









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

Chapel

Join the Friends University community as we gather for worship, prayer and to explore what it means to be a follower of Jesus.

Thursdays at 9:30 a.m. | Alumni Auditorium

Cornerstone

What's the best way to end your weekend and start your week? Join other members of the Friends community for a casual time of worship and teaching. Come early for coffee and conversation!

Sundays at 8 p.m. | Casado Dining Hall

Bible studies

Connect with other students, staff and faculty to explore, discuss and practice ways to grow as followers of Jesus.

Local service projects

Impact the community by volunteering! Have an idea? Come tell us about it. Looking for a place to serve? We can help you find a great place to get plugged in!

Mission trips

Work with a team over fall break, spring break or both to explore important issues in our world and serve alongside churches and organizations that are making a difference.







Retreats

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

Prayer

Have a prayer request? Our Campus Ministries staff is committed to praying for the needs of the campus, and invite you to share your requests with us by emailing prayer request @friends.edu.

Individual pastoral care and spiritual direction

Our full-time 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 studies, service projects, mission trips and retreats, or to schedule a meeting for individual spiritual care, contact us at campusministries@friends.edu or stop by the Campus Ministries Office in the Davis Administration Building, room 214.

Meet the Campus Pastor!

Dr. Guy Chmieleski, Campus Pastor and Dean of Campus Ministries



quy chmieleski@friends.edu | 316-295-5488 | Davis 208 Guy joined the Friends University community during the summer of 2016. He is a happy husband and proud father of five beautiful kids. Guy has spent his entire career serving students and campus communities through various campus ministry roles. This is a response to God's leading in his life, and he is motivated by the fact that college years are some of the most formative in all of life. Guy earned a Doctorate of Ministry in Spiritual Formation and Leadership from George Fox Evangelical Seminary in 2005. Guy has also authored three books: Noise. Hurry. Crowds. On Creating Space for God Amidst the Chaos of Campus and Culture (Seedbed, '15); CAMPUS gODS: Exposing the Idols That Can Derail Your Present and Destroy Your Future (Seedbed, '13); and Shaping Their Future: Mentoring Students Through Their Formative College Years (Seedbed, '13). When he's not hanging out with college students, there's a good chance Guy can be found trying to keep up with his kids, enjoying some coffee and quiet moments with his wife or working out in the yard.

The Campus Ministries Office is located in room 214 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.



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