

THOUGHTS FROM BRAD ...



Don't forget that we are having a brief informational meeting immediately following our morning service TODAY.

If you have an interest in participating in the 2016 Summer Mission trip to Grundy Mountain Mission, please come to this meeting. I need to let the mission know how many plan to come and serve. I have a brochure ready for those who plan to go. It's going to be an excellent opportunity to put your faith into action. The trip is slated for July 5-9th.

It's not too early to invite someone to join us for worship on Mother's Day. Mother's Day is on May 8th and as usual, these special ladies will be honored by receiving a gift from the church. We hope you will help us fill the sanctuary that Sunday.

For our Senior Saints who plan to participate in this year's trip to Johnson University, we need you to get signed up now in the coat room. All are welcome to attend! If you have registered with the college but have not signed up with us, I need to hear from you so I can finalize transportation needs. Thanks!



There will be no elective class this Wednesday, April 27th due to a special leadership planning meeting for the Trustees, Deacons and Elders.

Our next scheduled elective class will be held on May 4th. Our new study in this Basic Doctrines elective will focus on the Lord's Supper. Please join us!

I hope that you are doing all you can to stay up with your Bible reading for the year. Next Sunday our message will be from a text between 2 Kings 9-25. Remember, the more you read, the more relevant you will find the message to be for your life.

In His Service,
Brad

April 17, 2016	
Sunday School	70
Morning Worship	113
Evening Worship	30
Wednesday (04/20)	14
Weekly Budget	\$ 4,361.00
Budget Received	\$ 3,178.00
Roof Fund	\$ 70.00
Roof Fund (received to date)	\$ 7,795.00
Building Fund	\$ 20.00

SERVING SCHEDULE April 24, 2016	
At the Table	Dick Shumaker and Ron Enlow
Serving	Ron Enlow, Ray Ayers, Dan Brown, Mike Bussey
PM Deacon	Ron Enlow
COMMUNION	Larry King
GREETERS	Don and Judy Gardner
NURSERY	
Sunday School	Laura Wersell
Worship	Angie Music
VISITOR CENTER	Janet Brown
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Ryan Ratliff Sarah Ratliff
SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	Tim Huffman
Evening Worship	Ray Coats

SERVING SCHEDULE May 1, 2016	
At the Table	Mitch Shell and Ryan Ratliff
Serving	Tim Huffman, Ray Coats, Coy Cupler
PM Deacon	Tim Huffman
COMMUNION	Brenda Hines
GREETERS	Brenda Hines & Virginia Wentz
NURSERY	
Sunday School	Courtney Beiter
Worship	Marie Huffman
VISITOR CENTER	Ruth Enlow
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Natalie Neff Michaela Neff
SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	Bill Kelly
Evening Worship	Jim Puckett

Prayer List

Naressa Allen	Bonnie Brafford	Leroy Shaner
Millie Hoy	Dorothy Henderly	Larry Wentz
Jeane Goldfarb	Jeff Kemmerer	Debi Erwin
Piper Stark	George Lambert	Jerry Delong
Paul Scott	Steve Knox	Our Troops
Kasen Newman	Camille Stiverson	Mira McCarty
Marc Mooney	Kenneth Dusthimer	Sarah Witham
Ron Finch	Alberta and George Ellis	Joe Duncan
Veronica Hartmann	Marilyn Justus	Shirley Hopkins

Sunday School Classes for All Ages All classes are at 8:45 a.m.

Nursery
(Birth through 3 years old)
"Jesus Loves Me"
Room 102

Preschool
(Ages 3-6)
"Bible Friends"
Room 105
Marie Huffman, Teacher

Early Elementary
(K- 3rd Grade)
"Jesus, Our Example"
Room 101
Deborah Will, Teacher

Upper Elementary Class
(4th-6th Grade)
"Jesus, Our Example"
Room 106
Larry King, Teacher

Junior/Senior High
"Creation"
3rd Floor
Patrick Wersell, Teacher

Ladies' Class
"Unglued"
Room 209
Bev Puckett, Teacher

Adult Class
"Getting Connected"
Room 214
Brad Seevers, Teacher

Harmony Adult Class
"Examination of Hebrews"
Room 204
Dave Tingler, Teacher

Philothean Adult Class
"Parables"
Room 208
Jim Love, Teacher

Upcoming Events

April 29th-30th
Men's Spring Retreat at
Round Lake

May 5th
Foundation Dinner

May 8th
Mother's Day
Carriage Court Service, 2pm

5th Avenue Dinner Outings

We had a great time with our first dinner out. Plenty of good Christian fellowship and food at the Olive Garden restaurant. Everyone agrees we need to keep doing it. We decided on a potluck dinner at the Overlook Condo Clubhouse (960 Governors Circle – off Ety Road) on Friday, June 17th. Please contact Ruth or Ron Enlow with any questions.

