



FIFTH AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JUNE 24, 2018 • 10:00 AM



Otto Constantin, *fearless bull*, 2016

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THIS IS GOD'S HOUSE. ALL ARE WELCOME.

## WELCOME TO FIFTH AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Whether you are visiting for the first time, or are a longtime member, we are blessed to have you with us.

The cover of this bulletin reads, “This Is God’s House. All Are Welcome.” We take these words seriously. We strive to be a community as diverse and hospitable as God’s kingdom. We don’t all look or act alike; God *knows* we don’t all think alike. We don’t all read the Bible the same way. We bring different questions, and we carry different burdens. But every Sunday, we worship together as one.

In this grand old church, we do Sunday morning in some pretty traditional (very Presbyterian) ways. We study the teachings and the actions of Jesus. We sing many of the same hymns our grandparents sang. Yet, in our preaching and our prayers, we wrestle with the challenges of the modern world. I hope your heart will hear something personal and relevant this morning—a word of comfort, a spur to action, a call to a deeper relationship with God.

After the service, please stick around. Take a tour of the church. Have a cup of coffee with us. Introduce yourself to one of our clergy. There are tons of opportunities here to feed your soul and expand your spirit. Try one out. You never know—you just might be home!

**Scott Black Johnston**  
Senior Pastor

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### If You Are New Here

Please fill out the Welcome card you will find in your pew. (The ushers can also provide one.) Place the card in the offering plate, hand it to an usher, or drop it off at the Visitors Table (inside the Fifth Avenue entrance). You may also complete the Welcome card online at [fapc.org/welcome](http://fapc.org/welcome). The folks at the Visitors Table can provide you with information about our ministries and programs, volunteer opportunities, and the history of this congregation, which has served New York City since 1808. We also invite you on a guided tour of the church, starting from the rear of the Sanctuary shortly after the service.

### These May Help During the Service

If you would like a large-print bulletin or a hearing-enhancement device, please ask an usher. You may return the hearing-enhancement device to the rear of the Chapel or Sanctuary after the service.

### Welcoming Children

Children are always welcome! The ushers can provide a worship bag or children’s Bible to keep your child engaged. If you need to step out to attend to your child, we invite you to use our Family Room, located at the north end of the Gallery, just outside the Sanctuary (check the map on the back of the bulletin for the location). We also provide childcare for infants and toddlers from 9 am until 11:30 am, downstairs in the LaDane Williamson Christian Education Center. Learn more about our Family Ministries at [fapc.org/grow](http://fapc.org/grow).

### If You Are in Need of Prayer

Deacons (wearing white stoles) are available to pray with you after the service. Your prayers are confidential unless you request they be shared with our Congregational Care staff. You may also complete a prayer request card (available in the pews and at the entrances) and place it in the offering plate or hand to an usher. You may submit prayer requests online at [fapc.org/pray](http://fapc.org/pray).

### Help With Parking

We have a parking arrangement with the garage at 51 W. 56th St. For \$16, you may park Monday–Friday from 5 pm –12 am, or anytime until 1 am on Saturday, Sunday and holidays (12 hours maximum). Ask for discount coupons at the 55th Street entrance.

