

## THOUGHTS FROM BRAD ...

Today we are honoring those who have served our country by recognizing them and having them participate in this worship time. Thanks again for being willing to do such an honorable service on behalf of this country and for those who desire freedom around the world. I also want to thank Phyllis Bussey for organizing this special part of worship today.

I want to thank Jean Azbell for working so hard on our 3F luncheon. She has a servant's heart and is a great encouragement to me. I hope that everyone who participated took time to let her know how much you appreciated her willingness to prepare the meal.



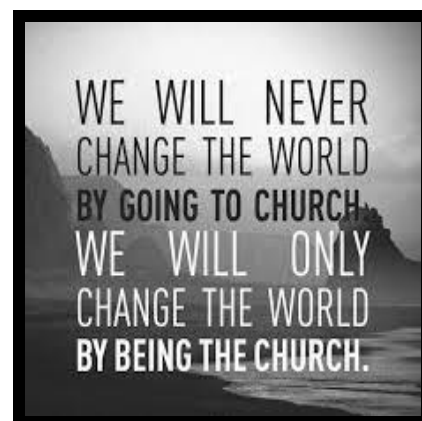
This year we have 10 from FACC who are participating in the **Summer Mission trip to Mountain Mission School in Grundy, Virginia (July 8-13<sup>th</sup>)**. I want to ask everyone to keep us in daily pray as we travel and as we serve each day. As a reminder, there will be no cost for meals, but if you want snacks or drinks when we stop for fuel or to use the restroom, then that will be out of your pocket so bring some money for that.

So as was the original plan, we will leave Sunday morning, July 8<sup>th</sup> immediately after morning worship. We will work Monday-Thursday and will head home Friday morning after breakfast, Again, thanks for your willingness to serve a great God for a great place!

As I write this article, I am attending the North American Christian Convention in Indianapolis. It is always great to take time to renew and refresh our spirit daily. It is also good to catch up with old friends from our college years or with people we have done Kingdom work in the past. I am thankful the church allows me this opportunity to continue to grow in the faith. I look forward to seeing what God has in store for our church the second half of this year.

On July 15<sup>th</sup>, the Vision Team will hold a brief informational meeting with the congregation immediately after our morning worship. The purpose is to give an update on our progress concerning a future building. We hope you will plan to join us.

## FINAL THOUGHT...



In His Service,  
Brad

June 24, 2018	
Sunday School	63
Morning Worship	99
Evening Worship	13
Wednesday 3F (06/27)	17
Weekly Budget	\$ 3,928.00
Budget Received	\$ 3,749.00
Building Fund	\$ 510.00
Benevolent Fund	\$ 100.00

SERVING SCHEDULE July 1, 2018		SERVING SCHEDULE July 8, 2018	
At the Table	Fred Griffith and Patrick Wersell	At the Table	Dick Shumaker and Ron Enlow
Serving	Tim Huffman, Dick Shumaker, Jeff Slicer, Dale Thornton	Serving	Larry King, Lowell Trimmer, Dan Wampler, Ray Ayers
PM Deacon	Tim Huffman	PM Deacon	Larry King
COMMUNION	Chris and Jan Glenn	COMMUNION	Chris and Jan Glenn
GREETERS	Don and Judy Gardner	GREETERS	Carmel and Shirley Marsh
NURSERY		NURSERY	
Sunday School	Laura Wersell	Sunday School	Courtney Beiter
Worship	Marie Huffman	Worship	Jo George
VISITOR CENTER	Janet Brown	VISITOR CENTER	Janet Brown
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Elizabeth Edwards Mary Wampler	CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Jean Azbell Angie Music
SOUND BOARD	Fred Griffith	SOUND BOARD	Fred Griffith
POWER POINT	Paul Hoagland	POWER POINT	Paul Hoagland
VIDEO	Andrew Daubenmire	VIDEO	Andrew Daubenmire
SECURITY		SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	Carmel Marsh	Sunday School/ Worship	Bill Kelly
Evening Worship	Bob Hawkes	Evening Worship	Carmel Marsh

## Prayer List

Our Church	Leroy Shaner	George Lambert	Camille Stiverson
Brad George	Naressa Allen	Kasen Newman	Kenneth Dusthimer
Sue Tingler	Jeane Goldfarb	Kathryn Norman	Veronica Hartmann
Jerry Wentz	Caleb Witham	Connie Cooney	Delmar Severing
Our Troops	Marc Mooney	Melody Wissel	Richard/Bertha Boyer
Larry Blosser	Heather Baker	Pete Courtney	Emmitt Masters
Bill Fricker	Jerry Nafzger	Jodi Van Dyke	Tammy Slicer
Ruth Will	Steve Seevers	Jeff Jackness	Debbie Turvey
Amy Gaines	Norma Holtom		

## 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- 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade)  
"Jesus, Our Example"  
Room 101  
Deborah Will, Teacher

**Upper Elementary Class**  
(4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade)  
"Peter Heals"  
Room 106  
Ron Enlow, Teacher

**Junior/Senior High**  
3<sup>rd</sup> 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

**Sunday, July 8<sup>th</sup>**  
Carriage Court, 2pm

**July 8<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup>**  
Grundy Mission Trip

**Monday, July 16<sup>th</sup>**  
Facility Management, 6:30pm

**Tuesday, July 17<sup>th</sup>**  
Deacons, 6:30pm

**Wednesday, July 18<sup>th</sup>**  
Chartwell Bible Study, 2pm  
Bible Study, 6:15pm  
Elders/Deacons, 7:30pm

**Friday, July 20<sup>th</sup>**  
Fellowship Dinner, 5:30pm

The next Bible Study at Pleasantview Place will be Wednesday, July 18<sup>th</sup>, from 2-3pm in the downstairs Common Room. Norma led the last study and did an excellent job. We had 10 people, which was a super turnout. See everyone on the 18<sup>th</sup>! Any questions - contact Ron Enlow 317-752-4385.



Book Nook  
Monday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> - 6:30pm

**Together Forever**  
by Jody Hedlund



Our next Fellowship Potluck dinner will be on Friday, July 20<sup>th</sup>, 5:30-8:30pm, here at the church. Sign up and bring your favorite food for all to eat. We will also discuss if would like to eat at the park one Friday, and also whether to have different themes for our dinners. Our dinners have been a great time for Christian fellowship and good food. Any questions, contact Ron Enlow.

## 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).

## Brad Seevers preaching

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### 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

## July 1, 2018

Blessed  
is the nation  
whose  
GOD  
is the LORD.  
- Psalm 33:12

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