

THOUGHTS FROM BRAD ...

Let me first say how proud I am of Kim for receiving her Master's Degree. She's a special lady! Kim and I want to thank everyone who came to celebrate the completion of her Master's Degree. It has been a long, arduous journey while teaching full-time, but nothing worth doing is ever easy. Thanks again for all the cards, encouraging words, and for making the evening a night to remember.

In addition to our celebration, if you missed the Sunday night film "War Room," then you missed one of the best Christian films ever produced. This powerful film forced each of us to contemplate our current prayer life, and the need to commit to intercessory prayer daily. May none of us ever again, consider going throughout a day, without taking time to call on God who is faithful; faithful to change us, change others and our current situation. Be committed to going to your "War Room."

May 13th-It's that time of year again where we celebrate Mothers. This year each lady will receive a little flip book entitled "**Be still and Know**," which is a compilation of scriptures, sayings, and encouragement. **There will be a few lucky ladies who will win a \$5 gift card to Tim Horton's.** I hope you plan to join us on this very special Sunday.

Please do not forget that May 13th is one of our scheduled evenings where there is no P.M. service.

June 20th- Attention Reds fans! I am planning a trip to Cincinnati to watch the **Reds play the Detroit Tigers. The game will start at 12:35 p.m.** Ticket prices for **Senior Citizens will be \$25 per person and \$47 per person for anyone else** who would like to go. Seats are limited so if you have interest in riding the bus, **get signed up in the Coat room** now so I can get the tickets ordered asap. See me for more details! **Payment will need to be made by May 15th so that we can try and get tickets in the shade.**

Looking ahead to July 27th, I have planned a trip for the **Amish Country** which will include eating at **Der Dutchman** and watching a show entitled: "**Swine and Dandy**." As you can tell by the title, this "comedy and variety" show will tickle your funny bone. The **cost of the show is \$25.** The **cost of the gas is \$4** and the lunch can be ordered off the menu so you can spend as little or as much as you desire. The **buffet is \$14.95** if you choose to order that. Look for a sign-up sheet in the coat room.

Just as a reminder to our Vision Team, we will have our next meeting on May 14th at 6:30pm in the Fellowship Hall.

In His Service,

Brad SeEVERS

April 29, 2018	
Sunday School	64
Morning Worship	110
Evening Worship	32
Wednesday Bible Study (05/02)	11
Weekly Budget	\$ 3,928.00
Budget Received	\$ 2,631.50
Easter	\$ 100.00
Building Fund	\$ 615.00

SERVING SCHEDULE May 6, 2018	
At the Table	Dick Shumaker and Ron Enlow
Serving	Ron Enlow, Mike Bussey, Ray Coats, Brad George
PM Deacon	Ron Enlow
COMMUNION	Dan Wampler
GREETERS	Ruth Enlow
NURSERY	
Sunday School	Courtney Beiter
Worship	Marie Huffman
VISITOR CENTER	
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Jean Azbell Angie Music
SOUND BOARD	Andrew Daubemire
POWER POINT	Paul Hoagland
VIDEO	Rick Azbell
SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	Ray Coats
Evening Worship	Carmel Marsh

SERVING SCHEDULE May 13, 2018	
At the Table	Ned Tomlinson and Dave Tingler
Serving	Larry King, Bob Hawkes, Jim Hoff, Bill Kelly
PM Deacon	No Evening Worship
COMMUNION	Dan Wampler
GREETERS	Don and Judy Gardner
NURSERY	
Sunday School	Shirley Marsh
Worship	Jo George
VISITOR CENTER	Janet Brown
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Family Sunday
SOUND BOARD	Andrew Daubemire
POWER POINT	Paul Hoagland
VIDEO	Rick Azbell
SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	Dick Shumaker
Evening Worship	No Evening Worship

Prayer List

Our Church	Leroy Shaner	George Lambert	Camille Stiverson
Brad George	Naressa Allen	Kasen Newman	Kenneth Dusthimer
Ruth Enlow	Jean Goldfarb	Jodi Van Dyke	Veronica Hartmann
Jerry Wentz	Caleb Witham	Unspoken	Delmar Severing
Our Troops	Marc Mooney	Nathan Hawkes	Richard/Bertha Boyer
Dick Seifert	Heather Baker	Pete Courtney	Emmitt Masters

We want to thank everyone for the recent cards, calls, and visits for Pete. We appreciate it!

~ Pete and Geneva Courtney

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)
"The Israelites Return from Exile"
Room 106
Ron Enlow, Teacher

Junior/Senior High
3rd Floor
Patrick Wersell, Teacher

Ladies' Class
"In The Middle Of The Mess"
By Sheila Walsh
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 9th
Bible Study, 6:15pm

Friday, May 11th
Fellowship Potluck, 5:30pm

Sunday, May 13th
Carriage Court, 2pm
No Evening Service – Mother's Day

Monday, May 14th
Facility Management, 6:30pm

Tuesday, May 15th
Deacons Meeting, 6:30pm

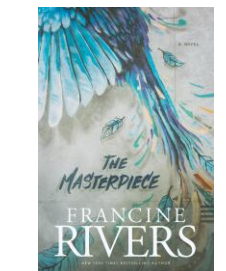
Wednesday, May 16th
Bible Study, 6:15pm
Elders Meeting, 7:30pm

FELLOWSHIP POTLUCK

Our next Fellowship Potluck will be Friday, May 11th, at 5:30pm at the church. Sign up and bring your favorite food for all to eat. It will be a great time again for good food and Christian fellowship.

CHARTWELL BIBLE STUDY

Next Bible Study at Chartwell will be May 23th from 2 to 3 pm. All are invited from 5th Avenue and Pleasantview Place. Please come join us for Christian Fellowship and a study based on the Bible.



Book Nook

Monday, May 21st
6:30 p.m.

The Masterpiece
By Francine Rivers

Each month we will spotlight one of our Senior Saint shut-ins. The Senior Saint for May is Bertha Boyer. Her address is on the bulletin board in the coat room. Please remember Bertha with cards and visits. Contact Donna Cuper with any questions.

3F LUNCHEON

Wednesday, May 30th – 11:15am
AN ALL-AMERICAN SALUTE

Entertainment will be the Olivedale Handbell Choir program. Four of our ladies are members of this group; Donna Cuper, Chris and Jan Glenn, and Sue Oehrtman. Hot dogs, Apple Pie, and the trimmings. It's FREE, but donations accepted to help defray costs. There is a sign-up sheet on the Bulletin Board.

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).

**"What Is Your Demon"
Matthew 8:28-34
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 6, 2018



*Mother's Day
Sunday, May 13th*

Reminder – No Evening Service on Mother's Day

**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.**