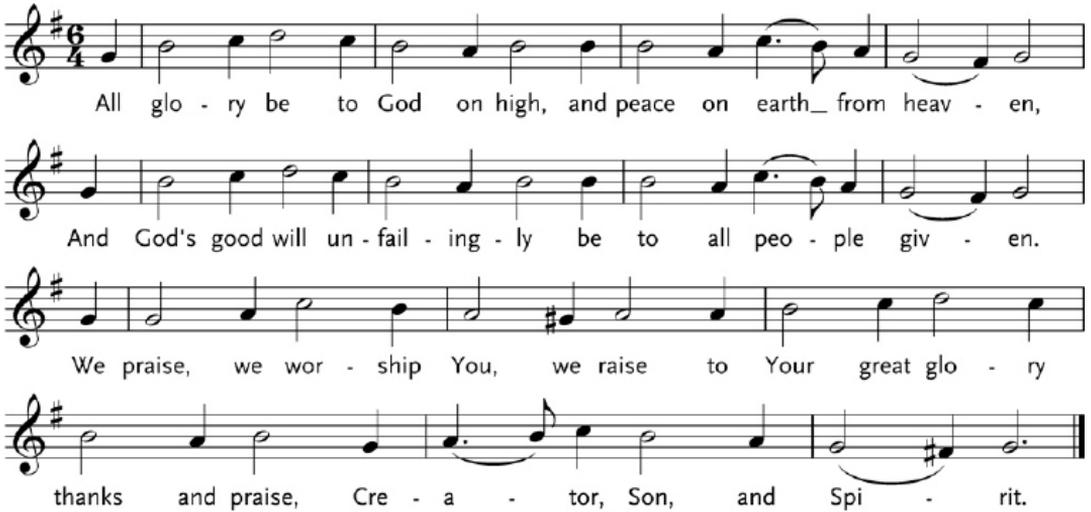


### Worship Resources Online

You will find information about future worship services (including the bulletin for the upcoming Sunday) at [fapc.org/worship](http://fapc.org/worship). Recorded sermons are available at [fapc.org/sermons](http://fapc.org/sermons) and via podcast on iTunes. This morning’s Prayers of the People can be found at [fapc.org/pray](http://fapc.org/pray).



\* RESPONSE OF PRAISE



All glo - ry be to God on high, and peace on earth\_ from heav - en,  
 And God's good will un - fail - ing - ly be to all peo - ple giv - en.  
 We praise, we wor - ship You, we raise to Your great glo - ry  
 thanks and praise, Cre - a - tor, Son, and Spi - rit.

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\* PASSING OF THE PEACE

One: The peace of Christ be with you.  
 All: **And also with you.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*The Rev. Dr. Charlene Han Powell*

SOLO

Hear My Prayer and God Is My Shepherd from *Ten Biblical Songs*  
*Antonín Dvořák (1841–1904)*

Hear my prayer, O Lord, my God!  
 Oh, hide not thy face from my petition.  
 Bow thine ear to me and hearken unto the voice of my mourning.  
 Pained sore is my heart within,  
 And trembling hath fallen upon me,  
 The fear of death overwhelms me.  
 Hear my sighing!

Oh, had I but eagle's pinions,  
 Had I wings like the silver dove!  
 Far away would I wander,  
 I would hide me in the wilderness.  
 On wings I would hasten to hide from the storm,  
 The storm and fearful tempest.

God is my shepherd,  
 I want for nothing.  
 My rest is in the pleasant meadows.  
 He leadeth me where quiet waters flow.  
 My fainting soul doth he restore  
 And guideth me in the ways of peace,  
 To glorify his name.

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And though in death's dark valley my steps must wander,  
My spirit shall not fear, for thou art by me still.  
Thy rod and staff are with me,  
And they shall comfort me.

#### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

#### SCRIPTURE LESSONS

##### **Psalm 147:1-11**

*Elder Matt Roush*

Hallelujah! How good it is to sing praises to our God! How pleasant it is to honor God with praise! The Lord rebuilds Jerusalem, and gathers the exiles of Israel. The Lord heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds. The Lord counts the numbers of stars and calls them all by their names. Great is our Lord and mighty in power; there is no limit to God's wisdom. The Lord lifts up the lowly, but casts the wicked to the ground. Sing to the Lord with thanksgiving; make music upon the harp to our God, who covers the heavens with clouds and prepared rain for the earth, making grass to grow upon the mountains. God provides food for the cattle and for the young ravens when they cry. God is not impressed by the might of a horse, and has no pleasure in the speed of a runner, but finds pleasure in those who fear the Lord, in those who await God's steadfast love.

##### **1 Samuel 17:1a, 4-11**

*Elder Chaz Jackson*

Now the Philistines gathered their armies for battle. And there came out from the camp of the Philistines a champion named Goliath, of Gath, whose height was six cubits and a span. He had a helmet of bronze on his head, and he was armed with a coat of mail; the weight of the coat was five thousand shekels of bronze. He had greaves of bronze on his legs and a javelin of bronze slung between his shoulders. The shaft of his spear was like a weaver's beam, and his spear's head weighed six hundred shekels of iron; and his shield-bearer went before him. He stood and shouted to the ranks of Israel, "Why have you come out to draw up for battle? Am I not a Philistine, and are you not servants of Saul? Choose a man for yourselves, and let him come down to me. If he is able to fight with me and kill me, then we will be your servants; but if I prevail against him and kill him, then you shall be our servants and serve us." And the Philistine said, "Today I defy the ranks of Israel! Give me a man, that we may fight together." When Saul and all Israel heard these words of the Philistine, they were dismayed and greatly afraid.

