

FIFTH AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

EPIPHANY OF THE LORD JANUARY 5, 2020 • 11:00 AM



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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

Chorale Fantasia on *Wie schön leuchtet der Morgenstern* ("How Brightly Shines the Morning Star"), BuxWV 223 *Dietrich Buxtehude (1637–1707)*

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Deacon Roseanne Lind

One: Let us worship the Lord

and consider the wondrous things God has done:

All: The Magi saw and followed a guiding star!

One: O come, let us worship the Lord

and consider the wondrous things God has done:

All: The people living in darkness

have seen a glorious light!

One: O come, let us worship the Lord

and consider the wondrous things God has done:

All: Christ has come into the world!
One: O come, let us worship the Lord,

All: for God has done wondrous things!

* HYMN 150

As with Gladness Men of Old

* 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

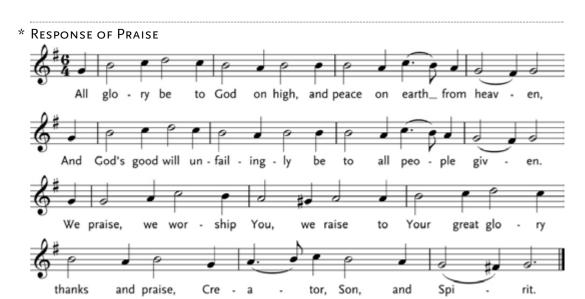
* SUNG RESPONSE

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



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* Assurance of Pardon



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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. Scott Black Johnston

ANTHEM

The Three Kings • *Jonathan Dove (b. 1959) Text by Dorothy L. Sayers (1893–1957)*

The first king was very young,
O balow, balow la lay,
With doleful ballads on his tongue,
O balow, balow la lay,
He came bearing a branch of myrrh
Than which no gall is bitterer,
O balow, balow la lay,
Gifts for a baby King, O.

The second king was a man in prime, O balow, balow la lay,
The solemn priest of a solemn time,
O balow, balow la lay,
With eyes downcast and reverent feet
He brought his incense sad and sweet,
O balow, balow la lay,
Gifts for a baby King, O.

The third king was very old,

O balow, balow la lay,

Both his hands were full of gold,

O balow, balow la lay,

Many a gaud and glittering toy,

Baubles brave for a baby boy,

O balow, balow la lay,

Gifts for a baby King, O.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSONS

Isaiah 60:1-6

Arise, shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you. For darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the peoples; but the Lord will arise upon you, and his glory will appear over you. Nations shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your dawn. Lift up your eyes and look around; they all gather together, they come to you; your sons shall come from far away, and your daughters shall be carried on their nurses' arms. Then you shall see and be radiant; your heart shall thrill and rejoice, because the abundance of the sea shall be brought to you, the wealth of the nations shall come to you. A multitude of camels shall cover you, the young camels of Midian and Ephah; all those from Sheba shall come. They shall bring gold and frankincense, and shall proclaim the praise of the Lord.

Matthew 2:1-15

In the time of King Herod, after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, asking, "Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews? For we observed his star at its rising, and have come to pay him homage." When King Herod heard this, he was frightened, and all Jerusalem with him; and calling together all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Messiah was to be born. They told him, "In Bethlehem of Judea; for so it has been written by the prophet: 'And you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for from you shall come a ruler who is to shepherd my people Israel." Then Herod secretly called for the wise men and learned from them the exact time when the star had appeared. Then he sent them to Bethlehem, saying, "Go and search diligently for the child; and when you have found him, bring me word so that I may also go and pay him homage."

When they had heard the king, they set out; and there, ahead of them, went the star that they had seen at its rising, until it stopped over the place where the child was. When they saw that the star had stopped, they were overwhelmed with joy. On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they left for their own country by another road.

Now after they had left, an angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream and said, "Get up, take the child and his mother, and flee to Egypt, and remain there until I tell you; for Herod is about to search for the child, to destroy him." Then Joseph got up, took the child and his mother by night, and went to Egypt, and remained there until the death of Herod. This was to fulfill what had been spoken by the Lord through the prophet, "Out of Egypt I have called my son."

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

All: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

The Rev. Dr. Tim Hart-Andersen

"Can We Turn the Lights On?"

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

John 1:1-4

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

He was in the beginning with God.

