



FIFTH AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 19, 2018 • 11:00 AM



Kyle Ragsdale, *Psalm 133*

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. 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, programs and volunteer opportunities. 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 in worship! Families are welcome to sit anywhere in the Sanctuary, but you may want to take advantage of the first 10 rows on the far north side, which we have equipped for families with young children. You will find children’s Bibles and children’s worship bulletins in the pews, as well as easy access to our Family Room, located just outside the Sanctuary. (See the map on the back of the bulletin for the exact location.) If you are attending worship in Kirkland Chapel, the ushers can provide a worship bag to keep your child engaged. (You may return these materials at the end of the service.) We also provide childcare for infants and toddlers from 9 am until 12:30 pm in the LaDane Williamson Christian Education Center. Learn more about our Family Ministries at fapc.org.

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/prayer-requests.

Help With Parking

We have a parking arrangement with the garage at 51 W. 56th St. For \$16, you may park for up to three hours, seven days a week. Ask for discount coupons at the 55th Street reception desk.



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

A Quaker Reader (1976):
4. There is a Spirit that Delights to do no Evil
Ned Rorem (b. 1923)

* CALL TO WORSHIP *Elder Erin Collier*

from Psalm 100

One: Cry out with joy to the Lord, all the earth.

All: Worship the Lord with gladness.

One: Come into God's presence with singing!

All: For the Lord is a gracious God,

One: whose mercy is everlasting;

All: and whose faithfulness endures to all generations.

One: Let us worship Almighty God, tender and just.

* HYMN 733

We All Are One in Mission

* 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

O Je - sus, King of gen - tle - ness, Do all our
in - most hearts pos - sess; O Lord of all, with us a -
bide In this our joy - ful Eas - ter - tide.

Music: Trier ms., 15th century; adapt. Michael Praetorius, 1609 - PUER NOBIS NASCITUR.
Text: Latin hymn, 15th century; trans. John Mason Neale, 1852.

* ASSURANCE OF PARDON

* RESPONSE OF PRAISE

Eas - ter peo - ple, raise your voic - es, sounds of heav - en in earth should ring.
Christ has brought us heav - en's choic - es; heav - en - ly mu - sic let it ring.
Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Eas - ter peo - ple, let us sing.

Music: Henry T. Smart, 1867 - REGENT SQUARE. Text: William M. James, 1979 © The United Methodist Publishing House. All rights reserved. Reprinted under OneLicense.net #A-721169.

* PASSING OF THE PEACE

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

ANTHEM
FAPC Choir
& Community Choir

A Hymn for St Cecilia • *Herbert Howells (1892–1983)*
Text by Ursula Vaughan Williams (1911–2007)

Sing for the morning's joy, Cecilia, sing,
in words of youth and phrases of the spring.
Walk the bright colonnades by fountains spray
and sing as sunlight fills the waking day.
Till angels, voyaging in upper air, pause on a wing,
and gather the clear sound into celestial joy, wound and unwound,
a silver chain or golden as your hair.

Sing for your loves of heaven and of earth,
in words of music, and each word a truth,
marriage of heart and longings that aspire,
a bond of roses and a ring of fire.
Your summertime grows short and fades away,
terror must gather to a martyr's death, but never tremble,
the last indrawn breath remembers music as an echo may.

Through the long aftermath of centuries
Cecilia's music dances in the skies,
lend us a fragment of the immortal air
where with your choiring angels we may share.
A light to light us through time-fettered night,
water of life, a rose of paradise;
so from the earth another song shall rise
to meet your own in heavens long delight.

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

VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION

ANTHEM

Locus iste a Deo factus est • Anton Bruckner (1824–1896)

Locus iste a Deo factus est, This place was made by God,
Inaestimabile sacramentum, A priceless mystery;
Irreprehensibilis est. It is without reproof.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Psalm 133

How very good and pleasant it is
when kindred live together in unity!
It is like the precious oil on the head,
running down upon the beard,
on the beard of Aaron,
running down over the collar of his robes.
It is like the dew of Hermon,
which falls on the mountains of Zion.
For there the Lord ordained his blessing,
life for evermore.

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

All: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

The Rev. Dr. Scott Black Johnston

“This Week in Good News”

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

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


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. Amen.**

* SONG RESPONSE



Ev - ery day to us is Eas - ter, with its res - ur - rec - tion song.
When in trou - ble move the fast - er to our God who rights the wrong.
Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! See the power of heaven - ly throngs.

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ORDINATION & INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

The Rev. Werner Ramirez

Statement of Ordination and Installation
Presentation of Candidates
Constitutional Questions
Prayer of Ordination
The Lord's Prayer
Declaration and Charge

* ORDINATION HYMN 691

Lord, When I Came into This Life

THE OFFERING

You may text your offering to 646.491.8331

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Antiphon from *Five Mystical Songs*
Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872–1958)
Text by George Herbert (1593–1633)

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!
The heavens are not too high, his praise may thither fly,
The earth is not too low, his praises there may grow.
Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!
Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!
The church with psalms must shout, no door can keep them out;
But, above all, the heart must bear the longest part.
Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!