One: This is the Word of God; for the People of God.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

#### SERMON

*The Rev. Janice Smith Ammon*

#### **"Giants and Chickens and Bears, Oh My!"**

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\* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

from *A Brief Statement of Faith*, Presbyterian Church (USA)

**We trust in God the Holy Spirit,  
everywhere the giver and renewer of life.  
The Spirit justifies us by grace through faith,  
sets us free to accept ourselves and to love God and neighbor,  
and binds us together with all believers  
in the one body of Christ, the Church.**

**The same Spirit  
who inspired the prophets and apostles  
rules our faith and life in Christ through Scripture,  
engages us through the Word proclaimed,  
claims us in the waters of baptism,  
feeds us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation,  
and calls women and men to all ministries of the Church.**

**In a broken and fearful world  
the Spirit gives us courage to pray without ceasing,  
to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior,  
to unmask idolatries in Church and culture,  
to hear the voices of peoples long silenced,  
and to work with others for justice, freedom and peace.**

**In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit,  
we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks  
and to live holy and joyful lives,  
even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth,  
praying, "Come, Lord Jesus!" Amen.**

\* HYMN 769

**For Everyone Born**

(Cantor sings verse 1; then the congregation joins.)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

*("...and forgive us our debts...")*

THE OFFERING

*You may text your offering to 646.491.8331*

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OFFERTORY SOLO

I Will Sing New Songs from *Ten Biblical Songs*  
*Antonín Dvořák (1841–1904)*

I will sing new songs of gladness,  
I will sing Jehovah's praises upon a ten-stringed psaltery.  
Every day will I extol thee and will bless thy holy name,  
I will bless thy holy name.

Great is God and great his mercy,  
Who shall tell of all his greatness?  
Who shall his power declare?  
My song shall be of praise and honor, and of thy glorious acts.

Thy works are wonderful, past our knowing.  
Yea, men shall tell of thy great kindness  
And of thy wondrous might,  
And my voice shall proclaim aloud thy glory.

\* DOXOLOGY

***Hymn 606***

\* OFFERTORY PRAYER

\* HYMN 39

**Great Is Thy Faithfulness**

\* BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Fête • *Jean Langlais (1907–1991)*

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The ministry of music this morning is offered by:  
Dr. Ryan Jackson, *William S. Perper Director of Music and Fine Arts Ministries*  
Patrick Kreeger, *Associate Organist* • Elyse Kakacek, *Soprano*

## WORSHIP NOTES

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The solos this morning are three selections from Antonín Dvořák's *Ten Biblical Songs*, composed in 1894. The song cycle is based on various psalms from the Czech-language Bible of Kralice, arranged and slightly modified by the composer for musical purposes. Each of the songs is quite short, and the entire set displays Dvořák's eloquent and expressive mastery of smaller musical forms.

## CONGREGATIONAL CARE

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### ***Please pray for:***

Candy Asman, Phyllis Barr, Neta Beberino, Barbara Berner, Helen Betzaia, Britta Cabanos  
Ella Calderon, Sookjoong Choi, Alan Chorun, Miriam Coleman, Dr. Johanna Cook  
Edna Craddock, Margaret G. Cruikshank, William Cuffee, Nancy Dawkins, Lisa Donofrio  
Athanassia Doucas, Roy Duttweiler, Narmella Elissa, Sterling Gillis IV, Wanda Roush Hannan  
Nancy Hatch, Patricia Henry, Mary Holden, Bill Jones, Juliet Kaldanie, Susan Kempler  
Louis Sterling King, Richard J. Lawson, Stephanie Le Cornec, Jorge Martinez, Keiko Matsuzaki  
The McCall Family, Jean Meek Barker, Bernadette Micchelli, Barbara Millar, Phyllis Oblander  
Marjorie Quaife, Jeff Rowbottom, Pauline Sample, Taylor Shultz, Eric Smith  
Spencer Robert Smith, Frieda Sompotan, Rocco Tannehill, Steve Teelucksingh, Susan Tobiason  
Stevanus & Henny Waisapy, Johnnie Walker, Jennifer Wallis-Eifert, Warren White  
Dolores Wheeler, Suzanne Wilks, Sylvia Winrich, Deborah Wurgler, Doris Wurgler

To add a name to the church prayer list or the list of faithful departed, please contact Lance Hurst (212.247.0490 ext 3007, [lhurst@fapc.org](mailto:lhurst@fapc.org)).

