



FIFTH AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SEPTEMBER 16, 2018 • 11:00 AM



Orthodox Greek Icon of Melchizedek the Prophet

THIS IS GOD'S HOUSE. ALL ARE WELCOME.

WELCOME TO FIFTH AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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

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. 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. (You may return these materials at the end of the service.) 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 12:30 pm, downstairs in the LaDane Williamson Christian Education Center. Learn more about our Family Ministries at 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.

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. Recorded sermons are available at fapc.org/sermons and via podcast on iTunes. This morning’s Prayers of the People can be found at fapc.org/pray.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

As the Prelude begins, we invite you into a period of quiet reflection as we prepare for worship.

Please **silence all electronic devices** and **do not take flash photos** during the service.

PRELUDE

Berceuse á la mémoire de Louis Vierne

Pierre Cochereau (1924–1984)

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Deacon Steve Lofts

One: Way beyond all journeying, truth behind all mystery,
 life within all living:

All: We praise you.

One: Salve for every soreness,
mender of every brokenness,
midwife of a better future:

All: We praise you.

One: Ground of all being, judge of all nations,
conscience of the universe:

All: We praise you.

One: Maker, redeemer, confessor, companion,
befriender, inspirer, God beyond all names:

All: We praise you.

One: Let us worship God, tender and just.

* HYMN 755

Alleluia! Laud and Blessing

* CALL TO CONFESSION

The Rev. Kate Dunn

* PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word and deed, by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.

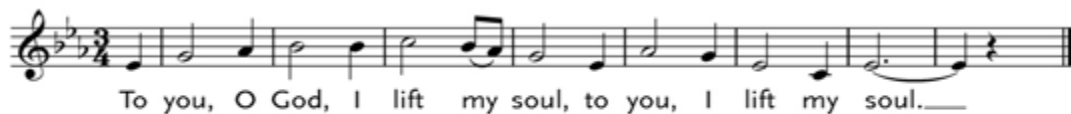
**We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.**

**In your mercy, forgive what we have been,
help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be,
so that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your holy name.**

Silent Reflection and Confession

* SUNG RESPONSE

(Cantor sings once; then the congregation sings once.)



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* ASSURANCE OF PARDON

* 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.

Children (pre-K through second grade) are invited to the front of the Sanctuary to depart for Children's Church. If this is your child's first time in Children's Church, please fill out the purple label in the pew rack and affix to your child's back.

LITANY OF PARTING

Congregation: May God be with you there.

Children: May God be with you here.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Rev. Dr. Charlene Han Powell

ANTHEM

Os Justi • Anton Bruckner (1824–1896)

Text: Psalm 37:30-31

*Os justi meditabitur sapientiam,
et lingua ejus loquetur judicium.*

Lex Dei ejus in corde ipsius:

et non supplantabuntur gressus ejus.

The mouth of the righteous utters wisdom,
and his tongue speaks what is just.

The law of his God is in his heart;

and his steps will not be impeded.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Genesis 14:8-20

Then the king of Sodom, the king of Gomorrah, the king of Admah, the king of Zeboiim, and the king of Bela (that is, Zoar) went out, and they joined battle in the Valley of Siddim with King Chedorlaomer of Elam, King Tidal of Goiim, King Amraphel of Shinar, and King Arioch of Ellasar, four kings against five. Now the Valley of Siddim was full of bitumen pits; and as the kings of Sodom and Gomorrah fled, some fell into them, and the rest fled to the hill country. So the enemy took all the goods of Sodom and Gomorrah, and all their provisions, and went their way; they also took Lot, the son of Abram's brother, who lived in Sodom, and his goods, and departed.

Then one who had escaped came and told Abram the Hebrew, who was living by the oaks of Mamre the Amorite, brother of Eshcol and of Aner; these were allies of Abram. When Abram heard that his nephew had been taken captive, he led forth his trained men, born in his house, three hundred eighteen of them, and went in pursuit as far as Dan. He divided his forces against them by night, he and his servants, and routed them and pursued them to Hobah, north of Damascus. Then he brought back all the goods, and also brought back his nephew Lot with his goods, and the women and the people.

