

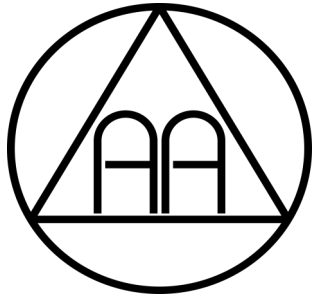
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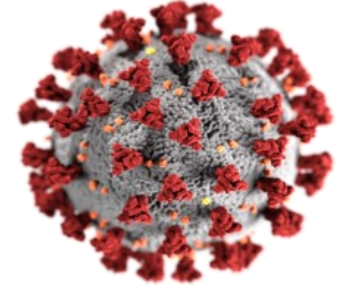
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<http://www.aafairviewriverside.org/>

July - August 2020



- Stay safe
- Stay strong
- Stay sober



All Fairview Riverside AA gatherings and meetings at the U of M Medical Center have been suspended until further notice. Please refer to pages 3 and 4 of this issue of *Straight Talk* for more information about Online AA Meetings and 12-Step opportunities.

For AA help and information call anytime at:

Greater Minneapolis Inter Group
(952) 922-0880

St. Paul and Suburban Inter Group

(651) 227-5502 Spanish (651) 888-6912

Please pass *Straight Talk* on to others, especially those seeking AA and sobriety. Thank you!

Intergroup Phone Volunteers
needed - Please call to help
those still suffering

Visit & Join our new Facebook page - **StraightTalk Society**
Information - Fellowship - Support

**“God grant me the Serenity to accept the things I cannot change,
the Courage to change the things I can, and the Wisdom to know the difference.”**

Attend an online AA Meeting - Reach out for help and support - Work your Program!

Day	Group/Squad	Time	Meeting Code	Password
Monday	3 & W	5:30pm	690 284 815	000777
Tuesday	62	7pm	592 304 732	022704
Wednesday	20	7pm	672 945 520	016038
Friday	70	8:30pm	982 0212 3715	823676
Saturday	1**	8pm	979 323 653	009361
** weather permitting Sq 1 also meets at Riverside Park in person				
Sunday	47 log on Ring Central	5:30pm	148 512 7745	
	General Mtg	7:15pm	983 3148 0892	435229
	2	8:30pm	330 843 112	013328
2nd Sunday	Trustees	6:15pm	501 827 331	105664

Faiview AA Fellowship Picnic

Food Fun Fellowship

September 12th - Saturday

1 - 4pm

Riverside Park Picnic Area



"I AM RESPONSIBLE FOR MY OWN SOBRIETY"

Sober Bicycle Rider's Program

Do **YOU** like bikes?

Do **YOU** ride bikes?

Do **YOU** have a bike you'd like to donate?

Do **YOU** need a bike?



Lee C. & Jim W.

AA Members of AA at Fairview Riverside
would like to hear from **YOU**

Call (612) 458-0262

These instructions are for the below prayer

Big Book, Freedom from Bondage, p. 552

'If you have a resentment you want to be free of, if you will pray for the person or the thing that you resent, you will be free. If you will ask in prayer for everything you want for yourself to be given to them, you will be free...Even when you don't really want it for them, and your prayers are only words and you don't mean it, go ahead and do it anyway. Do it every day for two weeks and you will find you have come to mean it and to want it for them, and you will realize that where you used to feel bitterness and resentment and hatred, you now feel compassionate understanding and love.'

A 4th Step Resentment Prayer:

"God, Please help me to be free of anger and to see that the world and its people have dominated me. Show me that the wrong-doing of others, fancied or real, has the power to actually kill me. Help me to master my resentments by understanding that the people who wrong me were perhaps spiritually sick. Please help me show those I resent the same Tolerance, Pity and Patience that I would cheerfully grant a sick friend. ** Help me to see that this is a sick man.



