

THOUGHTS FROM BRAD ...

We enjoyed a wonderful time of fellowship Sunday night as nearly 100 celebrated our Thanksgiving banquet together. There is much thanks to give. I want to thank everyone who donated turkeys, ham and pies. I want to thank each of you who gave of your finances to help offset the expenses for this banquet. **I certainly want to thank all of you who prepared the meal, served the meal and cleaned up after the meal.** It was fun serving with you!

I want to thank all of you who have been praying for Kasen. He did great this past Monday with all his surgeries. He is recuperating back home now. He also got great news that his hearing is normal now in his left ear and the right ear has improved significantly as well. Please continue to pray that his hearing will be totally restored eventually.

Just a quick reminder about our Wednesday elective schedule. Our last two electives of the year will be Dec. 7th & Dec. 14th. Our **Wednesday elective will dismiss until Feb. 8th.** I do hope many of you will begin to join us at that time.

FYI... All those who plan to attend Senior Saints in the Smokies during the 2017 Summer, should note that the week we plan to attend will be the **first** week of the conference which is slated for **May 22-26**. The theme for this year is "Hawaiian Luau." If you register before 3/15/17 with 2 people sharing a room, the cost is \$250 per person. After that it will be \$260 per person. If you are single and want a private room, your cost is \$280 before 3/15/17 and \$290 if after that date. While registering, you can send \$50, and your balance would be due by May 20th. Go to www.johnsonu.edu to download more information. I hope you will join us.

I want to ask each of you to continue to pray for the December 6th city zoning meeting. We should know that evening as to whether they approve our site development plan.

Tonight, we will be in the fellowship hall watching a **brief video by Tim Tebow** which will help us come to grips with our identity in Jesus Christ. I know that if you join us, you will be truly blessed. We will also enjoy some dessert and coffee afterwards.

This year's **Christmas Eve service** will be held at **6 p.m.** I hope you will plan to participate in this special time together. **I want to thank Mike and Tina Milbaugh for volunteering to decorate our auditorium for December.**

In His Service,
Brad

November 20, 2016	
Sunday School	70
Morning Worship	132
Evening Worship	91
Weekly Budget	\$ 4,361.00
Budget Received	\$ 3,259.75
Gas for Van	\$ 5.00
Thanksgiving (IDES)	\$ 1,720.00
Van Fund	\$ 20.00
Building Fund	\$ 375.00
Memorial Fund (in memory Karen Young)	\$ 30.00
Memorial Fund (in memory of Jerry DeLong)	\$ 25.00
Missions	\$ 20.00

SERVING SCHEDULE November 27, 2016		SERVING SCHEDULE December 4, 2016	
At the Table	Mitch Shell and Ryan Ratliff	At the Table	Patrick Wersell
Serving	Dale Rose, Dale Thornton, Lowell Trimmer, Mike Weaver	Serving	Ron Enlow, Ray Ayers, Dan Brown, Mike Bussey
PM Deacon	Dale Rose	PM Deacon	Ron Enlow
COMMUNION	Mike and Tina Milbaugh	COMMUNION	Dan and Janet Brown
GREETERS	Brenda Hines & Virginia Wentz	GREETERS	Carmel and Shirley Marsh
NURSERY		NURSERY	
Sunday School	Courtney Beiter	Sunday School	Brenda Hines
Worship	Angie Music	Worship	Marie Huffman
VISITOR CENTER	Wanda Turner	VISITOR CENTER	Janet Brown
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Ryan and Sarah Ratliff	CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Kim Seevers
SECURITY		SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	Dan Brown	Sunday School/ Worship	Ray Coats
Evening Worship	Jim Puckett	Evening Worship	Ray Coats

Prayer List

Millie Hoy	Jean Cunningham	Leroy Shaner	Marc Mooney
Piper Stark	Anita Peterson	Naressa Allen	Larry Blosser
Debi Erwin	Kenneth Dusthimer	Jeane Goldfarb	Chris Glenn
Paul Scott	Camille Stiverson	Heather Tracy	Ron Young
Steve Knox	Shirley Hopkins	Caleb Witham	Heather Baker
Our Troops	Veronica Hartmann	Mira McCarty	Unspoken
	Wess Camp	Kasen Newman	

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)
Room 106
Ron Enlow, Teacher

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

Ladies' Class
"Fervent"
By Priscilla Shirer
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

Our special Thanksgiving offering will be going to IDES (International Disaster Emergency Service) to help with the victims of Hurricane Matthew.

A congregational meeting will be next held Sunday, December 4, 2016 following morning worship to elect officers and approve the budget for 2017.



Book Nook

Monday,
November 28th
6:30pm

The Negotiator
By Dee Henderson



A history of our stained glass windows is posted on the bulletin board by the drinking fountain. Check it out today!

Upcoming Events

Monday, November 28th
Book Nook, 6:30pm

Saturday, December 3rd
Ladies Tea, 1-3pm

Sunday, December 4th
Congregational Meeting

Wednesday, December 7th
Bible Study, 6:15pm

Sunday, December 11th
Carriage Court, 2pm

Wednesday, December 14th
Bible Study, 6:15pm

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).

"When Truth Hits Home"

Acts 24

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

November 27, 2016



Ladies Christmas Tea

Saturday, December 3rd ~ 1-3pm

"Unwrap His Presence"

Laurie Mueller, Guest Speaker

Come and enjoy fellowship and a meal catered by Katie McGushin.

All ladies should bring a dozen cookies to exchange.

Tickets are \$6. Today is the last day to purchase tickets.

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.