

As we leave our convention,  
I leave you with this thought.

*Are **YOU** ready to go teach and  
preach? Are you ready to follow  
**HIS** example?*

And Jesus went about all  
Galilee, teaching in their  
synagogues, and  
preaching the gospel of  
the kingdom...

—Matthew 4:23

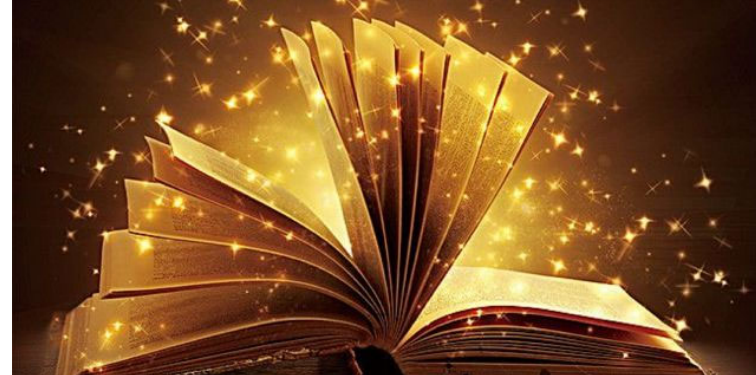
***Matthew 4:23** And Jesus went about all  
Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, and  
preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and  
healing all manner of sickness and all  
manner of disease among the people.*

# The Church of God

*Great Lakes Mountaineer Region*

*Whom We Preach And Teach*

Whom we preach, warning  
every man, and teaching  
every man in all wisdom;  
that we may present every  
man perfect in Christ Jesus:  
Colossians 1:28



