



Campus Ministries

Re::imagine your faith at Friends University through
Recharging • Repurposing • Reconnecting • Re-engaging

Re::imagine your faith at Friends

Leaning into God's love for us, we move from places of fear, anxiety and oppression into lives of love, peace and freedom.

As a student who chooses to be involved in Campus Ministries, we encourage you to re::imagine your faith in the context of your college experience. This means identifying some of your core narratives, learning how to tell your story and considering who you are becoming. We provide an environment for you to lean into God's love and goodness and grow into the person you want to be as a follower of Jesus.

Throughout your college experience, we will equip you with tools, relationships and practices that will grow your faith and assist you as a life-long follower of Jesus. In particular, we will talk about what it means to recharge, repurpose, reconnect and re-engage.

:: Recharge

Affirming that God is good, we take time to take care of our bodies, minds, hearts and souls.

:: Repurpose

Looking at the people and world around us, we see through new lenses the beauty in the ordinary.

:: Reconnect

Believing in the strength of community to heal and transform us, we intentionally build connections with others.

:: Re-engage

As followers of Jesus, we are invited to participate with God in the world with generosity and hospitality.



Reconnect and re-engage

Cornerstone

Join students, staff, faculty and the community for an intimate time of worship with teaching and student-led worship music. Snacks and time for conversation follow the worship service.

Fall 2015 Cornerstone dates:

- Aug. 27, Sept. 24, Oct. 15 and Nov. 5
8 p.m. | University Friends Church

Listen to the Cornerstone sermons online at friends.edu/cmblog

Bible studies

Reconnect with the Bible and learn how to see the world as God sees it. Contact the Campus Ministries Office for Bible study dates and times.

Local service projects

Impact the community with service projects like serving Thanksgiving dinner to those in poverty and partnering with the Race for Freedom 5K, hosted by I.C.T.S.O.S., an organization that works to end domestic minor sex trafficking in Wichita.

Mission trips

Work alongside various outreach programs located in Kansas City that serve those who are homeless, refugees, in poverty or recovering from trauma.



Retreats

Recharge away from campus with a fun time of learning and resting while growing in your faith.

Individual pastoral care and spiritual direction

Our full-time Campus Chaplain and Campus Ministries staff provide a safe and supportive environment to help you navigate life's challenges. Regardless of where you are on your faith journey, our doors are open to meet with you to explore and expand your understanding of who God is, who you are and what you and God are doing together in the world.

For more details and dates for the Bible study, service projects, mission trips and retreats, or to schedule a meeting for individual spiritual care, contact Carrie at millsca@friends.edu or stop by the Campus Ministries Office in the Davis Administration Building, room 216.

Campus Ministries staff

Dr. Patrick Sehl, Chaplain and Director of Campus Ministries



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Patrick earned his bachelor's from Friends University and his Master of Divinity from Princeton Theological Seminary. He returned to Friends University in 2002 to work in Campus Ministries. He also completed his Doctorate of Ministry in Semiotics and Future Studies from George Fox University in 2014. Patrick is passionate about meeting students where they are and helping them take a step forward in their faith. Patrick spends his free time hanging out with his oldest son, chasing his twin toddlers and working on his saltwater fish aquariums.

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Carrie has worked at Friends University since 2003 and has truly found joy in walking with college students as they wrestle with their understanding of God and life in the process of making faith their own. Carrie earned a Master of Arts in Christian Ministry (Spiritual Formation) from Friends University. She is pursuing additional training in Spiritual Direction. Carrie enjoys practicing yoga, hiking, trying new recipes and doing yard work or home projects.

The Campus Ministries Office is located in room 216 of the Davis Administration Building. To learn about our various campus and community activities, contact any of the Campus Ministries staff or connect with us on social media or our blog at friends.edu/cmblog.



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