Father, please show me how I can be helpful to him and save me from being angry. Lord, help me to avoid retaliation or argument. I know I can't be helpful to all people, but at least show me how to take a kindly and tolerant view of each and every one. Thy will be done."(66:2, 66:3, 66:4, 67:0, 67:1)

Here is a prayer for a person you feel resentful of:

**Dear God, I have a resentment towards a person that I want to be free of. So, I am asking you to give this person everything I want for myself. Help me to feel compassionate understanding and love for this person. I pray that they will receive everything they need. Thank you God for your help and strength with this resentment.

(BB, Freedom from Bondage: 552)

"My Lord God, I have no idea where I am going. I do not see the road ahead of me. I cannot know for certain where it will end. nor do I really know myself, and the fact that I think I am following your will does not mean that I am actually doing so. But I believe that the desire to please you does in fact please you. And I hope I have that desire in all that I am doing. I hope that I will never do anything apart from that desire. And I know that if I do this you will lead me by the right road, though I may know nothing about it. Therefore will I trust you always though I may seem to be lost and in the shadow of death. I will not fear, for you are ever with me, and you will never leave me to face my perils alone. "

Thomas Merton



7th Tradition

Every AA Group Ought To Be Fully Self-Supporting

That's why we pass the envelop!

Contribute directly with a Venmo account to:
contribute@aafairviewriverside.org

or

**Send your contribution by mail to AA
Treasurer at**

2209 22nd Avenue South, Mpls MN 55404



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Join us for a
Speaker Meeting

Online ZOOM
983 3148 0892

Sunday @ 7:15pm

AA
Sunday
Night



The General Meeting on
Sunday nights @ 7:15pm
If interested in helping out,
please contact us at
feedback@aafairviewriverside.org

12-step Opportunities



Fairview Riverside AA – U of M Medical
Center

To keep the program, we must give it away!

General Meeting – Sunday speakers – 7:15pm
Online ZOOM 983 3148 0892

AA Wing Meeting – TBD

Fairview Riverside – U of M Detox
Center – TBD

Annual Gopher State Round Up –
AA Hospitality Suite 115—Memorial Day
Weekend - May 22 - 24, 2020 - Cancelled

For more information, please email
Fairview Riverside Board of Trustees
at
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Have you
written
something?

Would you
like to have
it published in
Straight Talk?



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Online ZOOM during Stay-At-Home Quarantine

Due to the Coronavirus epidemic all commu-
nity gatherings and AA meetings at the hospital
and church have been suspended until further
notice.

So

To access these meetings, please download the
ZOOM or Ring Central app on your
smartphone, laptop, tablet or computer. The AA
meetings listed on the back page happen every
week.

- Your device must have a working micro-
phone, camera and screen
- Navigate to the ZOOM or Ring Central app
- Select join a meeting
- Enter meeting code
- Enter password when prompted
- Select enable video
- Host will welcome you to the meeting

7th Tradition

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Your contributions support:

- Online Meetings during Stay At Home
- *Straight Talk* Newsletter
- GSO & AA service organizations
- AA at Fairview Riverside website

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U of M Medical Center Fairview Meeting Listings

AA

(Alcoholics Anonymous)

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So

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More detailed instructions on previous page....

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Trustees 2nd Sunday each month 6:15pm Meeting ID: 501 827 331 Password: 105664

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<https://www.facebook.com/>

Monthly Treasurer's & Secretary's Reports on website

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Trustees

Bruce M. – Sq. 62
Lynn – Sq. W
Jeremy K. - Sq. 1
Kyle W. - General Meeting
Jim M. – Sq. 70
Kyle W. - Sq. 20
Bella - Sq. 2
Jim W.- Sq. 3
Karl K. - Sq. 57
Patrick R. - Sq. 47
Dave P. - Sq. 47

Looking for Rep from: Sq. 43
Please send a representative from your Squad!

People who don't go to meetings aren't there to see what happens to people who don't go to meetings.

• Is your group not listed? Is it listed incorrectly?

Please send a note with any changes or your writing submission to:

feedback@aafairviewriverside.org