

## THOUGHTS FROM BRAD ...

**Special meeting...**Last Sunday, August 19<sup>th</sup>, we had a congregational meeting. It was decided to have a **vote on September 9, 2018 for the sole purpose of putting our current building up for sale.** We need to sale this building, so we can move forward with our goal of relocating to the Sheridan Drive property. **Only God knows how many days, months or years it will take to relocate, but this is the next step toward that goal.** We ask that you prayerfully consider this matter. As we have said, we hope to provide an opportunity to give access to all people who want to worship our God and we hope that this dream will be realized by your voting yes.

### Coming up...



**August 29<sup>th</sup>- At our next 3F Seniors luncheon,** we will enjoy a **"Potato Bar."** It will be held on Wednesday, **August 29<sup>th</sup> at 11:15.** I hope you can join us! We will have several toppings to make that "tater" even more enjoyable. Before you leave, we will sing some of your favorite hymns, have some fun, and enjoy devotions together. Why not invite a friend who needs a church home?

**Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup>- No evening service.** This is one of our normally scheduled holiday evenings.

**Sept. 4<sup>th</sup>- Our next Men's breakfast** will be enjoyed at **Frisch's** restaurant. We will begin at **9:00 a.m.** I look forward to this time as we gather for fun, food, fellowship and faith. Feel free to invite a friend to join us. **Sign up in the coat room** if you plan to participate.

**Sept. 9<sup>th</sup>-**I hope you'll plan to come to Rising Park for our annual church picnic. It is always a good time of fellowship.



**Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>-The New Horizon Retreat** will be held in Zanesville at the North Terrace Church of Christ. The theme is: "Stand Firm." I have placed a **sign-up sheet and brochure in the coat room.** If you haven't already sent in your registration fee, it is too late to get the early bird price. The cost at the door will be \$30. As of this bulletin, we have one seat available left on the bus. This is always a highlight of the year so you won't want to miss it.

Our **next Wednesday Elective will be held on September 19<sup>th</sup>** as we Kick-Off our Fall session together. More details to come soon.

**In His Service,  
Brad**

August 19, 2018	
Sunday School	61
Morning Worship	95
Evening Worship	19
Weekly Budget	\$ 3,928.00
Budget Received	\$ 1,825.00
Building Fund	\$ 10.00

SERVING SCHEDULE August 26, 2018	
At the Table	Ned Tomlinson and Dave Tingler
Serving	Tim Huffman, Mike Bussey, Ray Coats, Brad George
PM Deacon	Tim Huffman
COMMUNION	Denise Baird
GREETERS	Carmel and Shirley Marsh
NURSERY	
Sunday School	Shirley Marsh
Worship	Marie Huffman
VISITOR CENTER	Janet Brown
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Elizabeth Edwards/ Mary Wampler
SOUND BOARD	John Baird
POWER POINT	Rick Azbell
VIDEO	Jonathan Mullett
SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	David Will
Evening Worship	Bob Hawkes

SERVING SCHEDULE September 2, 2018	
At the Table	Fred Griffith and Patrick Wersell
Serving	Larry King, Bob Hawkes, Jim Hoff, Bill Kelly
PM Deacon	No Evening Worship
COMMUNION	Fred Griffith
GREETERS	Dick and Marg Shumaker
NURSERY	
Sunday School	Laura Wersell
Worship	Jo George
VISITOR CENTER	Elizabeth Edwards
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Family Sunday
SOUND BOARD	Fred Griffith
POWER POINT	John Baird
VIDEO	Andrew Daubenmire
SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	Mike Bussey
Evening Worship	No Evening Worship

## Prayer List

<i>Our Church</i>	<i>Leroy Shaner</i>	<i>George Lambert</i>	<i>Camille Stiverson</i>
<i>Brad George</i>	<i>Naressa Allen</i>	<i>Kasen Newman</i>	<i>Kenneth Dusthimer</i>
<i>Judy Smith</i>	<i>Jeanne Goldfarb</i>	<i>Emmitt Masters</i>	<i>Veronica Hartmann</i>
<i>Jerry Wentz</i>	<i>Caleb Witham</i>	<i>Jodi Van Dyke</i>	<i>Delmar Severing</i>
<i>Our Troops</i>	<i>Marc Mooney</i>	<i>Marg Shumaker</i>	<i>Richard/Bertha Boyer</i>
<i>Dick Seifert</i>	<i>Heather Baker</i>	<i>Unspoken</i>	<i>Shirley Alexander</i>

### Tonight's Sermon

*"What We Know About The Holy Spirit"*

John 14, 15, 16

Dave Tingler preaching

### 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)  
"Do Good"  
Room 106  
Ron Enlow, Teacher

**Junior/Senior High**  
3<sup>rd</sup> Floor  
Patrick Wersell, Teacher

**Ladies' Class**  
*Becoming More Than A Good Bible Study Girl*  
By Lysa Terkeurst  
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



**Wednesday, August 29<sup>th</sup>**  
3F Luncheon, 11:15am

**Sunday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
Labor Day Weekend (no pm service)

**Tuesday, September 4<sup>th</sup>**  
Men's Breakfast, 9am

**Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup>**  
Carriage Court, 2pm  
Church Picnic

**Tuesday, September 11<sup>th</sup>**  
New Horizon Retreat

### BOOK NOOK

Monday, September 17<sup>th</sup>  
6:30pm

### Candle in the Darkness

By Lynn Austin

*A young southern woman can no longer accept the belief shared by her wealthy father and fiancée, that slavery is an acceptable and even God-ordained way of life. The conflict sweeping the country and creating conflict among her family threatens to separate her and isolate her from everyone she loves.*



### NEW MUSIC MINISTRY PRACTICE

All are welcome!  
Tuesdays at 7:00 pm

Worship music is for the edification of the entire body of believers and to make melody in our hearts for the Lord. Many in our congregation have expressed a desire to share their musical gifts in worship, so starting this Tuesday evening, at 7:00 pm, we meet each week in the church sanctuary for practice. This is open to all ages from Jr. High up through Senior Saints. Whether you like to sing solo or in harmony with a group, or if you play a musical instrument, please join us! Even if you can't read musical notation for singing; all are welcome to come and be a part of this group, because the JOY of the Lord will be our strength! We will practice each week and present selections at least once a month for the church service, and the nursing home ministry on the second Sunday of the month. We will choose songs from favorite hymns and old-time gospel, through contemporary worship music with a strong, timeless, biblical message. If you love the Lord and have a musical gift and want to be a part of this new ministry, please bring one or more of your personal favorites to share this coming Tuesday night.



## 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).

## "If I Were Young"

### 1 Corinthians 13:11

Dave Tingler 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

## August 26, 2018



### Wednesday, August 29th

### 11:15 a.m.

### Menu: Potato Bar

### Sign up today!

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.