



Mark Earley, President and CEO of Prison Fellowship Ministry will speak at Centre Presbyterian Church, Thursday, May 8, 2008, at 7:00 PM (Centre is located behind LKN Medical Centre at 129 Centre Church Road in Mooresville). Mr. Earley will share his calling to work with Prison Fellowship, how Prison Fellowship ministers to those in prison as well as when the prisoner is released, the prisoner's families and how our community can help. For additional information on Mr. Earley's visit to Mooresville, please contact Centre Presbyterian Church at (704) 664-3160.

Mark Earley, former State Senator (1988-1998) and Attorney General of Virginia (1998-2001), became president of PFM on February 1, 2002. As President and CEO of PFM, Earley oversees the national ministry founded by Charles Colson in 1976, which has since spread to 108 countries in addition to the United States. Prison Fellowship's core commitments are Fellowshiping with Jesus, Visiting Prisoners, and Welcoming Their Children. In line with these commitments, PF works with thousands of churches and volunteers across the U.S. to disciple prisoners and prepare them to re-enter the community; to minister year-round to prisoners' children through Christmas, camping, and mentoring programs; and to help redeem the culture by embracing, defending, and applying a clear biblical worldview.

Additionally, Earley serves as Chairman of Operation Starting Line, a multi-ministry, interdenominational outreach to prisoners in America that is helping the local and in-prison church provide in-prison evangelistic events, ongoing inmate mentoring, and post-prison assistance for ex-prisoners and their families. He also serves on the Board of Directors for PFI, which is a global association of over 100 national Prison Fellowship organizations.

Earley, an attorney, practiced law for fifteen years with the firm of Tavss, Fletcher, Earley, and King in Norfolk, Virginia. He served in the Virginia State Senate for ten years from 1988 to 1998 and then served as the Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Virginia from 1998-2001.

From 1977-1982 Earley served on the staff of the Navigators, an international evangelical ministry active on college campuses, military bases, and other settings. He served in campus ministry at the University of the Philippines in Manila and in the U.S. at the West Chester University in Pennsylvania and at the College of William and Mary in Virginia.

Earley is a graduate of the College of William and Mary in Williamsburg, Virginia, where he received a B.A. in Religion. He earned a juris doctor degree from Marshall-Wythe School of Law. He resides in Lansdowne, Virginia, with his wife, the former Cynthia Breithaupt, and their six children (Rachel, Justin, Mark Jr., Mary Catherine, Franklin, and Anne Harris).

Please join us for this poignant presentation. For more information on Prison Fellowship Ministry, please visit their website at www.pfm.org.

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