

# Ministry & Event Guide

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# Welcome!

We are so glad you are here! It's a privilege to introduce you to the people and ministries of Parkview Church!

Our mission is to equip people to extend the Gospel together for the good of our neighbors and our world. This booklet is designed to give you an overview of the various opportunities for you to join with others as we pursue Jesus together. We love it when we see God grow any one of us, wherever we are in our spiritual journey with Him.

We hope you feel welcome at Parkview Church. We are excited to see what God is going to do in and through our lives this coming year!

With gratitude and expectancy,  
Pastor Doug Schillinger

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# Get Connected

*We recognize the challenges that arise when desiring to get plugged into the life of the local church. It requires time, energy, and sacrifice, but it's always worth it.*



## Worship Services

When the Church gathers to worship Jesus, God is honored and His people are nourished. The Worship Service is a refreshing time when we hear the Gospel through the preaching of God's Word, we sing the Gospel through song, and we see the Gospel through communion and baptism. Join us!

**Central Campus:** 8, 9:30 and 11AM

**East Campus:** 10:30AM

## Connect Center

Feel free to stop by the Connect Center to find out more about Community Groups, the life of Parkview Church, and other ways we can serve you.

## Resource Center

Looking for books and resources to help you in your spiritual growth? The Resource Center at the Central Campus has books, Bibles, and DVDs for purchase (and sometimes for free!) for adults and children. It's located near the entrance to the Worship Center.



## Community Groups

*The Worship Service is only part of what we do at Parkview Church; the rest of the week we live in community and pursue Jesus as a family by applying the Word, caring for one another, and living on mission.*

### BETA Sundays, Sept 17-Oct 15, 11AM in the Atrium

BETA is the ground-level of forming new Community Groups. If you are new, or a regular attender, this is the best place to get plugged into a Community Group. BETA will help you launch together with a vision for living life together on mission.

**Sign up on the Events page at [parkviewchurch.org](http://parkviewchurch.org).**

### Saturate Everyday Conference

**Sept 29-30 at Grace Community Church in North Liberty**

Jeff Vanderstelt and the Saturate team will be hosting a Saturate Everyday conference. Their desire is to equip everyday people to move out into the world for God's purposes armed with effective tools so that every man, woman, and child would have a daily encounter with Jesus. Find more information or register online at [events.saturatetheworld.com](http://events.saturatetheworld.com).

**To find a Community Group in your area, contact John at [jmchale@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:jmchale@parkviewchurch.org).**

# Equipping

## PARKVIEW LEADERSHIP TRACK

**Sundays, Sept 17, Oct 15, & Nov 12,  
7:45-9:15AM in the Atrium**

Grow in leadership at Parkview! Whether you are interested in a specific Parkview ministry team such as Elder, Deacon, Deaconness, Women's Ministry, or you are just wanting to grow as leader where you are serving, this class is for you! Large group meetings provide training while smaller cohort meetings provide mentoring. **Apply on the Events page at [parkviewchurch.org](http://parkviewchurch.org).**

## BASICS

**Sundays, Aug 20-Sept 3  
11AM in Room 107**

This class will explore the core beliefs of the Christian faith. We will address and give insight to basic questions such as, What is our purpose in life? Who is God? What is the Church? Can I trust the Bible, and how do I get started reading it?

**Sign up on the Events page at [parkviewchurch.org](http://parkviewchurch.org). For more information, contact the office at [office@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:office@parkviewchurch.org).**



If you have been attending Parkview for six months or more, sign up for the New Members Class. You will meet some new friends, engage in great discussion, and grow in your spiritual journey.

- **East Campus:** Sundays, Aug 20-Sept 17, 9:20-10:20AM
- **Central Campus:** Sundays, Oct 1-22, 11AM in Room 107 or Saturday, Oct 14, 8:30AM-2PM, in Room 107

**Sign up on the Events page at [parkviewchurch.org](http://parkviewchurch.org). For more information, contact Kelli at [kschweitzer@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:kschweitzer@parkviewchurch.org).**



**Spiritual Disciplines Sundays,  
Oct 1-22, 11AM in Room 104A**

"When you kill time, remember that it has no resurrection." - A.W. Tozer. We will focus on making the best use of our day (and night) to develop the essentials of the Christian life such as submission, denial of self, prayer, and pursuit of God. Prioritize your life for God's use!

