

THOUGHTS FROM BRAD ...



Tonight we will offer our “Fifth Sunday Singspiration in the sanctuary.” We will have a night of worship as we sing your favorite hymns. Also, if you would like to sing a special, be sure to speak with Lowell Trimmer and he will plan accordingly. This will be held in lieu of our regular Sunday evening programming. All the fun will start at 6:00 p.m.



The annual **Men’s Retreat at Round Lake Camp will be held on Friday, May 5th.** This is an annual Men’s night out! Some of us will plan to golf at Apple Valley on the way up. **If you want to golf, let me know right away and we will get a tee time set up as soon as possible.** For those who do not golf, the camp address is 114 OH-3, Lakeville, OH 44638. You can go up on your own and fish at the camp’s lake. It is wonderful! If you so choose, you can stay overnight as well, as long as you drive separately. Google the address for directions. The Friday evening program is as follows...

- 4:30 Dinner in Dining Hall (This is usually a steak dinner and it is big)
- 6:45 Main Session with Jason Lantz and worship with Dave Mason and the Bean Boys.
- **The cost for the dinner and evening program is \$25.**
- To register for the event, go online at www.roundlake.org. After you look up information on the Men’s Retreat, there is a link to register on that page.
- I hope you will join us. It’s a great night of fellowship!

As a reminder, there are two Sunday evening’s in May where we **do not have an evening service.** Those dates are: May 14th (**Mother’s Day**) and May 28th (**Memorial Day**). Please make a note of these dates.

Next Sunday, our message will come from your daily Bible reading of John 18-Acts 1.

I want to thank those who participated in our Curious class yesterday. I will pray for your continued quest and search for God’s purpose for your lives. Please pray daily about connecting to Jesus Christ and His church and how you might bring glory to God with your lives.

Just a thought... “Don’t let your learning lead to knowledge; let your learning lead to action (Jim Rohn).”

In His Service,

Brad

April 23, 2017	
Sunday School	69
Morning Worship	118
Evening Worship	14
Wednesday Bible Study (04/26)	7
Weekly Budget	\$ 4,145.00
Budget Received	\$ 3,220.00
Van Fund (Easter)	\$ 115.00
Van Fund (Ralph Conrad Memorial)	\$ 25.00
Building Fund	\$ 530.00

SERVING SCHEDULE April 30, 2017		SERVING SCHEDULE May 7, 2017	
At the Table	Dave Tingler and Ned Tomlinson	At the Table	Fred Griffith and Bob Neff
Serving	Tim Huffman, Dale Thornton, Lowell Trimmer, Mike Weaver	Serving	Larry King, Ray Ayers, Dan Brown, Mike Bussey
PM Deacon	Tim Huffman	PM Deacon	Larry King
COMMUNION	Larry King	COMMUNION	Brenda Hines
GREETERS	Brenda Hines & Virginia Wentz	GREETERS	Carmel and Shirley Marsh
NURSERY		NURSERY	
Sunday School	Courtney Beiter	Sunday School	Brenda Hines
Worship	Marie Huffman	Worship	Jo George
VISITOR CENTER	Ruth Enlow	VISITOR CENTER	Shirley Marsh
CHILDREN’S CHURCH	Natalie Neff Michaela Neff	CHILDREN’S CHURCH	Ryan Ratliff Sarah Ratliff
SOUND BOARD	Rick Azbell	SOUND BOARD	John Baird
VIDEO	John Baird	VIDEO	Jonathan Mullet
SECURITY		SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	Dan Brown	Sunday School/ Worship	David Will
Evening Worship	Tim Huffman	Evening Worship	Carmel Marsh

Prayer List

Our Church	Leroy Shaner	Veronica Hartmann	Kelly Connell
Piper Stark	Naressa Allen	Kasen Newman	Bill Jaynes
Debi Erwin	Jeane Goldfarb	Kenneth Dusthimer	Mike Souders
Paul Scott	Caleb Witham	Camille Stiverson	Barbara Shoemaker
Dave Vasey	Marc Mooney	Heather Baker	Dennis Smodic
Our Troops	Norma Holtom	Alberta Ellis	Jerry Wentz

Men interested in serving as an Elder or Deacon for 2018 should contact Ned Tomlinson or Patrick Wersell.

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
“Jesus Raises Lazarus”
(4th-6th Grade)
Room 106
Ron Enlow, Teacher

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

Ladies’ Class
“Captivating”
By Stasi Eldredge
Room 209
Jean Azbell and Bev Puckett,
Teachers

Adult Class
“Independent Studies”
Fellowship Hall
Brad SeEVERS, Teacher

Harmony Adult Class
“International Sunday School Lessons”
Room 204
Dave Tingler, Teacher

Philothean Adult Class
“Parables”
Room 208
Jim Love, Teacher

Upcoming Events

Wednesday, May 3rd
Bible Study, 6:15pm

Thursday, May 4th
Foundation Dinner

Friday, May 5th
Men’s Retreat at Round Lake

Saturday, May 6th
Ladies Tea, 12:30pm

Wednesday, May 10th
Bible Study, 6:15pm

Sunday, May 14th
Mother’s Day
Carriage Court, 2pm
No evening worship

Monday, May 15th
Facility Management, 6:30pm
Book Nook, 6:30pm

Tuesday, May 16th
Deacons Meeting, 6:30pm

Wednesday, May 17th
Bible Study, 6:15pm
Elders Meeting, 7:30pm

Friday, May 18th
Fellowship Potluck, 5:30pm



Our next potluck dinner will be Friday, May 19th, at the church. Most feel we can start a little later, so time will be 5:30 to 8:30pm. Several suggested a Mexican theme, so keep that in mind. Looking for another great turnout. Any questions or comments contact Ron or Ruth Enlow.



Book Nook
Monday, May 15th
6:30pm
Song of the Silent Harp
by BJ Hoff

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).

"Turning Sadness into Joy"

John 16:16-33

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

April 30, 2017



"Remembering Mama" Ladies Tea
Saturday, May 6th ~ 12:30pm

Entertainment will be provided by One Voice. The cost is \$2.00. Today is the last day to make reservations.

Brad Seevers, Senior Minister
Email: 5thavecofc@gmail.com

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