After his return from the defeat of Chedorlaomer and the kings who were with him, the king of Sodom went out to meet him at the Valley of Shaveh (that is, the King's Valley). And King Melchizedek of Salem brought out bread and wine; he was priest of God Most High. He blessed him and said, "Blessed be Abram by God Most High, maker of heaven and earth; and blessed be God Most High, who has delivered your enemies into your hand!" And Abram gave him one tenth of everything.

One: This is the Word of God; for the People of God.
All: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

The Rev. Dr. Scott Black Johnston

"Melchizedek Blesses"

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

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. Amen.**

* HYMN 694

Great God of Every Blessing

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

THE OFFERING

You may text your offering to 646.491.8331

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

*Jubilate Deo • Herbert Howells (1892–1983)
Text: Psalm 100*

O be joyful in the Lord, all ye lands:
Serve the Lord with gladness,
And come before his presence with a song.
Be ye sure that the Lord he is God:
It is he that hath made us,
And not we ourselves;
We are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.
O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving,
And into his courts with praise.
Be thankful unto him, and speak good of his name.

For the Lord is gracious, his mercy is everlasting:
And his truth endureth from generation to generation.
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
And to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be:
World without end. Amen.

* DOXOLOGY

Hymn 606

* OFFERTORY PRAYER

* HYMN 317

In Christ There Is No East or West

* BENEDICTION

Please remain in your pew until the conclusion of the Choral Response.

* CHORAL RESPONSE

May the Blessing of God Be upon You • *William H.M. Wright*
Text by R. Gordon Nodwell

May the blessing of God be upon you.
May God's love light all your way.
May the grace of Christ enfold you and peace around you stay.
May the Spirit of God dwell within you.
May you live in joy each day.

POSTLUDE

Fête • Jean Langlais (1907–1991)

The ministry of music this morning is offered by:
The Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church Choir
Dr. Ryan Jackson, *William S. Perper* Director of Music and Fine Arts Ministries
Patrick Kreeger, *Associate Organist*

WORSHIP NOTES

The composer of this morning's Anthem, Anton Bruckner, was born in 1824 in the northern Austrian town of Ansfelden. Bruckner loved and assiduously studied the music of Renaissance Italian polyphonic masters such as Palestrina, as well as German Baroque composers, especially J.S. Bach. These diverse elements are brought together, along with the boldly Romantic aesthetic inherited from Wagner, in Bruckner's sacred motets. *Os justi* was composed in 1879, the same year that he began work on his sixth symphony. This extraordinary motet, which sets Psalm 37:30-31, is set in the Lydian mode, and Bruckner achieves striking harmonic effects without using a single sharp or flat note.

Herbert Howells was one of the most influential composers of English choral music in the 20th century. Born in Gloucestershire in 1892, Howells began his musical studies with the great Herbert Brewer at Gloucester Cathedral. In 1912 he won an open scholarship at the Royal College of Music, where he studied with Charles Villiers Stanford and Charles Wood, joining the faculty himself in 1920. He succeeded Gustav Holst in 1936 as director of music at St. Paul's Girls School (a post he held until 1962), and was appointed professor of music at London University in 1950.

The setting of *Jubilare Deo* sung this morning was composed as the second in a set of two morning canticles (along with a famous setting of the *Te Deum*) that Howells wrote for the choir of King's College, Cambridge (known in Latin as *Collegium Regale*). This collaboration turned out to be remarkably fruitful: in addition to the morning canticles, Howells composed a set of evening canticles (*Magnificat* and *Nunc dimittis*) for the King's College choir, as well as a setting of the complete Anglican communion liturgy. Howells' evocative and utterly distinctive compositional voice is at the height of its maturity in these pieces, and their sound arguably redefined the aesthetics of church music going forward.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Flowers are given to the glory of God in memory of those lost on 9/11 by Brenda Berkman.

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, 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, 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, James & Barbara Wallace, Jennifer Wallis-Eifert
Xavier Pinga Wanto, Warren White, Dolores Wheeler, Suzanne Wilks, Sylvia Winrich
Deborah Wurgler, Doris Wurgler

Faithful Departed:

Sept. 6, 2018: Barbara Millar—beloved longtime member of the church and beloved aunt of
Dr. William Sloane Millar and Suzanne Mount.

If you would like to be named on the church prayer list, or on the list of faithful departed, please
contact Lance Hurst (212.247.0490 ext 3007, lhurst@fapc.org).