**Sign up on the Events page at [parkviewchurch.org](http://parkviewchurch.org). For more information, contact Jeff at [jgillmore@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:jgillmore@parkviewchurch.org) or Dave at [dfoster@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:dfoster@parkviewchurch.org).**

**Caring For Others Sundays, Nov 5-19, 11AM in Room 107**

Discover more about the love of Christ and how to love others well. Learn how our call to friendship ministry and encouragement can make a difference. This is an excellent class for community group leaders or ministry leaders. Cost is \$10. **Sign up on the Events page at [parkviewchurch.org](http://parkviewchurch.org). For more information, contact Steve at [srachke@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:srachke@parkviewchurch.org).**

**American Church History Thursdays, Sept 7-Nov 9, 7-8PM in Room 108**

Join us as we trace the church in America from the Bay Colony to today.

**Sign up on the Events page at [parkviewchurch.org](http://parkviewchurch.org). For more information, contact Dave at [dfoster@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:dfoster@parkviewchurch.org).**

## Equipping

### **Gospel Centered Formation Workshop Oct 22 or Dec 10, 11AM in the Atrium**

The challenges of life in a broken world abound. Our daily battle with suffering, anxiety, shame, and apathy are hard to overcome. Our vision at Parkview is to help people experience the hope and healing power of the gospel. The Gospel Centered Formation Workshop is aimed at showing you how the gospel heals our brokenness and provides hope for the future. Come join us for a time of teaching and discussion on practical ways to walk in the power of the gospel of Jesus Christ. **Sign up on the Events page at [parkviewchurch.org](http://parkviewchurch.org).**

### **Baptism Class Sunday, Oct 15, 8AM in the Chapel**

If you would like to be baptized at Parkview, or want to know more about baptism, this class is for you! Join us for an informational class led by Pastor John McHale that will help you explore what baptism means, and how you can prepare for baptism. Baptisms will be held on October 29th. **Sign up on the Events page at [parkviewchurch.org](http://parkviewchurch.org). For more information, contact John at [jmchale@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:jmchale@parkviewchurch.org).**

### **Pre-Marital Counseling**

If you are planning to get married, Parkview offers pre-marital counseling in a couples environment. Contact Dave at [dfoster@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:dfoster@parkviewchurch.org) if you are interested.

## Support

### **Care Night: Uncovering Shame and Guilt**

**Thursdays beginning Sept 14, 7PM in Room 107**

Guilt and shame can lock you up spiritually. How can you move on to become a person of hope? Our care night this fall features a great series by Ed Welch and David Powlinson entitled, "Uncovering Shame and Guilt: How Jesus Enters our Experience." Registration cost: \$10 per person. **To learn more, contact Kelli at [kschweitzer@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:kschweitzer@parkviewchurch.org).**

### **Relentless Hope and Grace**

**Fridays beginning Sept 15, 12PM in Room 107**

The Christian life is about Christ. Yet, it is easy to despair of ourselves, find ourselves battling insecurities, or be overwhelmed by the challenges of life. Learn about grace filled living and the sufficiency of Jesus. Registration cost: \$10 per person.

**To register, contact Kelli at [kschweitzer@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:kschweitzer@parkviewchurch.org).**

**Financial Peace University Coming this January...** Cost is \$100. Watch for details.

### **Moving Forward Ministries**

Parkview offers support to individuals experiencing grief, divorce, cancer, and other life challenges. You can find hope and encouragement from a caregiver who is compassionate, caring, and understands the realities of these hard life situations.

**For more information about discipleship, pastoral counseling, and professional counseling referrals, contact Kelli at [kschweitzer@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:kschweitzer@parkviewchurch.org).**

## Pray With Us

Every Sunday after each Worship Service you have the opportunity to pray with a pastor, elder, or ministry team leader at the front of the Worship Center. Please come pray with us if you are hurting, struggling, or just need prayer.

## For Young Adults

### Crossroads Sundays, 11AM in Room 106

This group is designed to help young adults grow in community and in knowing and applying the Bible. We also regularly lift each other up in prayer.

