



FIFTH AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SEPTEMBER 30, 2018 • 11:00 AM



Cody Miller, *Sarah*, 2008

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

Adagio in E major • Frank Bridge (1879–1941)

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Deacon Evelyn Acosta

One: We gather together as dreamers and doubters.

All: For God is in this place.

One: We bring with us our joys and our sorrows.

All: For God is in this place.

One: We offer up our prayers and petitions.

All: For God is in this place.

One: And we know that we are not alone.

All: For God is in this place.

One: Come! Let us worship the God
of every time and every place.

* HYMN 12

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

* 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.**

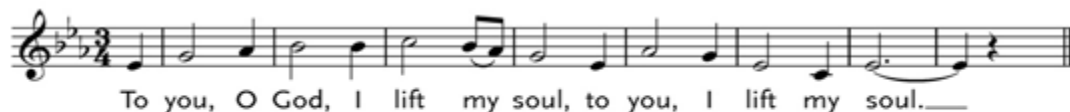
**We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.**

**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.**

ANTHEM
 FAPC Choir and
 Community Choir

My Eyes for Beauty Pine • *Herbert Howells (1892–1983)*
 Text by *Robert Bridges (1844–1930)*

My eyes for beauty pine, my soul for Goddes grace,
 No other care nor hope is mine, to heaven I turn my face.
 One splendour thence is shed from all the stars above:
 'Tis named when God's name is said,
 'Tis Love, 'tis heavenly Love.
 And every gentle heart that burns with true desire,
 Is lit from eyes that mirror part of that celestial fire.

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. Werner Ramirez

ANTHEM

I sat down under His shadow • *Edward Bairstow (1874–1946)*
 Text: *Song of Songs 2:3-4*

I sat down under his shadow with great delight,
 And his fruit was sweet to my taste.
 He brought me to the banqueting house,
 And his banner over me was love.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Genesis 18:1-15

The Lord appeared to Abraham by the oaks of Mamre, as he sat at the entrance of his tent in the heat of the day. He looked up and saw three men standing near him. When he saw them, he ran from the tent entrance to meet them, and bowed down to the ground. He said, "My lord, if I find favor with you, do not pass by your servant. Let a little water be brought, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree. Let me bring a little bread, that you may refresh yourselves, and after that you may pass on—since you have come to your servant." So they said, "Do as you have said." And Abraham hastened into the tent to Sarah, and said, "Make ready quickly three measures of choice flour, knead it, and make cakes." Abraham ran to the herd, and took a calf, tender and good, and gave it to the servant, who hastened to prepare it. Then he took curds and milk and the calf that he had prepared, and set it before them; and he stood by them under the tree while they ate.

They said to him, "Where is your wife Sarah?" And he said, "There, in the tent." Then one said, "I will surely return to you in due season, and your wife Sarah shall have a son." And Sarah was listening at the tent entrance behind him. Now Abraham and Sarah were old, advanced in age; it had ceased to be with Sarah after the manner of women. So Sarah laughed to herself, saying, "After I have grown old, and my husband is old, shall I have pleasure?" The Lord said to Abraham, "Why did Sarah laugh, and say, 'Shall I indeed bear a child, now that I am old?' Is anything too wonderful for the Lord? At the set time I will return to you, in due season, and Sarah shall have a son." But Sarah denied, saying, "I did not laugh"; for she was afraid. He said, "Oh yes, you did laugh."

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

All: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

The Rev. Dr. Charlene Han Powell

"Sarah Laughs"

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Ephesians 2:8-9

**For it is by grace we have been saved through faith,
and this is not of our own doing;
it is the gift of God—
not the result of works,
so that no one may boast.
For we are what he has made us,
created in Christ Jesus for good works,
which God prepared beforehand to be our way of life. Amen.**

* HYMN 696

O God, You Are My God Alone

(Choir sings verse one, then the congregation joins in singing)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The Rev. Werner Ramirez

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

THE OFFERING

You may text your offering to 646.491.8331

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

O How Amiable • *Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872–1958)*
Text: Psalms 84 and 90

O How amiable are thy dwellings: thou Lord of hosts!
My soul hath a desire an longing
to enter into the courts of the Lord:
My heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.

Yea, the sparrow hath found her an house,
And the swallow a nest where she may lay her young:
Even thy altars, O Lord of hosts,
My King and my God.

Blessed are they that dwell in thy house:
They will be always praising thee.

The glorious Majesty of the Lord our God be upon us:
Prosper thou the work of our hands upon us.

O prosper thou our handywork, O prosper thou our handywork.

O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home.