BOOK NOOK

May's selection for the Book Nook is *The Sentimental Journey*. These nine novellas, set during the turbulent World War II period, were written by various popular authors in the inspirational publishing market. The collection not only features stories occurring during the war-torn 1940s, but also introduces readers to a variety of popular authors who have numerous full-length novels available with both historical and contemporary settings.

Join us at 6:30 on Monday, May 16th!



*To all my brothers and sisters at Fifth Avenue –
I want to let you know my surgery was a success and
I know that it was due to all the prayers you said for
me. I truly thank you for your prayers and thoughts.
In Christian Love,
Jeff and Jean Kemmerer*

WELCOME TO FIFTH AVENUE!

At FACC, we focus on loving God, loving people, and turning the world upside down.

We are happy you chose to worship with us today. We hope you return next week and bring your friends with you. If you would please take a few minutes to fill out a "Silent Roll Call Card", located on the back of the pew, you can then place it in the offering plate as it is passed. Thank you. For more information about our great church, contact our minister, Brad Seevers at 5thavecofc@gmail.com or call him at 740.550.9882. Have a great week and may God bless your life.

Core Values...

Values central to the life, mission and vision of Fifth Avenue Church of Christ are:

Christ-Centered Worship

We make it a priority every Sunday to celebrate Jesus through our music. (Romans 11:36-12:1-2). We focus on Jesus through grace-based preaching and teaching & understand the Bible is our authority (2 Timothy 3:16).

Church Health and Biblical Balance

Church health becomes reality when God's people seek harmony & live consistently. We expect every member to protect the unity of Christ's Church. (Romans 12:16; 1 Peter 3:8)

Global Evangelism

We are constant to our founding call to worldwide evangelism, proclaiming to all that Jesus Christ is the Savior, Healer, and Soon-Coming King (Acts 20:27).

Fellowship and Ministry

After people begin their journey with Jesus, we will equip them to find a ministry based upon their strengths. We want everyone to serve in some capacity. (1 Corinthians 12:12-27) We also want His church to be the living evidence of His love and power to the world.

Discipleship

We do not want you to "get religion" here at Fifth Avenue Church of Christ in Lancaster. We are all about teaching you that Jesus seeks a daily relationship with Him through a life of obedience. In other words, we want to see the things you are taught actually change your lifestyle & your daily decisions.

Social Conscience

We place high value on the sanctity of human life, of Biblical marriage and morality, and we welcome ethnic diversity (Isaiah 56:7; Philippians 2:15-16).

"It's Time To Part Ways"

II Kings 2

Brad Seevers preaching

How Can I Respond Today?

At FACC we look to the Bible for guidance on all issues. We believe that God's Word is clear concerning what a person must do to become a Christian.

- ◆ Trust that Jesus can bring you to salvation.
- ◆ Turn (repent) from the sin in your life.
- ◆ Confess your desire to make Jesus the Lord of your life.
- ◆ Be baptized (immersed) in water for the forgiveness of sins and to receive the Holy Spirit into your life.

To make this *life decision for Christ*, we ask that you *come forward during our commitment song* at the conclusion of the Sunday message. *Baptized believers are welcome to become members* at FACC by coming forward on Sunday morning or by seeing our Senior Minister to discuss this further. We ask that you *complete a series of Curious classes* to help you better understand what you are committing to as a member. If you would like to take a *Curious class*, please indicate this on your Silent Roll Call Card.

OUR PURPOSE:

WE EXIST TO: Exalt God's Greatness; Evangelize God's Work, Equip God's People. Express God's Love through Jesus Christ

OUR MISSION: *"To Love God and Love People!"*

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The Christian Messenger

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S-E-N-I-O-R S-A-I-N-T-S
IN THE SMOKIES
Johnson University · Knoxville, Tennessee

Seniors Saints in the Smokies

"Hillbilly Homecoming" at Johnson University
May 30-June 3, 2016

Cost is \$250 per person (2 in a room) if registered by April 15th.
Cost is \$280 per person (1 in a room) if registered by April 15th.

Please sign up in the coat room and get registered immediately!

Brad Seevers, Senior Minister
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Sunday Services: Bible School 8:45 a.m.; Worship 10:00 a.m.;
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.