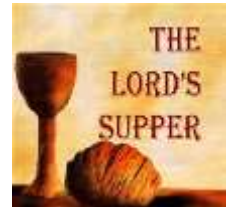


THOUGHTS FROM BRAD ...



Happy Mother's Day ladies. I hope that this day is truly special for each of you. Being a Mother is a great responsibility yet it is also an honor and a blessing. Today, **each Mother** will receive a **rose** and a **book** from the church but **a few** will win a **large bag of chocolate**, donated by Mitch Shell. Good luck during our drawing. You should have received a number as you entered the sanctuary today. If not, please let us know before we do our drawing.

Last Wednesday, our new **elective on the Lord's Supper** began. You may still participate! We meet from 6:15-7:30. This elective will last four weeks. During this elective, we will discuss many subjects that will develop a deeper appreciation for the significance of the Lord's Supper in your life. **It is also my goal to assist in your spiritual development and understanding of the Scriptures.**



May 25- We will offer a "**Spaghetti**" meal at the church at **5:15**. The cost of this meal will be **\$4 per person**. We will eat from **5:15-6:00 p.m.** in the fellowship hall. I guarantee that it will be delicious. There is a **sign-up sheet in the coat room** so be sure to get signed up as soon as possible. Feel free to invite someone!



It has been said that the "One constant in life is change!" Boy isn't that the truth? The Elders and I recently decided to make certain Sunday nights of the year: "Family Nights." It is no surprise that many churches do not offer a Sunday evening service at all. We continue to offer PM Worship on Sunday nights in spite of that fact. However, please note that on the following weekends we will not offer PM Worship: Easter, Mother's Day, Memorial Day, Father's Day, Labor Day, and Christmas. Please make sure you join us on Sunday mornings if you currently only attend on Sunday night.



Have a great day!

Brad

May 1, 2016	
Sunday School	60
Morning Worship	121
Evening Worship	27
Wednesday Night (05/04)	15
Weekly Budget	\$ 4,361.00
Budget Received	\$ 3,316.54
Roof Fund	\$ 20.00
Roof Fund (received to date)	\$ 8,085.00
Easter	\$ 50.00
Gas Money	\$ 5.00
Dorothy Henderly Memorial	\$ 10.00
Van Fund	\$ 49.00
Building Fund	\$ 20.00

SERVING SCHEDULE May 8, 2016	
At the Table	Patrick Wersell
Serving	Larry King, Bob Hawkes, Jim Hoff, Bill Kelly
PM Deacon	Larry King
COMMUNION	Brenda Hines
GREETERS	Carmel and Shirley Marsh
NURSERY	
Sunday School	Brenda Hines
Worship	Jo George
VISITOR CENTER	Shirley Marsh
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Family Sunday
SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	Carmel Marsh
Evening Worship	Dick Shumaker

SERVING SCHEDULE May 15, 2016	
At the Table	Dave Tingler & Ned Tomlinson
Serving	Dale Rose, Carmel Marsh, Mike Milbaugh, Mitch Shell
PM Deacon	Dale Rose
COMMUNION	Brenda Hines
GREETERS	Dick and Marg Shumaker
NURSERY	
Sunday School	Shirley Marsh
Worship	Thea Kallenberg
VISITOR CENTER	Wanda Turner
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Natalie Neff Michaela Neff
SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	Bob Neff
Evening Worship	Ray Coats

Prayer List

Naressa Allen	Bonnie Brafford	Leroy Shaner
Millie Hoy	Shady Family	Larry Wentz
Jeane Goldfarb	Tina Milbaugh	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
Jim Allen	Veronica Hartmann	Shirley Hopkins
James Maynard		Irene Shelt

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"
Fellowship Hall
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

Wednesday, May 11th
Bible Study, 6:15pm

Sunday, May 15th
Informational Meeting following morning worship

Monday, May 16th
Book Nook, 6:30pm
Facility Management, 6:30pm

Tuesday, May 17th
Deacons Meeting, 6:30pm

Wednesday, May 18th
Bible Study, 6:15pm
Elders/Deacons Meeting, 7:30pm

INFORMATIONAL MEETING

On Sunday, May 15th, following the morning worship, there will be an informational meeting for the congregation to discuss future plans for the facility.

With Heartfelt Sympathy

We were saddened to learn of the passing of Dorothy Henderly. Calling hours are today 2-4 and 6-8 at the Halteman-Fett-Dyer Funeral Home, and the funeral will be at 1:00 p.m. on Monday, May 9th, at the funeral home.



Thank you for all the prayers for Larry Wentz – now home, Irene Shelt – nursing home for therapy, and Veronica Hartmann – home – goes to the hospital once a week for treatment, plus takes pills at home. Doing well at this time. Thank you so much!
~ Virginia Wentz

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).

"Once Broken, Now Blessed"

I Samuel

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

May 8, 2016



Happy Mother's Day

*Just a reminder ... there will be no evening
worship service tonight.*

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Sunday Services: Bible School 8:45 a.m.; Worship 10:00 a.m.;
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.