### Grad Group Sundays, 6PM in the Atrium

For young professionals and grad students. Our weekly community time is on Sunday nights. We worship, pray, study the Bible together, and discuss how it applies to everyday life. We also have community groups that meet during the week for prayer, Bible study, and building relationships. Our mission is to make disciples by cultivating a biblical community of young adults who love God, love others, and serve the world.



Find us on Social Media!

 @ParkviewGradGroup

## Sunday Morning Groups

*Sunday morning groups of 15 to 45 people provide a taste of community. Most groups meet on a weekly basis and provide biblical teaching, a place to make some new friends, and are catalyst for your spiritual journey.*

### Ambassadors (formerly Transitions) Meets at 9:30AM in Room 107

Join us this fall as we explore the book of Ephesians and see the riches that we have in Jesus Christ. Learn how to appreciate your prosperous position in Christ, God's grace, and more. You will meet great people, enjoy refreshments, and engage in discussion that will equip you to reach out in love. **Questions? Contact Julie at (319) 936-4841.**

### Bereans Meets at 9:30AM in the Library

Getting into the Bible really makes the difference! Making new friends brings hope and encouragement. Join us as we meet and study a book by Bible teacher Warren Wiersbe, "He Walks with Me." **For more information, contact Ken at [kenhawes1009@gmail.com](mailto:kenhawes1009@gmail.com).**

### International Perspectives Meets at 11AM in Room 108

This fall, we will study 2 Corinthians and learn about God the Father as Comforter, Creator, and how Jesus really makes a difference in life. Refreshments will be served. **For more information, contact Ben at [benlong.long@gmail.com](mailto:benlong.long@gmail.com).**

## For Adults

### ENCORE Wednesdays

**Sept 20, Oct 18, Nov 15, & Dec 20,  
2PM in Room 100**

If you are 60+ and are looking to meet some great people, join us for Encore! We begin this fall on September 20th. You can enjoy meeting some new people, Christ-centered teaching, opportunities for discussion, and refreshments.

**To learn more, contact Pat at (319) 354-3772 or Connie at (319) 331-2391.**

### Simply Pray Thursdays beginning Sept 7, 11:30AM in the Library

It has been said, "Prayer is abandoning your place in the center of your world and daily surrendering that place to God alone as an act of heartfelt worship." Join us as we pray for a fresh movement of God working in our lives, relationships, and worldwide ministries. **For more information, contact Cindy at [cg.redlinger@gmail.com](mailto:cg.redlinger@gmail.com).**

## For Men

### FIGHT CLUB



**Tuesdays beginning Sept 5  
5:30 or 6:30AM in the Atrium**

An interactive Bible study and prayer time designed to help men fight together for the life Jesus died for them to have; a life that empowers and encourages a man and the people he influences in his life. These groups meet at three different times.

Contact Emily at [emilyk@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:emilyk@parkviewchurch.org) for more information.

**Saturdays beginning Sept 9  
7AM in Room 107**

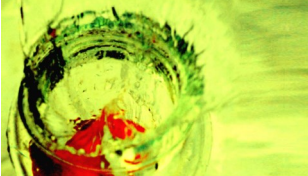
Solidify your faith and confront the challenges we face as men, brothers, husbands, and fathers made in the image of God. This fall, we will look at the life of John Newton and how God demonstrates His amazing grace in the battles of life. This group is open to men of all ages. To learn more, contact Randy at [rshebek2@gmail.com](mailto:rshebek2@gmail.com).

## For Women

### Women to Women: TOGETHER

Women of all ages can study the Word together. Enjoy a refreshing time with women like you and grow in your relationship with God and others.

#### THE MIRACLES OF CHRIST: a study on the book of Mark



**Wednesdays beginning Sept 13, 9:15-11AM in the Atrium  
or Thursdays beginning Sept 14, 7-8:30PM in the Atrium**

Join us every other week this fall as women are in community with each other. This group prays, encourages, and cares for one another while studying *The Miracles of Christ* (an inductive Bible study from Grace Bible Church).

Sign up on the Events page at [parkviewchurch.org](http://parkviewchurch.org).

For more information, contact Rachael at [womensministry@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:womensministry@parkviewchurch.org).