**GLMR Regional Convention**

**June 20-22, 2025**

# Great Lakes Mountaineer Regional Convention

Michigan, Ohio, West Virginia

*The Church of God*

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*Whom We Preach And Teach*

Colossians 1:28

Fairmont WV Local Church

2019 Pleasant Valley Rd.

Fairmont, WV 26554

*Guest Speaker: Shanna Campos*

*General Sunday School Coordinator*



## Lodging for the Convention

**Super 8 Wyndham Hotel**  
2208 Pleasant Valley Road  
I-79, Exit 133  
Fairmont, WV 26554  
304-816-0081

**Suburban Extended Stay**  
930-B East Grafton Road  
I-79, Exit 137  
Fairmont, WV 26554  
304-366-3110

**Red Roof Inn**  
42 Spencer Drive  
I-79, Exit 132  
Fairmont, WV 26554  
877-843-7663

**Clarion Inn**  
930-A East Grafton Road  
I-79, Exit 137  
Fairmont, WV 26554  
304-366-5500

**Microtel Inn & Suites**  
20 Southland Drive  
I-79, Exit 132

Fairmont, WV 26554  
304-363-3100

**Fairfield Inn & Suites**  
27 Southland Drive  
I-79, Exit 132  
Fairmont, WV 26554  
304-367-9150

**Holiday Inn Express**  
2256 Landing Lane  
I-79, Exit 133  
Fairmont, WV 26554  
877-654-0232

**Days Inn by Wyndham**  
166 Middletown Road  
I-79, Exit 132  
Fairmont, WV 26554  
204-652-5194

**Hampton Inn**  
2121 Pleasant Valley Road  
I-79, Exit 133  
Fairmont, WV 26554  
304-363-4999

# Fairmont, WV Church

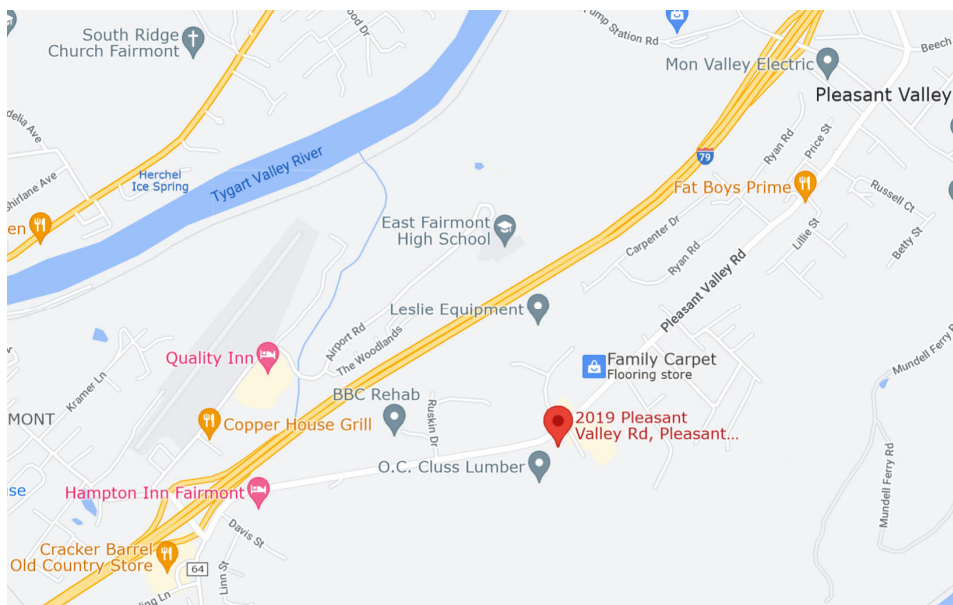
## YWCA Facility

2019 Pleasant Valley Rd.

Fairmont, WV 26554

Off I-79

Between Exits 133 & 135



**Colossians 1:25-29 (25)** Whereof I am made a minister, according to the dispensation of God which is given to me for you, to fulfil the word of God; **(26)** Even the mystery which hath been hid from ages and from generations, but now is made manifest to his saints: **(27)** To whom God would make known what is the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles; which is Christ in you, the hope of glory: **(28)** Whom we preach, warning every man, and teaching every man in all wisdom; that we may present every man perfect in Christ Jesus: **(29)** Whereunto I also labour, striving according to his working, which worketh in me mightily.

Aspect	Preaching	Teaching
<b>Primary Objective</b>	To inspire, challenge, and evoke a response.	To impart knowledge and clarify biblical truths.
<b>Approach</b>	Dynamic proclamation of the gospel.	<a href="#">Systematic instruction on doctrines</a> and principles.
<b>Emphasis</b>	Heartfelt call, emotions, stories, and real-life applications.	Understanding, application tools, and spiritual growth.
<b>Setting Examples</b>	Sunday sermons, evangelistic rallies, revival meetings.	Bible studies, discipleship classes, theological seminars.
<b>Impact on Listeners</b>	Motivates action, renews hope, and deepens relationship with God.	Equips believers to discern truth and apply it in daily life.
<b>Duration</b>	Often shorter, focused on a central theme or message.	Can be longer, delving into detailed explanations and discussions.
<b>Delivery Style</b>	Passionate, persuasive, and often extemporaneous.	Structured, explanatory, and often planned in advance.

***James Smith, Regional Overseer.***



## *General Staff*

**General Overseer** ..... **Oscar Pimentel**  
**Regional Overseer** ..... **James Smith**  
**Guest Speaker** ..... **Shanna Campos**

## *Convention Staff*

### Clerks

**Kandy Saunders**      **Nancy Smith**      **Paula Sanner**

### Musicians

**Ron Legg**      **Ronald Robe**      **Wanda Sutherland**

### Ushers

**Kevin Brady**      **Randy Osborn**      **Greg Thomas**

## *Regional Finance Committee*

**James Smith**      **Ron Legg**  
**George Atha**      **Walter Lofton**  
**Mitchell Bentley**      **Ronald Robe**  
                                 **James Sutherland**

## **Preach the Word**

Artist: [Gold City](#)

Paul was weary on his journey, His body frail and weak.  
The apostle knew the end was near, As he dipped his pen in ink.  
He wrote, "Timothy, my son, I have fought the fight of faith.  
Carry on what I've begun, But most of all I pray":

Preach the word, preach the cross,  
Preach redemption to a lost and dying world.  
Lift your voice, unashamed, of the Gospel of His name.  
Until all have heard, preach the word.

Paul and Timothy are gone now, But the letter still remains,  
And the mission that was written down, Calls out to us to day.  
Lift the name of Jesus higher, Until the whole world knows,  
The story of amazing grace, We are messengers of hope!

Preach the word, preach the cross,  
Preach redemption to a lost and dying world.  
Lift your voice, unashamed, of the Gospel of His name.  
Until all have heard, preach the word.