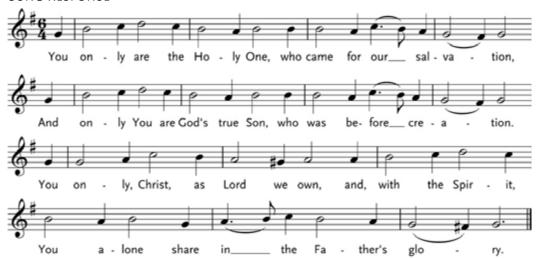
All things came into being through him, and without him not one thing came into being.

What has come into being in him was life, and the life was the light of all people.

The light shines in the darkness,

and the darkness did not overcome it. Amen.

* SUNG RESPONSE



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THE OFFERING

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OFFERTORY ANTHEM

The Star-Song • Jonathan Dove Text by Robert Herrick (1591–1674)

Tell us, thou clear and heavenly tongue, Where is the Babe but lately sprung? Lies he the lily-banks among?

Or say, if this new Birth of ours, Sleeps, laid within some ark of flowers, Spangled with dew-light; thou canst clear All doubts, and manifest the where.

Declare to us, bright star, if we shall seek Him in the morning's blushing cheek, Or search the beds of spices through, To find him out? Star: No, this ye need not do;
But only come and see him rest
A Princely Babe in's mother's breast.

Choir: He's seen! he's seen! Why then around Let's kiss the sweet and holy ground; And all rejoice that we have found A King before conception crown'd.

Come then, come then, and let us bring Unto our pretty Twelfth-tide King, Each one his several offering;

And when night comes, we'll give him wassailing; And that his treble honors may be seen, We'll choose him King, and make his mother Queen!

* Doxology

Hymn 606

* OFFERTORY PRAYER

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE
The Rev. Dr. Charlene Han Powell

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

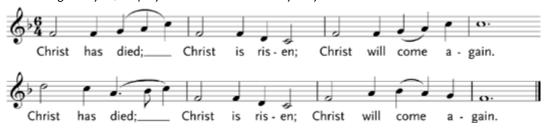
Holy God, we praise you.

Let the heavens be joyful, and the earth be glad.

We bless you for creating the whole world, for your promises to your people Israel, and for Jesus Christ, in whom your fullness dwells.



Born of Mary, he shares our life. Eating with sinners, he welcomes us. Guiding his children, he leads us. Visiting the sick, he heals us. Dying on the cross, he saves us. Rising from the dead, he gives new life. Living with you, he prays for us. Great is the mystery of faith:



With thanksgiving we take this bread and this cup and proclaim the death and resurrection of our Lord.

Receive our sacrifice of praise.

Pour out your Holy Spirit upon us, that this meal may be a communion in the body and blood of our Lord.

Make us one with Christ and with all who share this feast.

Unite us in faith, encourage us with hope, inspire us to love,

that we may serve as your faithful disciples until we feast at your table in glory.

We praise you, eternal God, through Christ your Word made flesh, in the holy and life-giving Spirit, now and forever.



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THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

COMMUNION ANTHEM

There Shall a Star Come Out of Jacob, from *Christus* Felix Mendelssohn (1809–1847)
Text: Matthew 2:1-2: Numbers 24:17

When Jesus, our Lord, was born in Bethlehem, in the land of Judea;

Behold, from the east to the city of Jerusalem there came wise men, and said:

"Say, where is he born, the King of Judea?

For we have seen his star, and are come to adore him."

There shall a star come out of Jacob,

And a scepter shall rise out of Israel,

With might destroying princes and cities.

As bright the star of morning gleams,

So Jesus sheddeth glorious beams

Of light and consolation.

Thy Word O Lord, radiance darting, Truth imparting, gives salvation; Thine be praise and adoration!

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

* HYMN 744 Arise, Your Light Is Come!

* 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.

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May the Spirit of God dwell within you.

May you live in joy each day.

POSTLUDE In dir ist freude ("In Thee is Gladness"), BWV 615

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

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

Christina Kay, Claire Myers-McCormick, Bethany Worrell, Sopranos Mendelssohn Trio: Wilson Nichols, Nathan Fletcher, Zak Fletcher

WORSHIP NOTES

The choral and organ music this morning was chosen to mark of the feast of Epiphany, officially celebrated tomorrow, following the 12 days of Christmas. Epiphany is the time when Christians remember the Wise Men (sometimes called the Three Kings) who visited Jesus in his childhood.