* DOXOLOGY

Hymn 606

* OFFERTORY PRAYER

* HYMN 450

Be Thou My Vision

* BENEDICTION

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

* CHORAL RESPONSE

Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies • *Keith Bissell (1912–1992)*
Text by Charles Wesley (1707–1788)

Christ, whose glory fills the skies,
Christ, the true, the only Light,
Sun of righteousness, arise,
Triumph o'er the shades of night;
Dayspring from on high, be near;
Daystar, in my heart appear.

POSTLUDE

Tu Es Petra • *Henri Mulet (1878–1967)*

The ministry of music this morning is offered by:
The Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church Choir & Community 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. His father was a schoolteacher and church organist, and Bruckner began studying the organ, piano and music theory at an early age. He became the cathedral organist at St. Florian in 1848 and began composing sacred music around the same time. In 1855 he went to Vienna to study harmony and counterpoint at the Vienna Conservatory, becoming the cathedral organist in Linz a year later. At the same time, Bruckner studied orchestration with Otto Kitzler, a cellist who introduced him to Wagner's operas. Wagner's music ended up having an enormous influence on Bruckner, particularly in his symphonic work. He completed his formal studies in 1861 and began to make a name for himself as a composer and an improviser at the organ. He moved to Vienna in 1868 to take appointments as the Emperor's court organist and to take over as professor of harmony and counterpoint at the Vienna Conservatory.

Bruckner 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. Perhaps the most famous of these, the gradual *Locus iste*, is often sung during services for the dedication of a church. This four-part setting was composed in 1869 to celebrate the dedication of the votive chapel of the cathedral at Linz.

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.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Barbara E. Swarhout from the members of her adopted family—Greene, Wynter, Patience, Jones, Fitzgerald, Howard and Brisbane.

Please pray for:

Candy Asman, Phyllis Barr, Neta Beberino, Helen Betzaia, Becky Bjornstad, Britta Cabanos
Ella Calderon, Sookjoong Choi, Alan Chorun, Miriam Coleman, Dr. Johanna Cook
Edna Craddock, William Cuffee, Nancy Dawkins, Athanassia Doucas, Narmella Elissa
Sterling Gillis IV, Wanda Roush Hannan, Nancy Hatch, Patricia Henry, 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, Joyce Nolen
Phyllis Oblander, Marjorie Quaife, Jeff Rowbottom, Pauline Sample, Taylor Shultz, Eric Smith
Spencer Robert Smith, Frieda Sompotan, Jean Stewart, Rocco Tannehill, Steve Teelucksingh
Arthur Tobiason, Susan Tobiason, Stevanus & Henny Waisapy, Johnnie Walker
James & Barbara Wallace, Jennifer Wallis-Eifert, Warren White, Suzanne Wilks, Sylvia Winrich
Lesley Wood, Deborah Wurgler, Doris Wurgler

Faithful Departed:

May 3, 2019: Ethel Florica Malone Lott—beloved sister of Ena Malone, Victor E. Malone, Jr. and Eleanore Blount.

May 10, 2019: Diane Klages—longtime member of Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church and beloved sister of Connie Klages.

May 14, 2019: Donald DePugh—beloved father of David DePugh and beloved father in law of Dora DePugh.

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

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

Health Advocates for Older People

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

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Today

- 9:30 am** **Little Lambs.** LaDane Williamson Christian Education Center.
The Circle: Creating a Wellness Toolbox. 9:30 am – Corning Logan Room.
Instructor: Jenna Tine, The Bridge.
- 11 am** **Worship & Installation of Officers.** 11 am – Sanctuary. The Rev. Dr. Scott Black Johnston, preaching. *There is no 9:30 am service today.*
- 11:15 am** **Children’s Church.** Kirkland Chapel & Christian Education Center.
- 12:15 am** **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.
- 1 pm** **Piano & Organ Recital.** Sanctuary. This performance, presented free of charge, concludes the 2018–19 concert season.
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This Week

- Mon May 20** **Women’s Association Needlework Group.** 11 am – Romeyn Room.
- Tue May 21** **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.
Employment Advisory. 6:30 pm – LaDane Williamson Christian Education Center. Program: Effective Résumés That Excite Hiring Managers.
- Thu May 23** **FAPC Community Choir Rehearsal.** 6 pm – Jones Auditorium. All are welcome.
- Sat May 25** **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 May 26** **Worship.** 10 am – Sanctuary. The Rev. Dr. Charlene Han Powell, preaching.
Historical & Architectural Tour. 11:15 am – Kirkland Chapel.
Evening Worship at the Bowery Mission. 4:45 pm – 227 Bowery. Directions available at the reception desk and fapc.org/bowery.
- Mon May 27** **Memorial Day holiday.** Building closed.
- Sun June 2** **Celebrate Outreach.** 11:30 am – Jones Auditorium. A lunch honoring our Outreach volunteers. RSVP: Lance Hurst (lhurst@fapc.org).
Family Ministries Spring Picnic. 11:30 am – Central Park.
- Wed June 5** **Staff Day holiday.** Building closed.
- Sun June 9** **20s+30s Summer Kickoff.** 12:30 pm. Contact youngadults@fapc.org for details.