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

Al-Anon

Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays, 12:30 pm • nycalanon.org

The Compassionate Friends: A support group for grieving families

Second & fourth Tuesdays, 7 pm • compassionatefriends.org

Fifth Avenue Ecumenical Outreach: Social services for persons experiencing homelessness

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

Health Advocates for Older People

Strength & weight exercise class • Wednesdays, 11 am • hafop.org

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Today

- 9 am** **Coffee Cart.** Bonnell Hall. Continues until 1 pm.
- 9:30 am** **Worship.** Kirkland Chapel.
- Little Lambs, Sunday School and Youth Group.** All in the LaDane Williamson Christian Education Center.
- Membership Class: Christianity 101.** Corning Logan Room.
- 10:15 am** **Children's Choir.** LaDane Williamson Christian Education Center.
- 11 am** **Worship.** Sanctuary.
- 11:15 am** **Children's Church.** Kirkland Chapel & Christian Education Center.
- 12:15 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.
- 12:30 pm** **Family Ministries Picnic in Central Park.** Sheep Meadow, Central Park.
- 1 pm** **Organ Recital by Ryan Jackson.** Sanctuary. This event is free of charge.
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This Week

- Mon Sept 17** **Women's Association Needlework Group.** 11 am – Romeyn Room.
- Tue Sept 18** **Women's Association Luncheon.** 12 pm – Bonnell Hall. Program: Albert Stanziano, pianist. Followed by **Bridge** at 1:30 pm.
- Women's Association Speaking English.** 1:30 pm – Corning Logan Room.
- Employment Advisory.** 6:30 pm – LaDane Williamson Christian Education Center. Program: One-on-One Interview Practice.
- Wed Sept 19** **FAPC Community Choir Rehearsal.** 6 pm – Jones Auditorium. All are welcome.
- Sat Sept 22** **Meals on Heels.** 9:30 am – Bonnell Hall. Weekly meal preparation and delivery to homebound seniors. Contact: John Wyatt (moh@fapc.org).

Coming Up

- Sun Sept 23** **Membership Class: Presbyterianism 101.** 9:30 am – Corning Logan Room. Contact: Morgan King (mking@fapc.org, 212.247.0490 ext 3005).
- Adult Education: I Am Not But We Are: Exploring Family Systems Theory.** 12:30 pm – Corning Logan Room. Instructor: Dr. Angella Son, Drew University.
- Embrace.** 1 pm – Boardroom. Fall kickoff for our 20s + 30s discussion group.
- Elvira: The Immigration Play.** 2 pm – Jones Auditorium. Sponsored by the Task Force on the Faithful Engagement of Immigration, Sanctuary and Refugee Issues.

Next Sunday • Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

"Hagar Flees" • Genesis 16:1-16

The Rev. Dr. Scott Black Johnston, preaching.

Today: Organ Recital + Concert Tickets

The 2017–18 concert season gets underway today with an organ recital by our music director, Ryan Jackson, at 1 pm in the Sanctuary. This performance is free of charge. Later this month, the FAPC Chamber Choir celebrates the centenary of Leonard Bernstein's birth with *American Classics*, a concert of sacred music by Bernstein and fellow American composers Samuel Barber and Aaron Copland. The concert is set for 7 pm Friday, Sept. 28, in Kirkland Chapel. Tickets (starting at \$15) are available at fapc.org/tickets and are on sale in the Gallery today and next Sunday.

Today: Family Picnic in Central Park

Family Ministries celebrates the coming of fall with a picnic in the park following the 11 am service. Meet us at the southeast corner of the Sheep Meadow (West 66th to West 69th Streets). Bring a picnic blanket and lunch! Contact: Jaime Staehle (familyministries@fapc.org).

Next Sunday: Elvira, The Immigration Play

Next Sunday (Sept. 23) the Task Force on the Faithful Engagement of Immigration, Sanctuary and Refugee Issues invites you a special performance of *Elvira: The Immigration Play*, written by the actress and advocate Jessica Carmona, who also is a member of the task force. The play is inspired by the story of Elvira Arellano, an undocumented Mexican woman who took sanctuary in a Chicago church in 2006 to avoid deportation and separation from her American-born son. The performance begins at 2 pm in Jones Auditorium, with a discussion to follow. (There is a \$10 suggested donation to defray production costs.)