Both the Prelude and the Communion Anthem feature one of the oldest and most famous Epiphany hymns, *Wie schön leuchtet der Morgenstern* ("How Brightly Shines the Morning Star"), composed by Philipp Nicolai in 1597. Buxtehude's variations on the tune are playful and colorful, allowing the organist to show off many lighter colors of the organ. Mendelssohn includes the entire first verse of the hymn toward the end of the Communion Anthem, "There Shall a Star Come Out of Jacob," which is the opening chorus of his unfinished oratorio on the life of Jesus, *Christus*.

The Anthem, Jonathan Dove's *The Three Kings*, is a wonderful and evocative piece for *a cappella* choir composed in 2004. In his introductory note, Dove writes, "Dorothy L. Sayers' poem *The Three Kings* was suggested to me as a carol text by Stephen Cleobury [then director of music at King's College, Cambridge]. Sayers achieves a surprising emotional power and mystery by portraying the youngest king, the nearest to childhood, as the saddest, bringing a gift of myrrh which anticipates Christ's passion and death; it is the oldest king, nearest to the grave, who brings golden toys. I have tried to catch this surprise in the music: the first two verses are simple and ballad like, while the third verse suddenly opens up like a treasure chest of twinkling gold."

Flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Dee & Alex Kojak by their daughter Dawn.

Please pray for:

Candy Asman, Phyllis Barr, Neta Beberino, Helen Betzaia, Becky Bjornstad, Benjamin Bradley Britta Cabanos, Ella Calderon, Phoebe Chiu, Sookjoong Choi, Dr. Johanna Cook, Edna Craddock William Cuffee, Athanassia Doucas, Narmella Elissa, Sterling Gillis IV, Patricia L. (DeLue) Glimpse 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, Phyllis Oblander, Marjorie Quaife, Jeff Rowbottom, Pauline Sample Robert Scheuer, Bernhard Schindler, Taylor Shultz, Spencer Robert Smith, Mark & Chrissy Snyder Frieda Sompotan, Jean Stewart, Rocco Tannehill, Steve Teelucksingh, Harold Tither Arthur Tobiason, Susan Tobiason, Stevanus & Henny Waisapy, Johnnie Walker James & Barbara Wallace, Jennifer Wallis-Eifert, Warren White, Suzanne Wilks, Sylvia Winrich Deborah Wurgler, Doris Wurgler

Faithful Departed

Dec. 11, 2019: Martha Chalfant—beloved mother of Mark Chalfant.

Dec. 20, 2019: Zoraida Dougherty—beloved wife of Charles Dougherty, beloved mother of Adrian and his wife Sarah, beloved stepmother of Chris Dougherty and her husband Mark Good, and beloved great-aunt of Alana Montanez.

Dec. 23, 2019: Jean Meek Barker—beloved longtime member of Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church.

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 Breakfast Epiphany. Corning Logan Room.

Little Lambs, Sunday School and Youth Group. All in the 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.

This Week

Mon Jan 6 Women's Association Needlework Group. 11 am – Romeyn Room.

Tue Jan 7 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 Jan 9 FAPC Community Choir Rehearsal. 6 pm – Jones Auditorium. All are welcome.

Sat Jan 11 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 Jan 12 Adult Education: On the Road with Saint Augustine. 9:30 am – Bonnell Hall.

Instructor: James K.A. Smith.

Confirmation Class. 12:30 pm – Conference Room. Contact: Werner Ramirez

(wramirez@fapc.org, 212.247.0490 ext 3013).

Lunch & Listen: Sacred Songs. 12:30 pm – Kirkland Chapel.

Sun Jan 19 Letter from a Birmingham Jail and Prison Reform Today. 9:30 am – Bonnell

Hall. A panel discussion on Martin Luther King, Jr. Sunday.

Worship. 11 am – Sanctuary. The Rev. Aisha Brooks-Lytle, guest preacher.

Lunch and Game Day with Neighborhood Friends. 12:30 pm - Jones

Auditorium. Contact: Meredith Fleck (homelessevents@fapc.org).

Next Sunday · Baptism of the Lord

"Grace for the Long Haul" • Psalm 78:25-38, Matthew 11:25-39

Dr. James K.A. Smith, guest preacher.

There is no 9:30 am service today.

Welcome, Dr. Tim Hart-Andersen!