Next Sunday • Sixth Sunday of Easter
“Stand Up and Walk” • John 5:1-9
The Rev. Dr. Charlene Han Powell, preaching.

Welcome to the World!

Eleanor Wren Tongue, daughter of Jeneca Parker-Tongue and Robbyn Tongue, born May 10, 2019.

Today: Concert Features Masterpieces for Piano & Organ

All are invited to our final concert of the 2018-19 season at 1 pm today in the Sanctuary. The program features two of the 19th century’s greatest masterpieces for keyboard instruments – the Piano Sonata in B minor by Franz Liszt, and the Organ Sonata (on the 94th Psalm) in C minor by Julius Reubke. Reubke was one of Liszt’s most gifted composition students, and this concert offers a rare opportunity to hear these two monuments of virtuosity side by side. The Liszt Sonata will be performed on the Steinway by the celebrated French pianist Matthieu Cognet. Music director Ryan Jackson will play the Reubke Sonata on the mighty Austin. This event is presented free of charge.

Welcome, New Members!

With joy and thanksgiving, we welcomed the following new members to Fifth Avenue last Sunday:

Jeffrey Berry	Blake Helppie	Yvonne Liu	Courtney Smith	Michael Wasil
Paula Berry	Angela Horton	Charlotte Nichols	Emily Suggs	Linglong Wei *
Katherine Giscombe	Emily Ionescu	Winifred Pardo	Katya Ullman	* <i>baptized</i>
Anika Maher	Michael Ionescu	Jean Seto	Branden Wang	

Summer Schedule Changes

Next Sunday (May 26) we begin our summer worship schedule, with a single service at 10 am in the Sanctuary. This schedule is in effect through Sunday, Sept. 1. Sunday School, Youth Group and the Parents Community Group all conclude today. Children’s Church continues until June 30, while the Little Lambs nursery continues all summer. The Women’s Association Needlepoint Group and Tuesday luncheons conclude this week, while Bridge and Speaking English continue until June 25. The FAPC Community Choir has its last rehearsal on Thursday, June 6, before breaking for the summer. All programs return in the fall.

New This Summer: Vacation Bible School + Praise Kids Workshop

Looking for a *full day* of fun for your kids this summer? We have two, back-to-back programs the week of Aug. 5–9 that we’d love for you to join! In the mornings, it’s Vacation Bible School: To Mars and Beyond. Children from age 3 through fifth grade are invited to discover the wonders of God’s universe on a journey through space. In the afternoons, we introduce the Praise Kids Music and Drama Workshop for children in kindergarten through fifth grade. Bring a sack lunch and join our music team for singing, drama, hand chimes and more. The week will culminate in a performance for parents on Friday, Aug. 9. Details (including registration and fees) are available at fapc.org/vbs, or contact Jaime Staehle (familyministries@fapc.org, 212.247.0490 ext 3003).

June 2: Celebrate Outreach

All Outreach volunteers are invited to our annual luncheon on Sunday, June 2, at 11:30 am in Bonnell Hall. If you served this year as a shelter host, an FAPC Serves volunteer or in any other Outreach Ministries, we want to recognize and thank you! RSVP to Lance Hurst (lhurst@fapc.org).

June 5: City Club Lunch on the Harbor

City Club, a fellowship group for members and friends ages 40+, kicks off the summer on Wednesday, June 5, with lunch at Gigino at Wagner Park. Cost is \$55, gratuities included. RSVP to Jan Smith by May 29 (JanSmith380@aol.com).

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. Information on upcoming classes is available at fapc.org.

Community Life

Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church offers an array of opportunities for fellowship. We gather for congregation-wide events (such as Homecoming and the 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. 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/prayer-requests. 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, Vacation Bible School and special events all year long. Learn more (and register your child) at fapc.org. Contact: familyministries@fapc.org.

Fifth Avenue Ecumenical Outreach Partnership

The Ecumenical Outreach Partnership is a collaboration among three midtown congregations – Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, Saint Thomas Church and St. Patrick's Cathedral. Working together, we are able to increase the level of support we provide to men and women experiencing homelessness and others in need of social services. The executive director, John Sheehan, LMSW, pursues street outreach and serves walk-in clients and individuals referred by Saint Thomas and St. Patrick's from his office at Fifth Avenue. We welcome your donations of warm clothing, bottled water, socks, toiletries and other essentials that our clients need. For more information, see fapc.org/fifth-avenue-ecumenical-outreach-partnership. Contact: John Sheehan (jsheehan@fapc.org).

