

Welcome To Fifth Street Presbyterian Church

Our purpose for meeting together today is to meet with our Lord as a body of believers. We meet that we might hear Him speak in the reading and preaching of His Word. And, we meet to respond to His voice in our songs, prayers, and affirmations. In the ordinary worship of God we find extraordinary grace, encouragement and reason to hope. This corporate worship of God is the most important thing that happens upon the earth and we are delighted to have you with us as we approach the Father in Christ's name by the power of the Holy Spirit.

This week at a glance:

Sunday	9:30 A.M.	Sunday School
	11:00 A.M.	Worship Service
	12:15 P.M.	Cantata Practice
	5:00 P.M.	Evening Service
	6:00 P.M.	Fellowship Meal
Wednesday	10:30 A.M.	Women's Morning Study
	5:30 P.M.	Church-wide Decorating

If you are visiting today, we would appreciate a record of your visit, which you can provide by filling out one of the visitor's cards that you will find in the pew. Please place the card in the offering plate. Thank you!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

November 27, 2016

Calling all volunteers! Please join the ladies of the church on November 30th from 5:30-7:00 p.m. to help decorate the sanctuary for Christmas.

The Women's Morning Study will conclude on December 7th.

Men's Calvin study resumes on December 7th.

This year's Christmas series will begin on December 11 and include the following:

- Dec. 11—The Shepherd and the Covenant of Peace, Ezekiel 34
- Dec. 18—The Servant and the New Song, Isaiah 42 (This is the Cantata Sunday, service begins at 10:30 a.m.)
- Dec. 24—The Virgin and The Child, Isaiah 7:1-25 and 9:1-7 (The Christmas Eve Service is at 6 p.m.)
- Dec. 25—Good Tidings of Great Joy to all People, Luke 2:8-20

Our Christmas Cantata service is December 18th at 10:30 a.m.. There will be no Sunday School on this day.

On December 25th Sunday School and the Evening Service is canceled.

Fellowship meal this evening after the service will include pizza.

Continuing some helpful reminders from the Directory for Worship of God in the Book of Church Order, Chapter 47 is next in the installment:

7. Public worship differs from private worship in that in public worship God is served by His saints unitedly as His covenant people, the Body of Christ. For this reason the covenant children should be present so far as possible as well as adults. For the same reason no favoritism may be shown to any who attend. Nor may any member of the church presume to exalt himself above others as though he were more spiritual, but each shall esteem others better than himself.
8. It behooves God's people not only to come into His presence with a deep sense of awe at the thought of His perfect holiness and their own exceeding sinfulness, but also to enter into His gates with thanksgiving and into His courts with praise for the great salvation, which He has so graciously wrought for them through his only begotten Son and applied to them by the Holy Spirit.