Today Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church is delighted to welcome the Rev. Dr. Tim Hart-Andersen to our pulpit for the first time. Dr. Hart-Andersen is the senior pastor of one of the most prominent Presbyterian Church (USA) congregations in the country, Westminster Presbyterian in Minneapolis. Born in Kansas and raised in Chicago, he earned an undergraduate degree from Northern Illinois University, master's degrees from the University of Texas at Austin and McCormick Theological Seminary in Chicago, and a doctorate in ministry from San Francisco Theological Seminary. He was the pastor and head of staff at Old First Presbyterian Church in San Francisco before joining Westminster in 1999.

Next Sunday: Dr. James K.A. Smith

Next Sunday (Jan. 12), philosopher and bestselling author Dr. James K.A. Smith is our guest for Adult Education and morning worship. At 9:30 am in Bonnell Hall, Dr. Smith will lead a discussion of his book, *On the Road with Saint Augustine: A Real World Spirituality for Restless Hearts* (2019). Afterward, he will be our guest preacher for worship at 11 am. There will be no 9:30 am service next Sunday. Dr. Smith, a professor of philosophy at Calvin University, is the author of 24 books, including *You Are What You Love*, which inspired our fall sermon series, *Curate Your Heart*.

Call for Volunteers: Lunch & Game Day

Outreach Ministries' annual Lunch & Game Day is happening on Sunday, Jan. 19, in Jones Auditorium. This event welcomes our neighbors who are living on the streets inside for a fried chicken lunch, fun and fellowship. We need volunteers to bring dessert, host at table, and assist with set-up and clean-up. Contact: Meredith Fleck (homelessevents@fapc.org).

CouplesPlus Invites You to Dominoes Round-Robin Game Night

Tame the winter doldrums and play dominoes on Saturday, Feb. 1, at 6 pm in Bonnell Hall. No experience needed, instructions provided, prizes awarded! We'll have delicious snacks on hand, but it's BYOB at this raucous evening of fellowship. Admission is \$20, payable at the door. This event is sponsored by *CouplesPlus*, a fellowship organization for all adult members and friends (not just couples!). Please RSVP by Monday, Jan. 27, to *couplesplus@fapc.org*.

Coming Up: A Mission Trip to Lesotho

Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church announces our second mission trip to visit our mission partner Ministry of Hope Lesotho. The trip, set for Feb. 27 to March 9, will be led by Sally Harwood, the Mission Partner Committee liaison to Ministry of Hope. Nancy Dimmock, a former mission co-worker with the Presbyterian Church (USA) and a co-founder of Ministry of Hope, will be our guide. Ministry of Hope is a refuge for orphaned and vulnerable children in the small, landlocked country in southern Africa. Sally and Nancy led a Fifth Avenue mission trip to Lesotho in 2015. To learn more about the organization, visit ministryofhope.org. For details on the mission trip, contact Sally at scharwood2@gmail.com.

Introducing Our New Director of Finance

Richard J. Schexnider is now director of finance for Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, effective Jan. 1. Richard joins us after a 21-year-career with Time Inc., where he held a number of senior finance and operational roles, most recently as director of international licensing operations. A native of Louisiana, Richard has a bachelor's degree in accounting from the University of Louisiana. We are delighted to welcome him to the senior staff of the church!

The Session

The Rev. Dr. Scott Black Johnston, Moderator • Greg Dow, Clerk of Session lane Hong, Assistant Clerk of Session • The Rev. Dr. Charlene Han Powell, Executive Pastor The Rev. Kate Dunn, Associate Pastor • The Rev. Werner Ramirez, Associate Pastor

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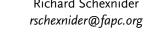
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Remember the church in your planned giving

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Schedule an event

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Hire our caterer • Rodrigo Rosas, rodrigo@roxoevents.com
Notify us of a death or illness • Lance Hurst, congregationalcare@fapc.org
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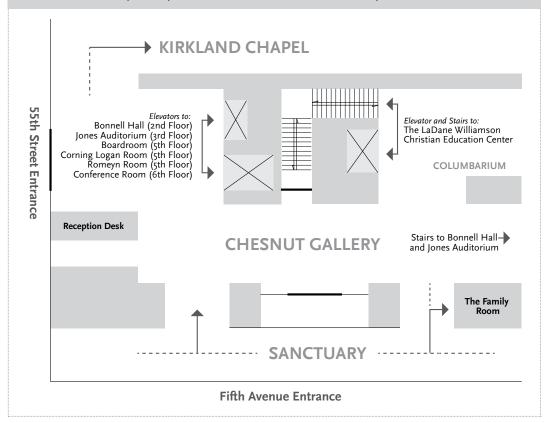
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