

The logo features the text "FAIRFAX CIRCLE CHURCH" in a white, serif font, centered within a circular frame. The frame is composed of two thick, white, curved lines that meet at the top and bottom, creating a partial circle. The text is arranged in three lines: "FAIRFAX" on the top line, "CIRCLE" on the middle line, and "CHURCH" on the bottom line, positioned to the right of the "CIRCLE" text.

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A sunset over rolling hills with the text "JESUS WORTH FOLLOWING" overlaid. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a warm glow over the landscape. The hills are silhouetted against the bright sky. The text is in a bold, black, sans-serif font.

# JESUS

## WORTH FOLLOWING

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Every year Jesus' parents went to Jerusalem for the Festival of the Passover. When he was twelve years old, they went up to the festival, according to the custom.

After the festival was over,  
while his parents were  
returning home, the boy Jesus  
stayed behind in Jerusalem,  
but they were unaware of it.

Thinking he was in their company, they traveled on for a day. Then they began looking for him among their relatives and friends.

When they did not find him, they went back to Jerusalem to look for him. After three days they found him in the temple courts, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions.

Everyone who heard him was amazed at his understanding and his answers. When his parents saw him, they were astonished.

His mother said to him, “Son, why have you treated us like this? Your father and I have been anxiously searching for you.”



“Why were you searching for me?” he asked. “Didn’t you know I had to be in my Father’s house?” But they did not understand what he was saying to them.

Then he went down to Nazareth with them and was obedient to them. But his mother treasured all these things in her heart.

And Jesus grew in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man.

Luke 2:41-52

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Move beyond the  
information into insight

# Relationships over rules

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Choose relationships  
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Authenticity  
over  
acceptance.

Focus on being authentic  
rather than being accepted.

Bring the world  
something new

To give us  
something better

He is worth following.



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