#### Knowing Him



**Wednesdays beginning Sept 13, 9:15-11AM in Room 104B**

We invite you to walk alongside of Jesus for fifty days of His life and observe Him. Notice Him doing the will and the work of the Father. See how He disciplined His twelve. Realize how He set an example that we are to follow. Be prepared to be awed by His obedience to the Father, even to death on the cross. Sign up on the Events page at [parkviewchurch.org](http://parkviewchurch.org).

For more information, contact Ione at (319) 331-1352.

**Find us on Social Media!**



@ParkviewWomen

### Save the Dates!

**Women to Women: EQUIP Sept 24 & Oct 29, 8-9AM in the Atrium**

Grow in your unique role as a woman, and learn practical tools for discipling others.

**Women to Women: GATHER Dec 7, 7-8:30PM**

Save this date to come together to worship God, and be together with other women.

# For Children

## Sunday Mornings at the Central Campus



### Nursery (35 months and under)

#### 9:30 & 11AM in Rooms 1-3

Parkview's Nursery is available during the 9:30 and 11:00AM services. Our prayer is that through the loving care of volunteers and the "Teaching Toddlers" and "Teaching Twos" curriculum (designed to impart God's word through stories, songs and activities), seeds of understanding God's love and His Word will be planted for parents to nurture.

**For more information, contact Alicia at [parkviewnurserydirector@gmail.com](mailto:parkviewnurserydirector@gmail.com).**

### Pre-K (3-5 year olds)

#### 9:30 & 11AM in Rooms 5/6 and 7/8

Pre-K kids are taught Old Testament and New Testament Bible stories using a two-year curriculum. Tools for teaching include music, drama and life application activities. Truths emphasized: God created all things; God created each child and loves them; God sent His Son Jesus; and God's Word teaches us how to obey Him and how to love and serve others.

**For more information, contact Bonnie at [bmo-glumphry@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:bmo-glumphry@parkviewchurch.org).**

### Unite (K-3rd Grade) 9:30 & 11AM

#### Rooms 9, 100, 102A, and 102B

UNITE kids learn about different virtues which reflect God's character and can be used in their daily lives. UNITE uses 252 Basics curriculum which is centered around 3 basic truths from Luke 2:52: 1) I need to make the WISE choice; 2) I can TRUST God no matter what; 3) I should treat OTHERS the way they want to be treated. **For more information, contact Rhonda at [rcrosser@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:rcrosser@parkviewchurch.org).**

### Launch (4th-5th Grade)

#### 9:30AM in Rooms 104A, 104B, and 106

LAUNCH's programming emphasizes preparing kids for Jr. High and High School. The focus is on enabling kids to build upon their spiritual knowledge previously gained, challenging personal growth, and setting a Christ-like example for others through their lives. LAUNCH's key verse is 1 Timothy 4:12, "Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in life, in love, in faith, and in purity."

**For more information, contact Rhonda at [rcrosser@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:rcrosser@parkviewchurch.org).**



## We are looking for Fall Volunteers!

Weekly volunteers are needed for the school year to work in our children's ministry program.

These volunteers would serve each week building relationships and mentoring children in their relationship with God. We are looking for volunteers for all areas of children's ministry from nursery to 6th grade. When you help in children's ministry you are saying yes to smiles, laughter (kids say some pretty amusing things!), and a front row seat to seeing their faith take root and grow. **If you are interested in volunteering or would like more information, contact Rhonda at [rcrosser@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:rcrosser@parkviewchurch.org).**

# For Children

## Sunday Mornings at the East Campus

### **Nursery** (35 months and under)

Parkview's Nursery is available during the worship service at 10:30AM. Our prayer is that through the loving care of volunteers and the "Teaching Toddlers" and "Teaching Twos" curriculum (designed to impart God's word through stories, songs and activities), seeds of understanding God's love and His Word will be planted for parents to nurture.

### **Pre-K** (3-5 year olds)

Pre-K kids are taught utilizing a two-year curriculum covering Old Testament and New Testament Bible stories and the application of God's word. Tools for teaching include large group story time, drama, music and small group activities. Truths emphasized: God created and loves each child; God's word teaches us how to obey Him and how to love and serve others.

### **Unite** (K-6th Grade)

UNITE kids learn about different virtues which reflect God's character and can be used in their daily lives. UNITE uses 252 Basics curriculum which is centered around 3 basic truths from Luke 2:52: 1) I need to make the WISE choice; 2) I can TRUST God no matter what; 3) I should treat OTHERS the way they want to be treated.