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### ***Caregiving Ministries***

Fifth Avenue provides space for several community-based ministries and programs. All are open to members and friends of the church. Check the lobby monitor for specific room locations.

#### **Alcoholics Anonymous + AA Beginners**

Monday – Thursday, 12:30 pm • [ny-aa.org](http://ny-aa.org)

#### **Al-Anon**

Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays, 12:30 pm • [nycalanon.org](http://nycalanon.org)

#### **The Compassionate Friends: A support group for grieving families**

Second & fourth Tuesdays, 7 pm • [compassionatefriends.org](http://compassionatefriends.org)

#### **Fifth Avenue Ecumenical Outreach: Social services for persons experiencing homelessness**

Monday – Thursday, 2–5 pm • Contact: John Sheehan, LMSW ([jsheehan@fapc.org](mailto:jsheehan@fapc.org))

#### **Health Advocates for Older People**

Strength & weight exercise class • Wednesdays, 11 am • [hafop.org](http://hafop.org)

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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### Today

- 9:30 am**      **Coffee Cart.** Bonnell Hall. Continues until 12 pm.  
**Little Lambs.** LaDane Williamson Christian Education Center.
- 10 am**      **Worship.** Sanctuary.
- 11:15 pm**      **Meet & Greet.** The Gallery. All are invited (visitors especially!) to join the pastors, staff and fellow members for conversation and coffee after worship.  
**Tour the Church.** Meet at the rear of the Sanctuary following worship.  
**Youth Talk-Back.** The Gallery.
- 12 pm**      **Margaret Shafer Community Picnic.** Central Park. To volunteer, submit the online form at [fapc.org/volunteer](http://fapc.org/volunteer), or contact Meghan Shea ([homelessevents@fapc.org](mailto:homelessevents@fapc.org)).
- 4:45 pm**      **Evening Worship at the Bowery Mission.** 227 Bowery. Volunteers lead worship and serve dinner to residents of this historic mission. The Rev. Kate Dunn, preaching. Directions available at the reception desk and at [fapc.org/bowery](http://fapc.org/bowery).
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***Sunday School and Children's Church are hiatus until September.  
Little Lambs continues through the summer.***

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### This Week

- Tue June 26**      **Women's Association Bridge.** 1:30 pm – Bonnell Hall.  
**Women's Association Speaking English.** 1:30 pm – Corning Logan Room.  
*These Women's Association programs conclude this week and resume in September.*
- Sat June 30**      **Meals on Heels.** 9:30 am – Bonnell Hall. Weekly meal preparation and delivery to homebound seniors. Contact: Bob Brennan ([moh@fapc.org](mailto:moh@fapc.org)).

### Coming Up

- Sun July 1**      **Worship.** 10 am – Sanctuary. The Rev. Kate Dunn, preaching.
- Sun July 8**      **Worship.** 10 am – Sanctuary. The Rev. Dr. Patricia Kitchen, preaching.  
**Self Discovery: Paintings from The Bridge.** 11 am – The Gallery. Sponsored by the Arts & Our Faith Committee.
- Sun July 15**      **Worship.** 10 am – Sanctuary. Christopher Romine, M.Div., preaching.  
**Reception to Welcome the Bridge Artists.** 11 am – The Gallery.
- Tue July 17**      **Employment Advisory. Résumé Critique.** 6:30 pm – Christian Education Center.
- Wed July 18**      **Pizza with Pastors.** 12 pm – Romeyn Room. RSVP to Morgan King ([mking@fapc.org](mailto:mking@fapc.org)).
- Sun July 22**      **Worship.** 10 am – Kirkland Chapel. The Rev. Werner Ramirez, preaching.

***Next Sunday • Sixth Sunday after Pentecost***

*"Touchstone" • Mark 5:24b-34*

*The Rev. Kate Dunn, preaching.*

### **Welcome to the World!**

Christie Juliette Jimenez, daughter of Jackie Cieza and David Jimenez, born June 16. David, the face you know from the 55th Street reception desk, has been a member of the staff since 2012.