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Preach the word, preach the cross,  
Preach redemption to a lost and dying world.  
Lift your voice, unashamed, of the Gospel of His name.  
Until all have heard, preach the word (preach the word,  
preach the word).

Preach the word, preach the cross,  
Preach redemption to a lost and dying world.  
Lift your voice, unashamed, of the Gospel of His name.  
Until all have heard, preach the word (preach the word,  
preach the word), preach the word (preach the word, preach  
the word), preach the word (preach the word, preach the  
word), preach the Word.

*I pledge allegiance to our Church Flag,  
and to the doctrine for which it stands  
one God, one Faith, one Mind,  
and one Church for all. Amen!*



*I pledge allegiance to the Bible,  
God's holy Word,  
I will make it a lamp unto my feet  
and a light unto my path.  
I will hide its words in my heart  
that I might not sin against God.*

## *Regional Staff & Coordinators*

A.B.M. ....	Wanda Sutherland
B.T.I. ....	Alyce Silvia
C.P.M.A. ....	Ronald Robe
V.L.B. ....	OPEN
W.M.B. ....	Kandy Saunders
Sunday School .....	Annette Oglesbee
Evangelism .....	Walter Lofton
Children's Church.....	Annette Oglesbee
Regional Paper & Reporter .....	Walter Lofton
Tabernacle Booster.....	Walter Lofton
Treasurer .....	Kandy Saunders

## *District Overseers*

Northern District .....	James Sutherland
Southern District .....	Walter Lofton

## *Pastors*

Castalia, OH .....	Ron Legg
Port Clinton, OH .....	Wanda Sutherland
Niles, MI .....	Mitchell Bentley
Fairmont, WV .....	James Smith
Page, WV .....	George Atha
Seth, WV.....	Walter Lofton

### ***Friday Evening, June 20, 2025***

- 6:30 Opening & Welcome, James Smith
- 6:35 Pledges, James Smith
- 6:40 Scripture & Prayer, *Matthew 4:12-25*  
Singing, Fairmont in charge
- 7:00 Sermon, *Ronald Robe*
- 7:30 Special Singing, Convention offering
- 7:45 Sermon, *Shanna Campos*, Guest Speaker

### ***Saturday Morning, June 21, 2025***

- 9:30 Preliminary music
- 10:00 Opening & Welcome, *James Smith*
- 10:05 Scripture & Prayer, Ronald Legg, *Luke 4:16-30*  
Worship in Singing, Castalia in charge
- 10:15 B.T.I. *Alyce Silvia*
- 10:35 C.P.M.A. *Ronald Robe*
- 11:00 Special Singing, ——
- 11:15 Regional Treasurer Report, *Kandy Saunders*
- 11:20 *Finance Committee Report, James Smith*
- 11:30 Tabernacle Boost, *Walter Lofton*

### ***Saturday Afternoon, June 21, 2025***

- 1:45 Scripture & Prayer,  
*James Sutherland, 1 Corinthians 9:14-27*  
Worship in Singing, Port Clinton in charge
- 1:55 Report: New Field Work
- 2:20 Special Singing,
- 2:30 Regional Overseer, *James Smith*

### ***Saturday Evening, June 21, 2025***

- 6:30 Opening & Welcome, James Smith
- 6:40 Scripture & Prayer, *George Atha, Acts 5:27-42*  
Singing, Page in charge
- 6:50 Special Singing, Convention offering
- 7:10 Evangelism, *Walter Lofton*
- 7:40 A.B.M. *Wanda Sutherland*
- 8:10 Healing & Evangelism Service,  
Sermon: *Shanna Campos*, Guest Speaker

*Ministers please be ready to form healing prayer line across the front. Musicians please be ready.*

### ***Sunday Morning, June 22, 2025***

- 9:30 Opening & Welcome, *James Smith*
- 9:35 Scripture & Prayer, *Walter Lofton, Philippians 1:12-18*  
Singing, Seth in charge
- 9:45 W.M.B. *Kandy Saunders*
- 10:00 Sermon, *Shanna Campos*, Guest Speaker
- 11:00 Sunday School, Annette Oglesbee
- 11:45 Concluding Remarks & Regional Appointments

Appointees please come to the front with your companions as your names are called.

Prayer for God's guidance and anointing for the coming year's labor for Him, *Shanna Campos*.