* DOXOLOGY

Hymn 606

* OFFERTORY PRAYER

* HYMN 65

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

* 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

Tuba Tune in D major, op. 15 • *C.S. Lang (1891–1971)*

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

WORSHIP NOTES

The Prelude this morning is by Frank Bridge, an excellent composer in his own right, but probably best remembered as the composition teacher of Benjamin Britten. Bridge's Adagio in E major is a gem in the organ repertoire, taking the listener on a journey through the full dynamic range of the instrument.

The Offertory Anthem was composed by Ralph Vaughan Williams, a leading figure in 20th-century music who wrote extensively in all genres. Williams, an English composer, conductor and organist, also made an important contribution to sacred music as the editor of *The English Hymnal*, which was published in 1906 and is still in use today. *O how amiable* was written for a church festival in 1934 and combines texts from Psalms 84 and 90, and concludes with the great hymn tune St. Anne, *Our God, our help in ages past*.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

***Flowers are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Frank Eoste,
beloved husband of Josiane Eoste.***

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

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.
Believing & Belonging: Becoming a Member of Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church. Corning Logan Room. Instructor: Morgan King, director of engagement.
- 9:30 am** **Worship.** Kirkland Chapel.
Little Lambs, Sunday School and Youth Group. All in the LaDane Williamson Christian Education Center.
- 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** **Adult Education: I Am Not, But We Are: Exploring Family Systems Theory.** Corning Logan Room. Instructor: Dr. Angella Son, Drew University.
Christmas Pageant Auditions. LaDane Williamson Christian Education Center.
Embrace. Boardroom. 20s+30s discussion group.
Theatre Fellowship Fall Preview. Jones Auditorium.
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This Week

- Mon Oct 1** **Women's Association Needlework Group.** 11 am – Romeyn Room.
- Tue Oct 2** **Women's Association Luncheon.** 12 pm – Bonnell Hall.
Followed by **Bridge** at 1:30 pm.
Women's Association Speaking English. 1:30 pm – Corning Logan Room.
Women's Association Prayer Group. 5:30 pm – Romeyn Room.
- Thu Oct 4** **FAPC Community Choir Rehearsal.** 6 pm – Jones Auditorium. All are welcome.
- Sat Oct 6** **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 Oct 7** **To Feel Is to Understand: A Conversation with Our Mission Partners.** 12:30 pm – Corning Logan Room. Cobbie and Dessa Palm are mission co-workers of the Presbyterian Church (USA).
- Fri Oct 12** **The Eighth Annual Kenneth O. Jones Distinguished Service Awards.** 6:30 pm – Bonnell Hall. \$60 per person. RSVP to Morgan King (mking@fapc.org).

Next Sunday • Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

“Sodom Burns” • Genesis 19:1-29

The Rev. Dr. Scott Black Johnston, preaching.

Get Your Tickets for the Eighth-Annual Jones Awards

The eighth-annual Kenneth O. Jones Distinguished Service Awards dinner is coming up on Friday, Oct. 12, and you are invited! The evening begins with a champagne reception in Jones Auditorium (appropriately enough) at 6:30 pm, followed by the dinner program and award presentation at 7:30 pm in Bonnell Hall. Tickets are \$60 per person, and may be purchased in advance or at the door. To purchase in advance, drop by the Gallery following worship today, or send a check to the church to the attention of Morgan King, director of engagement. If you choose to pay at the door, please let us know how many chairs to reserve for you! RSVP to Morgan at 212.247.0490 ext 3005 or mking@fapc.org.

Today: Exploring Genesis through Contemporary Psychology

Our two-part Adult Education series, "I Am Not, But We Are," concludes at 12:30 pm today in the Corning Logan Room. Dr. Angella Son, associate professor of psychology and religion at Drew University, returns with this exploration of how family systems theory relates to the current sermon series and to the modern world.

Today: Theatre Fellowship Fall Preview

Theatre Fellowship invites you to drop by Jones Auditorium at 12:30 pm today to talk about the upcoming theater season—in New York City, and right here at Fifth Avenue. If you are interested in learning more about this longstanding fellowship ministry (now in its third decade!) and possibly getting involved, either on stage or backstage, this is the event for you!

Today: Christmas Pageant Auditions

Auditions for *Room for Christmas*, by Mark Burrows, take place starting at 12:30 pm in the LaDane Williamson Christian Education Center. Rehearsals begin Oct. 27. The pageant will play for two performances on Sunday, Dec. 16. Contact: Eugenia Oi Yan Yau at eyau@fapc.org.