### **Happy Pride, and Welcome Back, Jan!**

This morning Fifth Avenue welcomes our former associate pastor, the Rev. Janice Smith Ammon, as our guest preacher. Jan, who served here from 1999 to 2006, is the Bryant M. Kirkland Minister of the Chapel at Princeton Theological Seminary. Members of our LGBTQ community group, The Word Is Out, also are taking part in this morning's service as we celebrate Pride Sunday.

### **Following Worship: Our Youth Need Your Help!**

The Fifth Avenue Youth Group is in the running for a \$15,000 grant in innovative youth ministry from Princeton Theological Seminary. A team of youth and parents is working with Associate Pastor Werner Ramirez on the next phase of our application, and we need your help! Please stop by the Gallery following worship this morning, grab a cup of coffee, and talk with us. We are looking to design an intergenerational project to help build stronger community between our youth and the rest of the congregation. Your input will be vital to our chances of receiving the grant!

### **Tonight: Monthly Worship at The Bowery Mission**

This evening Fifth Avenue volunteers lead worship and serve dinner to residents of the historic Bowery Mission on the Lower East Side. This monthly ministry is one of the longest sustained Outreach programs at the church. New participants are always welcome, particularly if you sing or play an instrument! Volunteers are asked to arrive by 4:45 pm. Tonight's preacher is Associate Pastor Kate Dunn. Directions to the mission are available at the reception desk and at [fapc.org/bowery](http://fapc.org/bowery). Contact: Jeanne Lehman French ([bowerymission@fapc.org](mailto:bowerymission@fapc.org)).

### **Morgan King Named Director of Engagement**

Effective July 1, Morgan King is Fifth Avenue's Director of Engagement, a new, senior-level position intended to foster deeper connections between the church and our new and prospective members. Morgan has served as a seminary intern since 2016. He began working with Executive Pastor Charlene Han Powell in our membership program last fall. Read more about Morgan and his new role on [fapc.org](http://fapc.org), and join us in congratulating him on the start of this new ministry!

### **Our Ongoing Telephone Outage**

We apologize if you have been phoning the church and gotten nothing but busy signals. There have been repeated outages throughout our neighborhood for several weeks. Verizon is working to resolve the problem, but we don't know how long it will take. Please contact us by email, or by cell phone (if you know the number of the person you are trying to reach).

### **Announcing the Gotto Lecture Series and Congregational Book-Read**

We are delighted to announce that Jonathan Haidt, a social psychologist at New York University and best-selling author, will inaugurate the Anita and Antonio Gotto Lecture Series on Thursday, Oct. 25. The lecture series is made possible by a generous contribution from the Gottos to the *Generation to Generation* Capital Campaign. Haidt is the author of *The Righteous Mind: Why Good People Are Divided by Politics and Religion* (2012). His forthcoming book, *The Coddling of the American Mind: How Good Intentions and Bad Ideas Are Setting Up a Generation for Failure* (co-authored by Greg Lukianoff), is the selection for our congregational book-read. The book, now available for pre-order, is due from Penguin Publishing Group on Sept. 4.

## GETTING CONNECTED

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### Adult Education

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Each spring and fall, we offer courses in theology and Scripture, spirituality, social issues and other disciplines. The curriculum includes visiting authors, interfaith dialogue and other events. The Employment Advisory program offers monthly seminars on career-related issues. All classes are free and open to all, with no registration required. Information on upcoming classes is available at [fapc.org/learning](http://fapc.org/learning).

### Community Groups

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Community groups provide opportunities for intimate fellowship within this large congregation. Many of our groups gather neighbors from a particular part of the city; others focus on spiritual questions particular to women, 20s/30s, 30s/40s, older adults, couples, new members, parents and the LGBTQ community. Many groups meet on Sunday mornings, and others during the week. Learn more (and find the group that's right for you) at [fapc.org/community-groups](http://fapc.org/community-groups). Contact: [communitygroups@fapc.org](mailto:communitygroups@fapc.org).

### Congregational Care

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If you (or others you know in our community) are going through a difficult time, contact us. Our Deacons, members of A Circle of Caregiving and Congregational Care staff are available for counseling, home and hospital visits, and prayer. You may also submit prayer requests at [fapc.org/pray](http://fapc.org/pray). Contact: [congregationalcare@fapc.org](mailto:congregationalcare@fapc.org).