## More Opportunities for Children

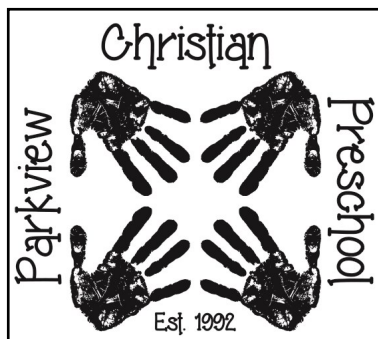
### **Awana Wednesdays beginning Sept 6, 6-7:45PM at the Central Campus**

Awana Clubbers learn about the reality of God, the truth of the Bible, and respect for our nation's freedoms. Awana plants seeds of wisdom while youth begin the process of becoming responsible Christian leaders. This program exists for parents who appreciate the valuable influence of a wholesome peer group in their children's lives.

**For more information, contact Rhonda at [rcrosser@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:rcrosser@parkviewchurch.org).**

### **Child Dedications**

Child dedications are held periodically throughout the year during the worship service. We have a class designed to prepare you for the child dedications where you'll be introduced to a community of other couples participating in the service. Our next child dedication service will be Nov 19th. **For more information or to register, contact Dave at [dfoster@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:dfoster@parkviewchurch.org).**



### **Parkview Preschool**

#### **Sessions on M-W-F and T-Th in Rooms 5-9**

Parkview Preschool children are guided to discover the world around them and learn through hands-on experiences. They are encouraged to follow directions, show consideration, and develop skills at their own rate in a developmentally appropriate way. Through play, each child will develop physically, socially, intellectually, and emotionally. Students are encouraged to solve problems, use their skills, and discover their place in the world as they begin to understand the role of others.

**For more information, contact the preschool office at [preschool@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:preschool@parkviewchurch.org).**

# For Students

[parkviewstudentministries.org](http://parkviewstudentministries.org)



## J Life

**Sundays, 6-8PM at the Central Campus**

Junior High students, come join us Sunday nights! Each week you will play some great games, enjoy hanging with some awesome people and best of all learn about how sweet it is to follow Jesus! Please come check it out...you won't regret it!

## Student Impact

**Sundays, 6-8PM at the Central Campus**

Student Impact (SI) is the place to be if you are a high school student. If you are looking for a place to hang out with your friends, make new ones, and learn about the Bible, this is where you should be! SI is a great place for students to connect with each other, or to bring a friend who is checking out Jesus, and also a chance to learn how God's truth is relevant to the daily life of high school students.

## The Experience

**Sundays, 9:30AM in the Chapel**

The Experience is all about connecting with God and building a relationship with Him and one another. This Sunday morning group is for Junior High and High School students. In the Chapel at the Central Campus during the 9:30AM worship service, we have large group and upfront games, tasty treats, creative small group discussions, relevant teaching, and more.

## Deep Impact

**Wednesdays, 6:15-8PM in Room 107**

Deep Impact is for students who are serious about discipleship and learning what it means to be a leader and a disciple maker.


## SALT

**Wednesdays, 6:15-8PM in Room 103**

This is a night for Junior High students to go deeper in their walk with Christ. We will be seeking to be Christ-like servant leaders and disciple makers.

For more information, or to get involved,  
contact Todd at  
[tcramer@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:tcramer@parkviewchurch.org).

**Find us on Social Media!**

 @siparkview



# For College Students

247uiowa.com

*24:7 exists to advance the Gospel of Jesus and His Kingdom into the nations by making disciples at the University of Iowa.*



## Verve for Freshman

**Mondays beginning Aug 21, 8PM at The Airliner in downtown Iowa City**

Verve is a community of freshmen. Whether students have believed in Jesus Christ for their whole life, or they are not sure if God exists, Verve is the place for them. Verve gathers Monday nights for pizza and then splits into smaller communities called Verve Groups. Verve serves as both a lead-in to 24:7 for freshman, as well as a place for them to grow in their love for Jesus, develop a love for God's word, and deepen relationships with other freshman.

