

THOUGHTS FROM BRAD ...

With the New Year approaching, I want to encourage you to pick up a Bible reading schedule. They are available at both exits of the sanctuary. You will note that in 2018, I am using the theme: "It's All About Jesus."

Therefore, for your Bible reading, you are being asked to read the Gospels in 2018. Of course, nothing is stopping you from reading the entire Bible, but for Sunday morning messages, we will work our way through the Gospels a total of 8 times in 2018. If you will do this with me, not only will you have a better mastery of Matthew, Mark, Luke and John, but you will come to know more about Jesus than you ever have. What do you say? Will you join me? Let me encourage you to be here each week as we make this journey toward Jesus together.

Please note the following...

- **Dec. 20th**- This will be our last Wednesday elective in 2017.
- **Dec. 24th**- On Christmas Eve, we have special plans for both our A.M./P.M. services. Our **Christmas Eve service** will begin at 6:00 P.M. this year. I hope you make plans to join us!
- **Dec. 24th**-Donuts and Hot chocolate in the lobby before and during Sunday School hour.
- **Dec. 31st**- No Sunday evening service. Have a safe New Year's Eve celebration with your family and friends.
- **Our Winter Break for the Wednesday night elective class begins on 12/27 and lasts through January 17th.** I look forward to our first class in 2018 beginning on January 24th. We will continue our 24/7 Bible studies.

New for 2018! On the last Wednesday of each month, I will offer a new opportunity for our Seniors entitled: "3F." This stands for "Faith, Food and Friends!" At each of these times together, we will have a light lunch, a brief study and a lot of fun gathering with friends. As always, feel free to invite someone with you that you'd like to begin worshipping with you at FACC.

This will take the place of our Wednesday night study on that particular day. I do hope you join us on January 31st for our first gathering together.

Final Thought..."Catchup with Jesus; lettuce praise Him, 'Cuz He loves me from my head to-ma-toes."

In His Service,

Brad SeEVERS

December 10, 2017

Sunday School	61
Morning Worship	101
Evening Worship	22
Wednesday Bible Study (12/13)	11
Weekly Budget	\$ 4,145.00
Budget Received	\$ 2,634.00
Building Fund	\$ 155.00

SERVING SCHEDULE December 17, 2017	
At the Table	Fred Griffith
Serving	Larry King, Bob Hawkes, Jim Hoff, Bill Kelly
PM Deacon	Larry King
COMMUNION	Dan and Janet Brown
GREETERS	
NURSERY	
Sunday School	Laura Wersell
Worship	Jo George
VISITOR CENTER	Shirley Marsh
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Jean Azbell Angie Music
SOUND BOARD	Rick Azbell
VIDEO	John Baird
SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	Tim Huffman
Evening Worship	Carmel Marsh

SERVING SCHEDULE December 24, 2017	
At the Table	Dick Shumaker and Ron Enlow
Serving	Dale Rose, Carmel Marsh, Jon Music
PM Deacon	Dick Shumaker
COMMUNION	Dan and Janet Brown
GREETERS	Ray and Margie Ayers
NURSERY	
Sunday School	Margaret Burgess
Worship	Thea Kallenberg
VISITOR CENTER	
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Family Sunday
SOUND BOARD	Rick Azbell
VIDEO	John Baird
SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	Bill Kelly
Evening Worship	Bob Neff

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)
"God Gave the Ten Commandments"
Room 106
Ron Enlow, Teacher

Junior/Senior High
3rd Floor
Patrick Wersell, Teacher

Ladies' Class
"Becoming Myself"
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

Greeter and Visitor Center Schedules

2018 Greeter and Visitor Center schedules will be sent out soon. If you would like to assist in one of these ministries, make a note on your Silent Roll Call Card, or call the church office at 740-654-0626.

Upcoming Events

Monday, December 18th
Facility Management, 6:30pm
Book Nook Christmas Gathering, 6:30pm

Tuesday, December 19th
Deacons, 6:30pm

Wednesday, December 20th
Bible Study, 6:15pm
Elders, 7:30pm

Sunday, December 24th
Christmas Eve Service, 6pm

Sunday, December 31st
No Evening Service

Book Nook Christmas Gathering

Monday, December 18th
6:30pm
Bring an appetizer to share. Drinks will be provided.

Prayer List

Our Church	Leroy Shaner	Veronica Hartmann	Heather Baker
Piper Stark	Naressa Allen	Kasen Newman	Esther Messerknecht
Debi Erwin	Jean Goldfarb	Kenneth Dusthimer	Norma Holtom
Jerry Wentz	Caleb Witham	Camille Stiverson	Delmar Severing
Our Troops	Marc Mooney	Verlene Heston	Richard/Bertha Boyer
Ruth Enlow	Dick Seifert	Lou Bennett	Ron Young

2018 Offering Envelopes

Offering envelopes for 2018 are available to be picked up in the church parlor. If you do not currently have offering envelopes but would like to have some, please contact Marg Shumaker or the church office.