City Club + CouplesPlus! Events

City Club, a fellowship group for members and friends ages 40+, invites you to brunch at the Loeb Boathouse in Central Park on Saturday, Sept. 29. Cost is \$71 for the three-course brunch, and advance payment is required by Friday, Sept. 21. Contact: Beverly Johnson (belmyra@gmail.com, 718.771.8265). *CouplesPlus!* invites singles and couples for *Abbondanza!!*, a four-course, family-style Italian feast at Tony's Di Napoli on the Upper East Side at 6 pm Saturday, Oct. 6. Cost is \$62 per person. RSVP by Friday, Sept. 28, to couplesplus@fapc.org.

Oct. 19: Mental Health First Aid

Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church will host a full day of Mental Health First Aid Training, starting at 9 am on Friday, Oct. 19. Sponsored by the New York City Department of Health, this groundbreaking public education program teaches you to identify, understand and respond to signs of mental health and substance abuse challenges and crises. The course is free and open to all who are interested in learning how to interact with a person in crisis until professional help arrives. To register, contact Lance Hurst (lhurst@fapc.org, 212.247.0490 ext 3007).

Congratulations to our Youth Ministry!

Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church has been awarded a \$15,000 grant from The Log College Project, an initiative at Princeton Theological Seminary to help Christian congregations design, test and implement innovative models of youth ministry. Fifth Avenue is one of 12 congregations selected from a nationwide applicant pool of more than 200. Our application was developed by Associate Pastor Werner Ramirez, with assistance from parents and youth, and input from the congregation. Over the next three years, Werner will collaborate with a team of youth and parents to create a new, intergenerational youth ministry at Fifth Avenue. Watch for further announcements as this exciting program gets underway!

GETTING CONNECTED

Adult Education

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.

Community Life

Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church offers an array of opportunities for community fellowship. We gather for congregation-wide events (such as Homecoming and the traditional Thanksgiving luncheon) several times a year. Community groups offer an opportunity for more intimate engagement 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. Our social clubs—City Club, *CouplesPlus!* and the Fifth Avenue Fellowship Club—gather for dinners and cocktail parties, museum and theater outings, and other social events throughout the year. Learn more about all of these opportunities at fapc.org/community. Contact: communitylife@fapc.org.

Congregational Care

If you (or others you know in our congregation) are going through a difficult time, we are here for you. We have a team of dedicated staff and volunteers who are available for counseling, home and hospital visits, medical escorts and prayer. You may also submit prayer requests at fapc.org/pray. Contact: congregationalcare@fapc.org.

Family Ministries

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. Contact: familyministries@fapc.org.

Membership

Our new members classes provide an introduction to Christianity and the Presbyterian tradition. The Believing and Belonging class provides an orientation to Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church. We welcome new members into the congregation on the Sunday following the Believing and Belonging class. Learn more about membership, including the schedule of upcoming classes, at fapc.org/members. Contact: membership@fapc.org.

Mission Partners

We support a diverse group of mission partners whose missions and ministries align closely with our own. We invite you to get to know them:

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

We offer many volunteer opportunities through our mission partners as well. Read more at fapc.org/mission-partners. Contact: outreach@fapc.org.

Music + Arts

Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church is home to a versatile program of arts in our worship and community life that endeavors to inspire, challenge and comfort all who encounter it, and to provide opportunities to share our artistic gifts. In addition to the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church Choir and Chamber Choir, we offer the FAPC Community Choir, an entry-level ensemble that meets on Thursday evenings for rehearsal and fellowship. Contact: music@fapc.org. Our Theatre Fellowship offers a mainstage production every spring, and staged readings, a cabaret and other events during the year. Contact: theatre@fapc.org. The Arts & Our Faith Committee sponsors exhibitions of art, history and photography in the Chesnut Gallery, often featuring work by members of the congregation.

20s+30s

20s+30s 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/20s30s and on Instagram [@FAPC20s30s](https://www.instagram.com/FAPC20s30s). Contact: youngadults@fapc.org.

Volunteering

Volunteering is one of the most important ways we show that God's house is truly a place where all are welcome. Each week, members of this community serve as ushers and greeters, host in the David B. Skinner Shelter, prepare and deliver meals to the homebound, provide comfort and support to the elderly, lead tours for members and visitors, and work with the underserved of New York City. To learn more about our diverse volunteer opportunities, and how you can join in, visit fapc.org/volunteer or email volunteer@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. Membership is \$15 annually. Our programs are currently on hiatus until September. Contact: wassoc@fapc.org.