## The Event

**Wednesdays beginning Aug 23 8PM in the IMU 2nd floor Ballroom**

24:7 hosts The Event every Wednesday night where all students are welcome to discover more about Jesus and connect with classmates. Each week, students hear stories of changed lives, teaching from the Bible, and live worship music. Our aim is to have a night focused on the gospel of Jesus Christ and to see that impact our lives in real ways for the rest of the week. Our large group gathering highlights our three highest values: gospel, community, and mission.

## Campus Groups


We gather in Campus Groups—smaller communities—with friends and classmates to experience the gospel of Jesus in ways we cannot on our own. These groups are for anyone and are a place to apply the Bible to our lives together, care for one another, and participate in the mission of God.




COLLEGE MINISTRY

For more information about the 24:7 College Ministry, or to get involved, contact [247uiowa@gmail.com](mailto:247uiowa@gmail.com).

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## Local Outreach

**Faith Academy** creates a community where children love learning and grow in godliness, and partners with families in raising tomorrow's leaders with a focus on excellence. This Christ-centered school strives to radiate with the gospel message, transform the community, and elevate the value of education and redemption. Visit them at [faithacademyiowa.org](http://faithacademyiowa.org).

**The Spot** provides a safe, nurturing atmosphere where youth are able to learn and grow while participating in healthy, fun, Christ-centered activities. Our facility is located at 1030 Crosspark Avenue, Iowa City.

### Kids Club

**Tuesdays beginning Sept 5**

**3:30-5:30PM at The Spot**

For students in 1st-6th grade, Kids Club is a time of fun, homework help, crafts, building friendships, large group Bible lessons, and small group discussions!

For more information, contact Doreen at [dschlabaugh@faithacademyiowa.org](mailto:dschlabaugh@faithacademyiowa.org).

### J Life

**Sundays, 6-8PM at the Central Campus**

Junior High students, come join us Sunday nights at the Central Campus! Each week you will play some great games, enjoy hanging with some awesome people and best of all learn about how sweet it is to follow Jesus! Please come check it out...you won't regret it!

For more information, contact Mike at [mdeward@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:mdeward@parkviewchurch.org).

### Shake It Up

**Wednesdays beginning Sept 6**

**6:15-8:15PM at The Spot**

For High School students, Shake It Up is an event featuring a fast-paced evening of team competitions, Chapel time, small group Bible study, discussions and FOOD!

For more information, contact Doreen at [dschlabaugh@faithacademyiowa.org](mailto:dschlabaugh@faithacademyiowa.org).



### Foster Care Childcare Night

**Select Fridays**

**5-8PM at the Central Campus**

If you are a family with foster and/or pre-adoptive children in your home, let us provide a meal for all of your children while you enjoy an evening without children. For more information, or to volunteer, contact Laura at [lbproffitt@yahoo.com](mailto:lbproffitt@yahoo.com).

### S.A.F.E Ministry

S.A.F.E. stands for Sponsors, Adopt, Foster, and Educate. This ministry strives to meet the needs of children without adequate parental support (whether orphaned, single parents, extreme poverty or abandoned) both locally and globally.

For more information, contact Laura at [lbproffitt@yahoo.com](mailto:lbproffitt@yahoo.com).

## Faith Academy Volunteer Opportunities

### School Opportunities:

- Math or reading one-on-one or in small groups with scholars
- Assist teachers with projects
- Help in the library
- Mentoring
- Assist with Recess/PE
- Assist in Art Class

### Maintenance Opportunities:

- Help with transportation to ball games
- Yard work
- Detailing and maintaining school vehicles
- Small Plumbing Jobs

### The Spot Volunteers:

- Kids Club
- Switch It Up
- Help with snack prep
- Coaching opportunities (football, basketball, soccer, baseball)

*If you are interested in volunteering in any of these areas or would like more information, please contact Faith Academy or Doreen at (319) 351-4860 or [dschlabaugh@faithacademyiowa.org](mailto:dschlabaugh@faithacademyiowa.org).*

## Global Outreach

*We are blessed to be a blessing. Parkview is reaching out all over the world to share the love and forgiveness of God. Global simply means that this also happens across cultural lines here in Iowa City or around the world! Join the adventure!*

### Friends of Internationals

Match with an international student and meet one time per month to do something you enjoy: watch a football game, meet for coffee, play Frisbee, etc.