### Congregational Life

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Hospitality and service are core values of the Christian tradition. If you want to be among the welcoming faces of the church, we welcome your participation! We offer numerous opportunities to serve the congregation, including the Archives, Coffee Hour, Sunday School, Ushers and Greeters, Visitors Table and more. To learn more about ways you can get involved, contact: [congregationallife@fapc.org](mailto:congregationallife@fapc.org).

### Family Ministries

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Family Ministries brings together people of diverse backgrounds and families of all definitions to nurture healthy children and strong, faithful families. We offer Sunday School, Youth Group, Children's Choir, Little Lambs (programming for infants to toddlers), community groups for parents, FAPC-U (our college ministry), Vacation Bible School and special events all year long. Learn more (and register your child) at [fapc.org/grow](http://fapc.org/grow). Contact: [familyministries@fapc.org](mailto:familyministries@fapc.org).

### Membership

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Our new members classes provide an introduction to Christianity, the Presbyterian tradition and Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church. We welcome new members into the congregation during worship on the following Sunday. We also recognize long-term members with an annual reception, while the Legacy Circle honors those who have remembered the church in their wills and planned giving. Find out more about membership at [fapc.org/members](http://fapc.org/members). Contact: [membership@fapc.org](mailto:membership@fapc.org).

## Music

Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church is home to a versatile program of arts in worship that endeavors to uplift, inspire, challenge and comfort all who encounter it, and to provide opportunities to share our wealth of artistic gifts. In addition to the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church Choir and the Chamber Choir, we offer the FAPC Community Choir, an entry-level ensemble for those who would like to learn more about singing and music in general. The Community Choir meets on Thursday evenings for rehearsal and fellowship. Find out how you can get involved at [fapc.org/music](http://fapc.org/music). Contact: [music@fapc.org](mailto:music@fapc.org).

## Outreach & Mission Partners

Our Outreach programs rely on volunteers to serve the homeless and the homebound, the elderly and the underserved. The David B. Skinner Shelter operates 365 nights a year and is entirely volunteer-run. Meals on Heels meets every Saturday to prepare and deliver home-cooked meals to homebound neighbors. Other volunteer programs happen monthly or during special seasons of the year. FAPC Serves—our citywide, all-congregation day of service—takes place on a Saturday in the spring. Information on our volunteer programs and upcoming opportunities to serve are available online. Visit [fapc.org/volunteer](http://fapc.org/volunteer) to sign up and serve.

We offer many volunteer opportunities through our mission partners:

The Bowery Mission	Jan Hus Presbyterian Church	Operation Exodus
The Bridge	& Neighborhood House	Parity
Church of Gethsemane	Ministry of Hope – Lesotho	Presbyterian Senior Services
Hands Along the Nile	Mission co-workers Cobbie &	Search and Care
Development Services	Dessa Palm – Philippines	West Side Federation for Senior
Holmes Presbyterian Camp	Mission co-workers Dan &	& Supportive Housing
& Conference Center	Elizabeth Turk – Madagascar	Womankind

Learn more about our mission partners at [fapc.org/mission-partners](http://fapc.org/mission-partners). Contact: [outreach@fapc.org](mailto:outreach@fapc.org).

## Ushers & Greeters

Ushers and greeters are needed every Sunday and for special services (such as weddings and memorial services). Volunteers typically serve one Sunday every five weeks. Training is provided. Contact: [ushers@fapc.org](mailto:ushers@fapc.org).

## Women's Association

The Women's Association invites the women (and men!) of the congregation to our program of education, service, prayer and benevolence. Our programs are listed every Sunday in the bulletin's Calendar of Events. Contact: [wassoc@fapc.org](mailto:wassoc@fapc.org).

## Young Adults

NEXT Ministries is a diverse group of curious, adventurous people who are centered in our faith. We offer a number of programs to make you feel at home—our Sunday afternoon discussion group, service projects, social events, retreats and more. Join us! We're online at [fapc.org/NEXT](http://fapc.org/NEXT) and on Instagram @nextatfapc. Contact: [nextministries@fapc.org](mailto:nextministries@fapc.org).

