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 E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Children: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Best Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

- First-time guest
- Second-time guest
- Regular attender
- College student

I heard about Fifth... check all that apply:  
 From a friend/family

- Online/Social Media
- Walk-In
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

Ages: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Apt. \_\_\_\_\_  
 State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cell  Home

This is updated contact information.

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## Order of Worship

Gathering Time Randy Wolthuis

Declaration of Trust & God's Greeting

\*Rejoice! The Lord is King! Hymnal #262, v.1-3

\*Call to Worship from Psalm 47

\*How Great is Our God (Christ Tomlin, et al)

\*Let Your Kingdom Come (Sovereign Grace)

Prayers of Confession Leah Meyer

Assurance & Sharing Christ's Peace Sam Eldersveld

*(Kids, K-5th grade, are invited to Fifth Kids Worship)*

Prayers of the People Sam Eldersveld

Offering: Randy Wolthuis

Message: "The King and His Kingdom" Jon Sherrill

Scripture: John 18:33-40 Leah Meyer

Our Response

\*What a Beautiful Name/Agnus Dei (arr. Travis Cottrell)

\*Benediction

Postlude

\*You are invited to stand, if you are able

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 Guest Wi-Fi Password: welcome2fifth



# Fifth

REFORMED CHURCH

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Growing disciples who make disciples

November 19, 2023

## WELCOME

Every journey begins with the first step, and we are thankful you have chosen the step of coming to Fifth Church. We are a community of faith, centered on the resurrection of Jesus and the new life God offers us in Christ.

We are a multi-generational community, and we celebrate that fact. No matter where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here. If you believe in God some of the time, none of the time or all of the time, you are welcome here. If your skin is brown, black, white or any other color, you are welcome here. If you are married or single, rich or poor, happy or sad... you are welcome here.

We invite you to join us in becoming followers of Jesus – learning to live and lead like Jesus. And when you feel ready, take the next step of getting connected.

~ Pastor Jon Sherrill

## Getting Connected

When you complete a Connection Card either the physical version attached here, or the digital version through our church app, someone from the church will contact you to welcome you and begin a conversation about any questions you might have.

## Download our Church App

Text FIFTHRC APP to 833-573-9005 and you will receive a text response. Click the link in that response to access the app. Or search "Fifth Church" in the Play Store (Android) or App Store (iOS).

## TODAY

During our Colossians series we saw the "overlap of the ages" in the sense that God's kingdom has come but not yet fully come; the age to come has begun, and the current age continues. Followers of Jesus are called to live in this in-between time. The final Sunday of the church year is called Christ the King Sunday. Christians celebrate Jesus as King and remember Jesus is coming again to bring God's kingdom to earth fully and to reign forever. Today we focus on Jesus as our King.

### Thanksgiving Celebration Worship | 6PM

Come this evening to give God thanks and hear testimonies of God's faithfulness and work in people's lives. Also choir and dance! Pie & Cider fellowship follows. *Childcare available - age 3.*

### Early Childhood | Infant - Age 3

Please register at the check-in desk before worship. Children go to Room 101 by 10AM.

### Preschool | 3—Pre-K

Please register at the check-in desk before 10AM. Children go to Room 102 by 10AM. Please pick up your children immediately following worship.

### Fifth Kids | Kindergarten - 5th Grade

Children, K-5th grade, begin worship in the Sanctuary this morning. From there, they are invited to Fifth Kids. K-3rd graders meet in Rm. 201; 4-5th, Rm 103.

### Sunday Seminar | 11:20AM | Comm. Rm. 2

Topic: Portrait of a Disciple, Passionate Spirituality.

### King's Kids Musical Rehearsal | 11:20AM

Meet in Room 103

### Student Ministries

Tonight is the Student Ministry's Friendsgiving Meal from 4:30-5:45PM in room 201. All students and leaders are welcome and encouraged to bring a friend! Stay for the Thanksgiving Celebration Worship after.

## NEWS & UPDATES

**Elizabeth/Ruth Circle** | Nov. 21 | 9:30AM

**NO Wednesday Night Activities** this week.

Wednesday meals resume Nov. 29.

### Thanksgiving Day Worship | 10AM

*Childcare available—age 3.*

### Thanksgiving Special Offerings

The Thanksgiving Offering this year will support both the Benevolence Fund of Fifth Church (for those with specific emergencies or needs in our church or community) and Dr. B D\*J\*ng, an RCA missionary who has recently begun partnering with a Madagascar prison ministry. You have the opportunity to support both of these ministries by giving cash or a check at the 11/19 or 11/23 worship services or at [www.fifthrc.org](http://www.fifthrc.org).

### Advent and Christmas Decorating

Nov. 28 - Dec. 1, helpers needed to decorate our church for the Advent and Christmas season. Use Connection Card or contact Janna Lange!

### The Church Office will be closed

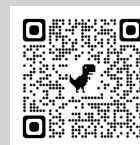
Thursday, Nov. 23, and Friday, Nov. 24.

### Women's Ministry Advent Service

Dec. 2, 9:30-11AM. A time for preparing our hearts for the coming Savior through song, prayer, and listening to our guest speaker.

### Family Promise @ Fifth | Dec. 3-10

As you celebrate Thanksgiving this week, remember to give thanks for the home you are gathered in! This is a difficult time



of year to be without a stable home. Local families will be arriving at our church on Dec. 3 to receive shelter, meals, and hospitality. Many opportunities to volunteer are available. One of our coordinators will be in the Lobby after the worship today near the banner if you have questions or need help accessing the Family Promise Sign Up.

## CONNECTION CARD

Please give your name on the reverse side and place in the offering basket.

- I could **help decorate** for the Christmas season the week of Nov. 27.
- I am interested in singing in **Christmas Eve Choir**, 5PM worship. (Grade 6-adult)
- I would like to receive **Fifth's eNews** at this email address:

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## PRAYER REQUESTS

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- Share with Prayer Team Only
- Share with Whole Congregation

### Ministry Staff:

Jon Sherrill, Lead Pastor  
Brian Telzerow, Pastor of Congregational Life  
Janna Lange, Worship Arts Director  
Sam Eldersveld, Student Ministries Pastor  
Lindsey Lugo, Children's Ministries Director  
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