Coming Up: The 20s+30s Fall Retreat

The 20s+30s group is heading back upstate for another weekend of prayer, reflection, and all-around fun on beautiful Hunter Mountain. Our fall retreat is set for Friday, Oct. 19 until Sunday, Oct. 21. Cost is \$120 (including a \$60 deposit). Space is limited, so sign up quickly! Contact: Werner Ramirez (youngadults@fapc.org, 212.247.0490 ext 3013).

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 free public education program teaches you to identify and respond to signs of mental health and substance abuse challenges. To register, contact Lance Hurst (lhurst@fapc.org, 212.247.0490 ext 3007).

Oct. 29: Reimagine End of Life

On Monday, Oct. 29, religious leaders from three traditions will discuss their faith's practices, traditions and theological understanding of the end of life. Central Synagogue (East 55th Street and Lexington Avenue) hosts this interfaith panel, which includes Senior Rabbi Angela Buchdahl, Senior Pastor Black Johnston and Tahara Akmal from the Reading Hospital School of Health Sciences in Reading, Pennsylvania. This event begins at 7 pm and is free of charge. It is part of "Reimagine End of Life," a community-wide exploration of death and celebration of life through creativity and conversation. More information and a schedule of events are at letsreimagine.org.

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, 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. 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. Our Tuesday luncheons (\$15, Bonnell Hall), featuring guest speakers and entertainment, are open to all. Our programs are listed every Sunday in the bulletin's Calendar of Events. Contact: wassoc@fapc.org.

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The Session

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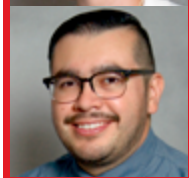
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**Announce a birth
or adoption**

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Fund the altar flowers

Lance Hurst
lhurst@fapc.org



Join the church

Morgan King
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Make a donation

Jannett Harris
jharris@fapc.org



Plan your wedding

Jackie Smith
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Prepare for baptism

Jackie Smith
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**Remember FAPC in
your planned giving**

Albert Vazquez
avazquez@fapc.org



Schedule an event

Jackie Smith
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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

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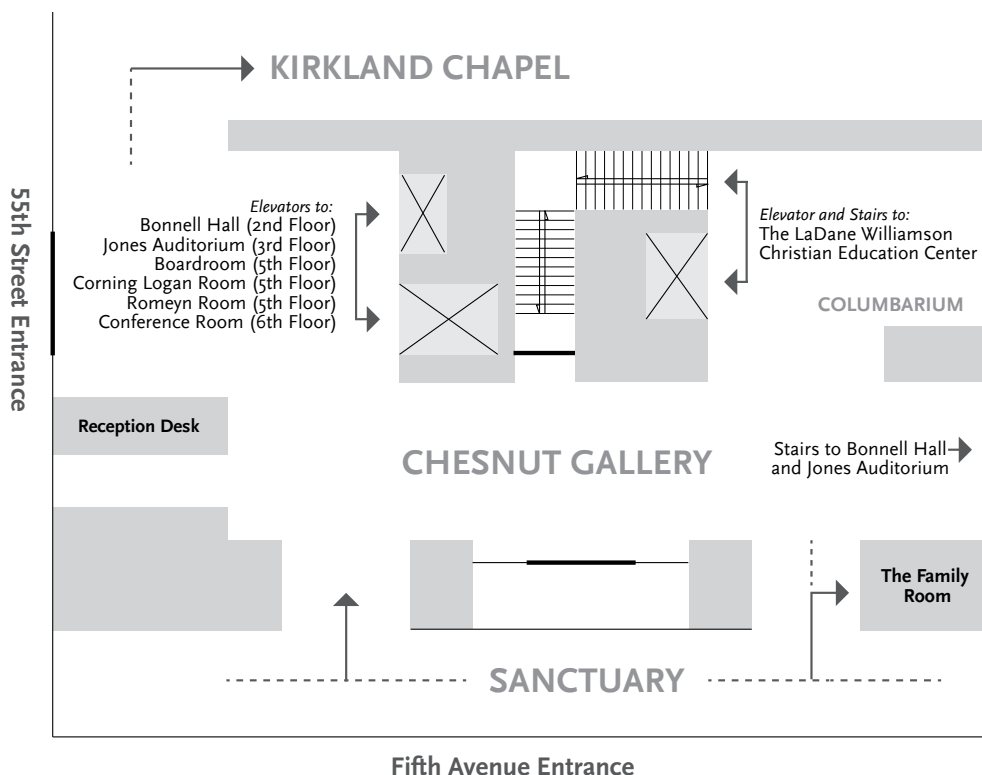
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