Membership

When we say "All are welcome," we mean it. From the moment you walk through our doors, we invite you to be a part of our community. We want to learn your name, listen to your questions, and hear your story. Every step of the way, we choose you. In membership, you choose us. Through our *Believing and Belonging* seminars, you explore what it means to be a part of the

Christian church, the Presbyterian tradition, and Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church. Whether you're sure membership is right for you, or you're just beginning to wonder if this may be your spiritual home, we'd love to have you in an upcoming class. Email Morgan King (mking@fapc.org) or visit fapc.org/membership to learn more.

Mission Partners

Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church supports a diverse group of mission partners whose missions and ministries align closely with our own. Read more at fapc.org/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

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. Contact: music@fapc.org. Our Theatre Fellowship offers a mainstage production every spring, 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 (Embrace), service projects, social events, retreats and more. Join us! We're online at fapc.org/20s-30s 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.

OFFICERS BY CLASS

The Session

The Rev. Dr. Scott Black Johnston, *Moderator* • Greg Dow, *Clerk of Session*

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The Rev. Kate Dunn, *Associate Pastor* • The Rev. Werner Ramirez, *Associate Pastor*

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CLERGY & STAFF



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



The Rev. Helen Jackson, *Parish Visitor*

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Join the church

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**Remember the church
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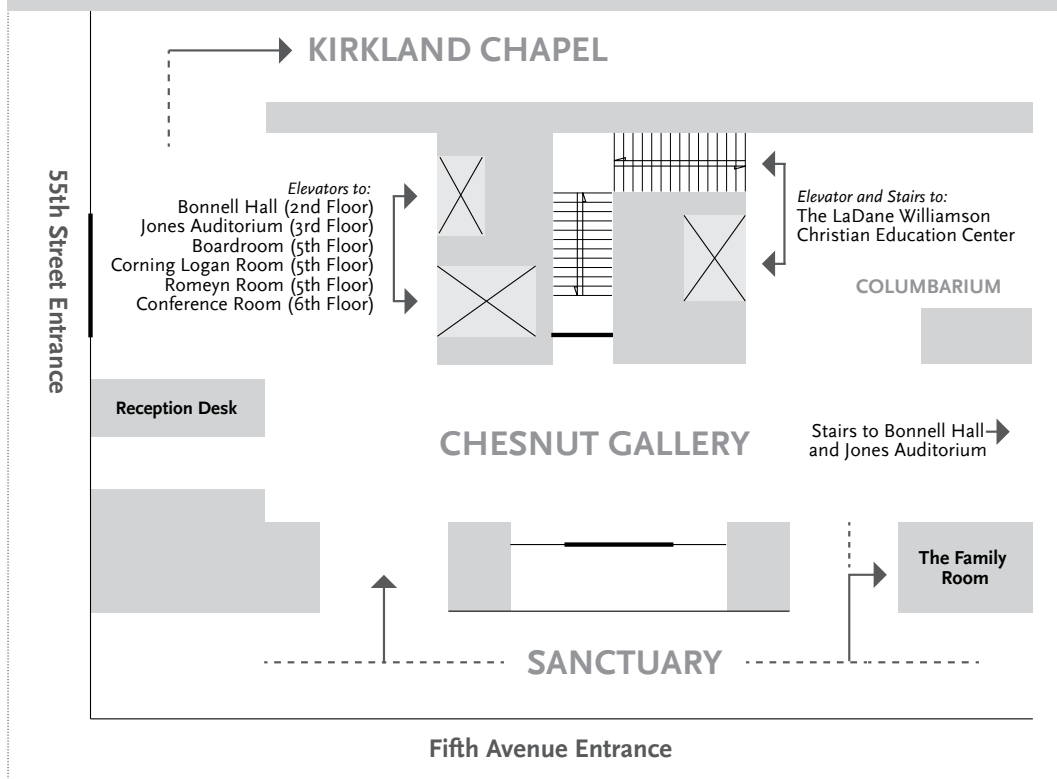
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Announcing a Summer of Sacred Stories

What stories do you hold in your heart? How do they influence your daily life? How do they inform what you believe about the world? We are excited to announce a new program, "A Summer of Sacred Stories," that will focus on stories of the Bible to help us explore some of life's most profound questions. Working with one of our resident Broadway veterans, Jeanne Lehman French, we have planned a series of three Sunday workshops that will meet after worship on June 23, July 7 and July 21. Look for upcoming details to be announced in the bulletin and on fapc.org, and plan to join us!



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