Fill out an application online: [bit.ly/FISfriend](http://bit.ly/FISfriend).

### English Corner Tuesdays, 4-5PM Old Capitol Mall Food Court

During the UI fall and spring semesters, just come and talk; be curious and be blessed by making friends from different countries! Find us on Facebook at [facebook.com/EnglishConversationCorner/](https://facebook.com/EnglishConversationCorner/)



## Sudan Parties

3x/year we get to serve our Sudanese-American brothers and sisters by hosting them at Parkview's Central Campus. Assisting with door and welcoming, nursery, K-6, JH/SH, and befriending adults are all places you can serve. If befriending adults, you can come for any amount of time. Most are very open to making new friends and have amazing stories of persevering through difficulty.

Upcoming events: Fridays, Sept 8 & Jan 19, 7:45PM-12AM.

For more information, contact Paul at [parkviewgw@gmail.com](mailto:parkviewgw@gmail.com).

### International Neighbors at Iowa

A multi-church outreach to internationals through bi-weekly activities, dinner, and Bible discussion. Anyone is welcome and you can bring international friends or meet some there. Find our group on Facebook at "International Neighbors at Iowa."

### Short-Term Celebration Sunday morning, Sept 17

Celebrate in each worship service what God has been doing through Parkview's short-term teams over the past year (Mexico, C.A.R., China, Ukraine, etc.) and sign up to indicate interest in short-term service trips for the upcoming year!



# Global Outreach

## Global Outreach Conference Nov 3-5, 2017

Our Saturday morning prayer breakfast, the Taste of Nations Dinner on Saturday night, and Sunday morning global worker presentations are great ways to connect with our Global Workers and celebrate what God is doing! Pray that our Sunday morning Keynote speaker will help inspire Parkview to greater love for Jesus and others!



## China Exchange

**Going:** College+ apply before Feb 15th to prepare spring semester and spend a month teaching in China May 14-June 14.

**Hosting:** Open your home to Chinese guests from our partner university during the last two weeks of July, or join daily activities!

**Teaching:** Semester-long or academic year Assistant Teaching Positions in Oral English on our partner campus in China. Join a Parkview lead instructor and other assistants to be a blessings long-term.

For more information or to volunteer, contact Paul at [parkviewgw@gmail.com](mailto:parkviewgw@gmail.com).

## Save the Dates!

### 24:7 Welcome Lunch Sundays, Aug 20 & 26, in the Shelter at the Central Campus following the 11AM worship service

Plan to join us for a Welcome Back lunch hosted by Parkview's 24:7 College Ministry. All college students, and visiting families, are welcome to join us for food and fellowship following the 11AM worship service. For more information, contact [247uiowa@gmail.com](mailto:247uiowa@gmail.com).

### Grad Group Fall Kick Off Picnic Sunday, Aug 20, 6-9PM at City Park, Iowa City

Plan to join us for a picnic to kick off the new school year. If you are new to the area or Grad Group, this is a perfect chance for you to meet everyone! There will be grilling and outdoor games, so you don't want to miss it! Find more information on our Facebook page at [facebook.com/ParkviewGradGroup](https://facebook.com/ParkviewGradGroup).

*\*Grad Group aims to serve recent college graduates, grad students, and working young adults in their twenties to love God, love others, and serve the world.*

### Pizza with the Pastors Sunday, Aug 27, 11AM in the Atrium

Come enjoy a time of fellowship and pizza! This is an informal time to get to know more about Parkview Church and meet a few of the pastors who serve our congregation.

### Fall Kick Off Sunday, Sept 10, 10:30AM at Central and East Campuses

Plan to join us for our annual Fall Kick Off service as we worship God together during one outdoor service. Lunch is provided and kids can enjoy various activities and inflatables. Please plan to dress for the weather, and we hope to see you there!

*\*Only one worship service will be held at each campus location on this Sunday.*

### Quarterly Congregational Meetings

#### Sept 11 & Nov 13, potluck at 6PM with the meeting at 6:45PM

Members and attenders are encouraged to attend the meetings to welcome new members and hear updates from Parkview leadership. Childcare is provided. Please contact Emily at [emilyk@parkviewchurch.org](mailto:emilyk@parkviewchurch.org) with the names and ages of your children.

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and our world.

*Our vision* is to help  
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