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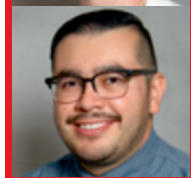
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Fund the altar flowers

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Join the church

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Make a donation

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Plan your wedding

Jackie Smith
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Prepare for baptism

Jackie Smith
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Remember FAPC in your planned giving

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Schedule an event

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Add a name to the prayer list • Lance Hurst, lhurst@fapc.org

Arrange a private tour • Judy Moseley, tours@fapc.org

Hire our caterer • Rodrigo Rosas, rodrigo@roxoevents.com

Notify us of a death or illness • Lance Hurst, congregationalcare@fapc.org

Request a bulletin announcement • Tim Palmer Curl, tpalmer@fapc.org

Request a pulpit announcement • Morgan King, mking@fapc.org

Update contact information in our database • Diego Cardona, dcardona@fapc.org

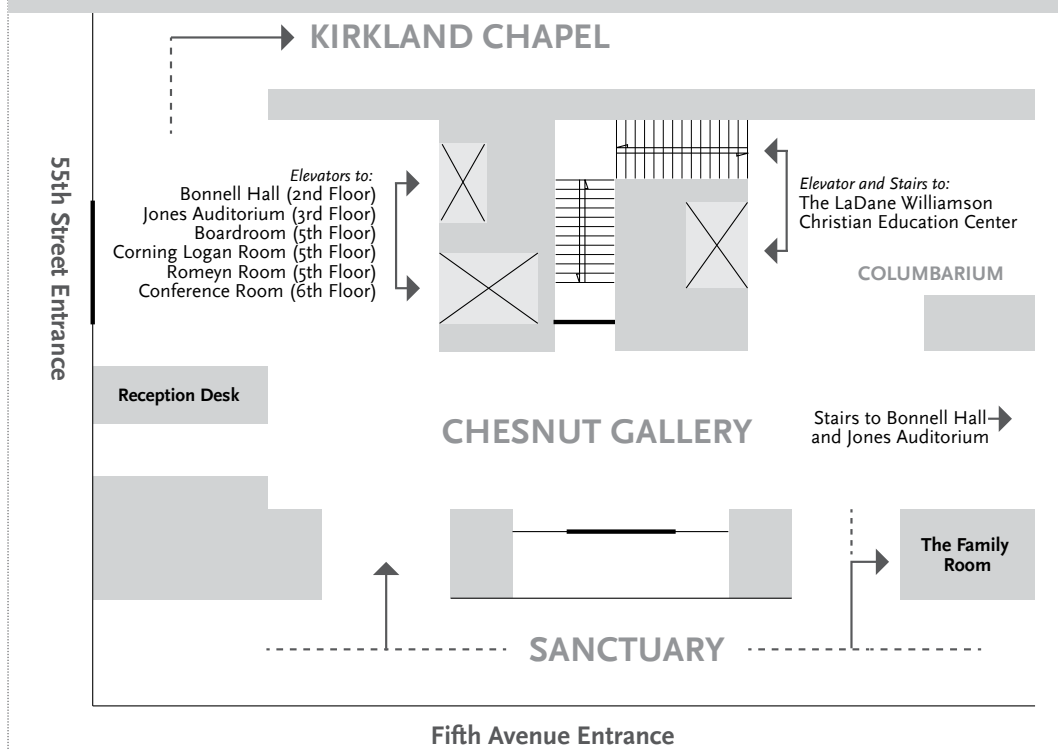
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Save the Date: The Gotto Lecture Series

This fall Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church welcomes Jonathan Haidt, the inaugural speaker in the Anita and Antonio Gotto Lecture Series. Dr. Haidt is a moral psychologist, best-selling author and the Thomas Cooley Professor of Ethical Leadership at New York University. His newest book, *The Coddling of the American Mind*, with Greg Lukianoff, is our selection for the congregational book-read this year. Dr. Haidt's lecture is set for 7 pm Thursday, Oct. 25, and is free of charge. Look for additional details (including registration) on fapc.org.



Visit Us During the Week

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

Building Hours

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 8 am to 6 pm • Tuesday: 8 am to 9 pm
Saturday: 8 am to 1 pm • Sunday: 8 am to 2:30 pm



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