miss out—sign up now!

Fairway Women have a Friday executive golf group. If you would like to join us please sign up at the Kiosk in the Gathering Hall or on our website. We will contact you in an email each week to determine if you want to play on the following Friday and add you to the golf request.



Game Night

Friday, January 10

6:30 pm; Classroom C-D

Bring your favorite game or come learn a new game. Join in Christian Fellowship.

Bring a few snacks to share!

MOVIE NIGHT

Friday, January 17
Refreshments in F. Hall at 6 pm
Movie follows at 6:30 pm
Movie: **"Indivisible"**



Ladies,

The February team is planning a special event, so mark your calendars for **February 20th at 11:00** and plan to be with us for a little extra time as this is an event that includes a luncheon. We've just completed the last video in our 3-part series titled "Finishing Well". You won't want to miss this, it stars some of your favorite actresses.

If you'd like to see the first 2 videos, they are on the Church website. Just go to Fairwaycc.org. Go under "ministries", then select the tab that says "ministries" and now select the tab that says, "women's ministries". You should see a headline that says "Women's Connection Events" you will see the videos featured under that. They include Mission Possible and Parts one and two of Forever Friends. Feel free to share these with friends, family and other churches.

Chris Raeder & the February Team



THE KEYS TO YOUR WELLBEING SHOWCASE

Proudly serving The Villages & Surrounding Communities for over seven years!

HOSTED BY FAIRWAY CHRISTIAN CHURCH
8400 E. CR 466 (corner of 466 & Morse)



Join us and learn from businesses to help you thrive!

Refreshments **Conversation**

MONDAY
January 20, 2025
1 PM - 4 PM

Door Prizes **Information**

Homecare	Rehab & Fitness	Financial	Hospice
Research	Pharmacy	Health Ins	Hearing Devices
Real Estate	Estate Planning	Caption Phones	And more!

Sign up on the Kiosk at GUEST SERVICES or at www.fairwaycc.org/upcoming-events



Please stop by the Gathering Hall to pick up your 2025 assigned, numbered offering envelopes. If you don't have assigned envelopes and would like them, please contact the office.



Sisters in Christ



Prayer Shawl Ministry

Meets Tuesday Mornings, following Ladies Bible Study, at 11:00 am in Library
Starts Jan 7



Ornaments from the Tree of Faith (Memorial Tree) are boxed and ready for pick up in the Gathering Hall.

Women's Outreach

Courageous and Free Gift Baskets for their fund raiser.

The Women's Ministry Advisory Team approved money to develop baskets, 2 Christmas and 1 Kitchen basket and an additional one



that was donated by a member of the team.

Courageous and Free, Inc. is a ministry dedicated to helping those impacted by Human Trafficking!

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE & REQUEST

Due to the construction phase at Fairway, the size of the Fellowship Hall may have to be periodically changed during the process. Because of this, we will have to limit the number of reservations for our monthly events. We prayerfully ask that you reserve early. If you need to cancel, please advise us ASAP so we may utilize the waitlist. Call Carolyn at (609) 709-7014 or email: WomensMinistry@fairwaycc.org

Note from Jennifer Burch - Healing Journey Ministry

As we approach the national observance of Sanctity of Life Sunday, I am led to remind our fellowship of Fairway's ministry, Healing Journey. Annually, on the third Sunday in January, many churches nationwide declare human life begins at conception. Isaiah 49:1, Psalm 139:13-16

Fairway Christian Church's ministry, Healing Journey, helps those of us who have been affected by making or being related to one who has made the irreversible decision to terminate a pregnancy. Through this ministry, I help others to acknowledge and work through the heartbreak, guilt, anger, and even regret that lingers.

I work with small groups and/or one on one. The goal is to create a safe environment for experiencing Biblical guidance and application through love, compassion and understanding. Your heartbreak could be from your own decision or from the loss of a grandchild or a niece/nephew. Whatever your burden, I invite you to consider tapping into this ministry, Healing Journey. I use an excellent Bible study written by Linda Cochrane, *Forgiven and Set Free*, to guide our discussions and lead us through a process of healing.

If you would like to investigate or have any questions regarding the process or evidenced outcomes of Healing Journey, please contact me at (585) 314-5742 or jsburch16@gmail.com.



Please welcome new members:

Donna VanTassel
Jamie Thomas

ATTENTION QUILTERS OR THOSE INTERESTED IN LEARNING

There are several of your Sisters in Faith starting a Quilting Friendship Group. If you are interested in participating, please contact Mary Lou Johnston at 937-417-9837 or email mljohnston4@gmail.com for more information. Come join the fun.



MOAMI - Moving On Ministry for Women in Change or Transition

The Fall 2024 MOAMI class wrapped up in November with a graduation luncheon celebration for the participants who completed the program. MOAMI leaders, support team, Prayer Angels and former participants were on hand to honor the graduates.

The next MOAMI Class begins on **Thursday January 30 and ends on April 10**

MOAMI is a program for women from all walks of life, regardless of church membership or background. It offers a space for women to gain tools and advice for managing transitions, connect with others in similar situations, and receive spiritual enrichment.

MOAMI is about meeting new people; and more importantly, it's about forging lasting connections. Each week, participants come together not only to discuss their journeys but to uplift and encourage one another. For many, the relationships formed in MOAMI extend beyond the program, creating a supportive network that lasts long after the ten weeks are over.

If you or someone you know is navigating a life change, Fairway Christian Church invites you to be part of this warm, welcoming community. To participate in the **MOAMI program**, visit the Fairway Christian Church website or contact the church office at (352) 259-9305. For personal inquiries, reach out to Kitty McIntire via email at kittymcintire@aol.com.

Wed. Night Dinner

Jan. 8th; 5 pm

Pizza, Salad & Dessert

Be sure to sign up at the Kiosk or online.

1-DAY SEMINAR

FRIDAY

FEB. 14, 2025

2 PM - 4 PM

RM. C-D

Sign up at Kiosk or on our website.

LOSS OF A SPOUSE

GRIEF SHARE
You don't have to grieve alone.

Next Session: Feb 19 - May 7
Wednesdays, 2pm-4pm,
Sign up at Kiosk or on our website.

FIRST STEP

BEGIN THE DISCIPLESHIP JOURNEY

New to Fairway? Would you like to know more about Fairway?

We invite you to our **First Step** seminar running four consecutive **Monday evenings from 6 - 7 pm in classroom C/D.**

Starts Monday, Feb. 3rd with Preaching Minister Butch Gastfield. Sign up at the kiosk or online!

Meeting Dates:

Feb. 3rd, 10th, 17th & 24th

Women's Bible Studies

Precept Upon Precept & Precept In & Out Study of Philippians will resume on Jan. 7th. PUP starts at 8:30 am; In & Out at 9 am in Rm AB.

Wm's Tuesday Bible Study begins a new study on January 7th. **"Made for this Moment"** by Max Lucado. Meets Tuesdays 9-11 am in F. Hall. The deadline has passed to have a book ordered through the church but you are more than welcome to sign up & order a book from Amazon or Church Source.