

THOUGHTS FROM BRAD ...

Hello everyone! This is going to be a great day in the Lord. Thank you for joining us as we celebrate His goodness and grace.



We are excited to have "My Brother's Keeper" with us today to share in concert. This Cincinnati based group is greatly influenced by a wide range of musical genres, including Bluegrass & Folk. I am sure you will enjoy their upbeat sound with positive lyrics. **There will be a love offering collected during our meal today to offset the expenses** for our meal and concert. Please be generous.



Our **"Letters to the Church"** study began last week. As a reminder, be sure to read chapters one and two entitled, "Departure" & "Sacred" for our November 25th class. Today our class will be involved in final preparations for our meal. I know you will enjoy this book, as it reminds us of how powerful and glorious the Church once was, and will call us to once again be the Church God intended us to be." **We will meet in the Fellowship Hall each week.**

Final Thought... Why should I be thankful? Becomingchristians.com shares the following "Reasons Why I Must be thankful." They suggest...

- 1) Because God is good and loving (1 Chron. 16:34).
- 2) Because it is the will of God (1 Thess. 5:18).
- 3) Because we are called to be part of God's Kingdom and family (1 Peter 2:9).
- 4) Because it helps us be at peace (Ph. 4:6; Col. 3:15).
- 5) Because it helps us worship God (Ps. 100:4).
- 6) Because God is gracious (2 Cor. 4:15-16).

Let us enjoy this day that God has granted us and be thankful!

**In His Service,
Brad**

November 11, 2018	
Sunday School	56
Morning Worship	101
Evening Worship	43
Wednesday Bible Study (11/14)	9
Weekly Budget	\$ 3,928.00
Budget Received	\$ 1,939.00
Building Fund	\$ 115.00
Thanksgiving Dinner	\$ 40.00

SERVING SCHEDULE November 18, 2018	
At the Table	Ned Tomlinson and Dave Tingler
Serving	Tim Huffman, Brad George, Dick Shumaker, Carmel Marsh
PM Deacon	No Evening Worship
COMMUNION	Tracy Eldridge
GREETERS	Ruth Enlow
NURSERY	
Sunday School	Courtney Beiter
Worship	Marie Huffman
VISITOR CENTER	Janet Brown
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Family Sunday
SOUND BOARD	Andrew Daubenmire
POWER POINT	Rick Azbell
VIDEO	Paul Hoagland
SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	Tim Huffman
Evening Worship	No Evening Worship

SERVING SCHEDULE November 25, 2018	
At the Table	Fred Griffith and Patrick Wersell
Serving	Larry King, Jon Music, Bill Kelly, Jeff Slicer
PM Deacon	Larry King
COMMUNION	Tracy Eldridge
GREETERS	Don and Judy Gardner
NURSERY	
Sunday School	Shirley Marsh
Worship	Jo George
VISITOR CENTER	Elizabeth Edwards
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Family Sunday
SOUND BOARD	Andrew Daubenmire
POWER POINT	Rick Azbell
VIDEO	Paul Hoagland
SECURITY	
Sunday School/ Worship	Carmel Marsh
Evening Worship	Dick Shumaker

Prayer List

Sandy Mooney	Leroy Shaner	George Lambert	Camille Stiverson
Brad George	Geri Jaynes	Kasen Newman	Kenneth Dusthimer
Judy Smith	Jeanne Goldfarb	Emmitt Masters	Veronica Hartmann
Jerry Wentz	Caleb Witham	Jodi Van Dyke	Delmar Severing
Our Troops	Marc Mooney	Larry Blosser	Richard/Bertha Boyer
Dick Herman	Heather Baker	Ethan Baumgardner	Christy Wampler
Betty Sparks	Bill Fricker	Rusty Conrad	Jean George
	Bill Kelly	Howard Stark	Lowell Trimmer

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 Earth is God's Work"
Room 106
Ron Enlow, Teacher

Junior/Senior High
3rd 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

UPCOMING EVENTS

Today
No Evening Worship
Children's Christmas Program
Practice, 6pm

Monday, November 19th
Facility Management, 6:30pm

Wednesday, November 21st
No Bible Study

Wednesday, November 28th
3F Luncheon, 11:15am

BOOK NOOK

Christmas Gathering
Monday, December 10th, 6:30pm
Bring a snack to share.
The book for the December meeting is
The Veil by Diane Noble.

2019 DEVOTIONALS

Two samples are on the writing desk in the parlor for your review. Please indicate on the sign-up sheet which devotional you would prefer. Orders will be placed by the end of November. Any questions see Jean Azbell.

COMMUNION PREPARATION

Volunteers are needed for communion preparation for 2019. If you would like to participate in this important ministry, please contact Denise Baird.

GREETER AND VISITOR CENTER SCHEDULES

2019 Greeter and Visitor Center schedules will be sent out soon. If you would like to assist in one of these ministries, please make a note on your Silent Roll Call Card, or call the church office at 740-654-0626.

2019 SCHEDULES FOR THE CHRISTIAN MESSENGER

All schedules for 2019 that are published in The Messenger must be turned in to the church office by Sunday, December 9th.

2019 OFFERING ENVELOPES

If you do not currently have offering envelopes, but would like some for 2019, please contact Marg Shumaker or the church office.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

A congregational meeting will be held Sunday, December 2, 2018 following morning worship to elect officers and approve the budget for 2019.

The ladies of the church are making solid-color granny squares for shut-ins. If you would like to help, there are supplies on the library table. Put the squares back on the table when done. Any questions, see Delores Payne. Thank you!

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).



Ladies Christmas Tea

Saturday, December 1st

1-3pm

"The Greatest Gift of All"

Special Music by a flutist and cellist from Dublin, Ohio. Come and enjoy the fellowship and a meal. There is no cost for the Tea, but donations will be taken. Sign up on the Ladies' Ministry Board.

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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Welcome!
"My Brother's Keeper"

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