10:45 am Worship Service **November 2, 2025**

SERMON "Trustworthy & True"

Ephesians 2:1-10

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Along the Journey...

INTRODUCTION ANNOUNCEMENT

Dear Fifth Avenue Baptist Church,

It is with great excitement that your Pastoral Search Committee announces that we have selected a candidate to recommend to our church family. Our Pastoral Call Weekend is scheduled to be held November 14th - 16th, culminating in a congregational vote at the end of worship on Sunday, November 16th. We will provide a schedule for the Call Weekend in the coming days.

Our candidate grew up on the edge of Appalachia and has an appreciation for Huntington's influence as a city in the greater Appalachian region. He graduated with an M.Div. from a Baptist seminary and is currently pursuing a Doctor of Ministry degree. He has been serving his current church as the senior pastor for over 12 years and has over 15 years of ministry experience. He and his wife have two young children. Additionally, this candidate was recommended to the Center for Healthy Churches by multiple people related to Fifth Avenue Baptist Church.

The Pastoral Search Committee has had numerous conversations with the candidate and is unanimous in its decision to recommend him to the congregation for a vote to call him to serve as the next pastor of Fifth Avenue Baptist Church.

We understand that this brief introduction only whets your appetite for further information about our recommendation. Unfortunately, due to the reality of today's social media and internet communications, we feel that it is prudent not to disclose any identifying details within this letter which is being shared with the congregation both electronically and by mail. Our candidate is currently serving another church family, and any premature revelation of his identity could have significant and unintended consequences. We appreciate your understanding and discretion on this matter over the coming weeks.

We are preparing additional information to be provided at the Pastoral Search Committee's discussion during Sunday worship on November 9th as well as each of the meetings with the candidate over the call weekend of November 14th - 16th. Please note this information will only be shared with those who attend in person and is not to be photographed, replicated, or shared electronically or otherwise with persons outside the FAB faith community.



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Worship God wholeheartedly. Love one another unconditionally. Help people meet Jesus. Help each other become more like Jesus. Love our hurting world.

Wednesday Programming

November 5 & 12: Group Studies w/ Abigail Duffield

Please contact the office by noon on Monday to make or cancel a reservation for that week.

Dinner: 5:30 | Group Studies: 6:15 | Choir Rehearsal: 7:15





Upcoming Pulpit Schedule

November 2 & 9

Rev. Dr. Jana Stoner

November 16 & 23

Rev. Dr. Guy Sayles

November 30

Rev. Ron Stoner





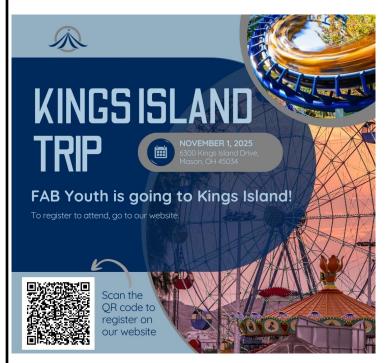
BLOOD PRESSURE CHECK

NOVEMBER 2, 12PM FRIENDSHIP CLASSROOM

COME BACK FOR YOUR SCREENING EVERY MONTH ON THE FIRST SUNDAY!











VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO MAKE SAUCE!

RECIPE & PANS PROVIDED.

CONTACT MYCAH PEMBERTON OR A MEMBER OF THE YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT COMMISSION IF YOU'D LIKE TO VOLUNTEER.







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Wednesdays at 6:00 pm

LIFE AMONG THE COLUMNS

CALENDAR | Nov 2-8

Sunday, November 2

9:30 Sunday Morning Bible Studies (FH)

10:45 Worship & Live Stream

12:00 Blood Pressure Check (Friendship)

4:00 Prayer Shawl Ministry (Parlor)

Monday, November 3

9:00 Staff Meeting

Wednesday, November 5

5:30 Dinner

Chicken casserole, mixed veggies,

salad, dessert

6:15 Group Studies w/ Abigail Duffield (Jonah)

Cornerstone Rehearsal

7:15 Choir Rehearsal

Ministry Action Budget: October 26, 2025

Envelopes	11,765.96
Online .	1,615.00
Total	13,380.96
Given To Date	675,443.48
MAB Expenses To Date	761,346.40
Overage/(Shortage)	(85,902.92)

Designated Funds

Total Designated Funds 0.00
Designated Gifts To Date 7,800.20

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS!

Nov

- **2** Carol Ashworth, Peggy Wilmink
- 3 Lillie Hall, Mary Lou Williams, Ellen Sizemore
- 4 Carol Miller, Holly Sauvageot, Clarissa Mills
- 5 Cheryl McCallister
- **6** Caroline Faucette
- 7 Steven Turner



PRAYER CONCERNS

Doris Andrews
Gay Bird
Christy Bird
Judy Booth
Nell Brumfield
Juanita Call
John Chapman
Sandy Collins, sister of Bud
Harbour
Felix Daniels
Penny Daniels
Bill Denman
Carolyn Dickens

Natalie Swann Dodge, great niece of Jack Lively

David Elmore

Beverly Gaskin, friend of Gerry

Smith

Anne Jameson, niece of Mary

Madsen Janet Jarrell Opal Jones David Justice Linda Lawrence Mary Lee Leslie

Julie Lively, daughter of Jack & Jackie Lively Kim Lively-Smith, daughter of Jack & Jackie

Lively

Suzanne Nieman, friend of Jerrie Hussell Cindy Perry, niece of Mary Madsen Steve Perry, nephew of Mary Madsen

Jeanine Price Bill Ransbottom Allen Reasons

Justin Reynolds, nephew of Janet Jarrell Larry Shannon, friend of Janet Jarrell Ryan Sharp, nephew of Jackie Ballard &

cousin of Scott Ballard Patti & Mike Shaver Sr.

Barbara Sheils

Jack, Becky & Haley Stephenson, friends of Martha Hagan

If you or someone you have added to the Columns Prayer list can be removed, please call or email the church office.



VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO ASSEMBLE FOOD BASKETS IN DECEMBER! PLEASE CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP.

FAB will be conducting its annual Food Basket Mission Project on December 11th, 12th & 13th. We'll be picking up the food on Thursday the 11th and begin packing boxes for families in need. We'll need lots of physical help in completing this task. We also want to encourage continued monetary donations as each family receives approximately \$200 in food items and a nice gift card. When making out your check please note in the memo that the money is to be used for the FAB Food Basket Mission. If you know of a family that could use some assistance during the holidays, please call the FAB office and submit names to Kyle Hughes or Scott Ballard. This year, we plan to provide baskets for 75 families. Thank you for making this annual project as successful as it always has been. We appreciate you and your continued help and stewardship.