## OFFICERS BY CLASS

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### The Session

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The Rev. Dr. Scott Black Johnston, *Moderator* • Matt Roush, *Clerk of Session*

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Chaz Jackson	David DePugh	Jane Hong
Reg McQuay	Greg Dow	Marc Lovci
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## CLERGY & STAFF



**The Rev. Dr. Scott Black Johnston** *Senior Pastor*

**The Rev. Dr. Charlene Han Powell** *Executive Pastor*

**The Rev. Kate Dunn** *Associate Pastor for Congregational Care & Outreach*

**The Rev. Werner Ramirez** *Associate Pastor for Youth, Young Adults & Community Groups*

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The Rev. Helen Jackson, *Parish Visitor*

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The Rev. Kellie Picallo, *Parish Associate*

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Séamus Campbell, *Director of Outreach Ministries*



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## CONTACT US



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or adoption**

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**Fund the altar flowers**

Lance Hurst  
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**Join the church**

Morgan King  
[mking@fapc.org](mailto:mking@fapc.org)



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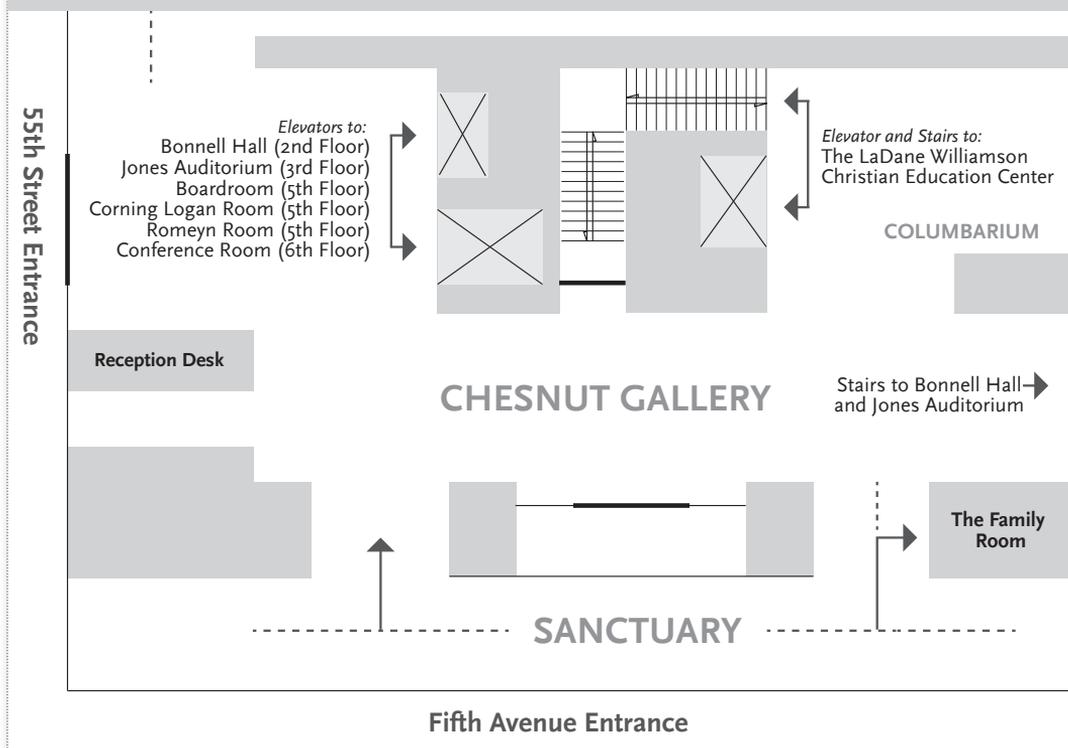
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## Registration Is Open for Vacation Bible School

“Shipwrecked: Rescued by Jesus” is the theme of Vacation Bible School 2018, coming up Aug. 13–17 in the LaDane Williamson Christian Education Center. All children from age 3 (and potty-trained) to entering fifth-graders are invited to a weeklong adventure filled with sciency-fun gizmos, team-building games, cool Bible songs and tasty treats. VBS meets from 9:30 am until 12 pm each day. Church membership is not required, so invite neighbors and friends to come along! Online registration is at [fapc.org/vbs](http://fapc.org/vbs), or contact Jaime Staehle, director of Christian education ([jstaehle@fapc.org](mailto:jstaehle@fapc.org)).



## Visit Us During the Week

The Sanctuary, Kirkland Chapel and Columbarium are open seven days a week for prayer and reflection.

## Summer Building Hours

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 8 am to 5 pm • Tuesday: 8 am to 9 pm  
Saturday & Sunday: 8 am to 1 pm



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