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E-mail: _____
Children: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
Best Contact Phone: _____

☐ This is updated contact information.

☐ First-time guest
☐ Second-time guest
☐ Regular attendee
☐ College student

I heard about Fifth... check all that apply:

☐ From a friend/family

☐ Online/Social Media
☐ Walk-In

Ages: _____
Apt. _____
State: _____ Zip: _____
☐ Cell ☐ Home

Order of Worship

Prelude Randy Wolthuis

Gathering Song: *Come Thou Fount of Ev'ry Blessing*

**Jesus Shall Reign* Hymnal #745

**Forever Reign* (Hillsong Worship)

Prayers of Lament Janna Lange

Song of Lament: *How Long?* (The Porter's Gate)

Prayer Response: *Christ Our Wisdom* (Sovereign Grace)

Sharing Christ's Peace

Offertory Randy Wolthuis

Message: "Learning from God" Jon Sherrill

Final in Series: Beginning of Wisdom

Scripture: Job 38:1-13; 40:1-5; 42:1-6

**Goodness of God* (Bethel Music)

Celebration at the Lord's Table

All who trust Jesus as their Savior are welcome at the Table.
Children are invited, at their parents' discretion.

Know You are Loved (Wendell Kimbrough)

*Benediction & Sending

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

**You are invited to stay for the Annual Picnic.
3 Food Stations and 2 drink stations.
Enjoy and connect with someone new!**

Website: www.fifthchurch.org
Guest Wi-Fi Password: [welcome2fifth](#)



Fifth
REFORMED CHURCH
— EST. 1886 —

September 6, 2026
Ordinary Time | Week 23

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 Center App

To get started with the app on your mobile device: Download it from the App Store, or Get It On Google Play. Once installed, open the app and search for “Fifth Reformed Church.” If you’re using a computer, simply visit: Church Center Online. All of these options are available on the homepage of the church website.

TODAY

We conclude our sermon series: The *Beginning of Wisdom*, looking at the book of Job.

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 worship. Children go to Room 102 by 10AM. Please pick up your children immediately following worship.

Children at the Lord's Table

As we celebrate communion today, the pastors and elders at Fifth welcome children to The Lord's Table at their parents' discretion.

All-Church Kick-Off Picnic | TODAY

Remain after morning worship and gather with new and old friends at the annual picnic meal. (GF and DF options at the counter in the Corridor)

School Year Sundays - begins Sept. 13

Fifth Kids Worship (AM) Young 5's - 5th Grade

Student Ministries (PM)

Middle School | 5:00-6:15PM
Meal for all students | 6:15-6:45PM
High School | 6:45-8:00PM

SAVE THE DATE

Women's Ministry Kick-off Event | Sept. 13 | 2-4PM
Dance Rehearsals | Sept. 13, 20, 27 | 4-5PM
Men's Retreat | Sept. 18, 19 | Camp Geneva, Holland
Emotionally Healthy Spirituality Course | Sept. 20
Women's Ministry Book Club Mtg. | Sept. 24 | 7PM

The **office will be closed** September 7 for Labor Day.

NEWS & UPDATES

Wednesdays @ Fifth Sept. 9

King's' Kids Choir Musical Rehearsal 5PM
Free Community Meal 5:30PM (earlier start time!)
GEMS / K-Quest (girls & boys) 6:20PM
Bible Study 6:30PM
Celebration Choir 6:30PM (Worship Arts Office)

Mom's Time Out Kick Off! | Sept. 8 | 9:15-11:15AM

A time for moms to be in the Word and grow in community. Tuesdays. (Childcare provided)

Women's Morning Bible Study | Sep 15 | 9:30AM

All women are welcome to join in a study of Ecclesiastes. (Childcare provided) Contact Kara Paetschow.

Elizabeth/Ruth Circle | Sept. 15 | 9:30AM

Come explore the Lord's Prayer on the third Tuesday of each month. All are invited. Contact Marsha Dodd with questions.

Women's Evening Bible Study | Sept. 15 | 6:45PM

Explore Romans and what it means to live by faith. Read, listen, and go deeper together. Bring a Bible and notebook. All are welcome! Interested? Contact Holli Leegwater.

Men's Retreat | Sept. 18-19

All men are invited to an overnight retreat at Camp Geneva. Cost \$85 per person. Contact Pastor Sam with questions and to register- seldersveld@fifthrc.org.

Emotionally Healthy Spirituality Course

Join us as we work through Peter Scazzero's Emotionally Healthy Spirituality course this fall! Scan this QR code for more information and to register online. You can also register on this week's Connection Card. The course materials cost \$30, but we never want finances to be a barrier, so if you would be interested in receiving assistance or have any additional questions please reach out to Noah at nprins@fifthrc.org! Class begins Sept. 20.



CONNECTION CARD

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

- ☐ I am signing up for the **Emotionally Healthy Spirituality Course**.
- ☐ I am interested in joining a **Community Group**.
- ☐ I am interested in joining a **Breaking Bread Group**.
- ☐ I **sing or play a musical instrument** and would like to talk about playing at Fifth.
- ☐ I would like to receive **Fifth's eNews** at this email address:

PRAYER REQUESTS

- ☐ Share with Prayer Team Only
 - ☐ Share with Whole Congregation
- *To request prayers directly, please email prayer@fifthrc.org

Ministry Staff:
Sam Eldersveld, Community Life Pastor
Paul Kortenhoven, Senior Adult Ministries
Janna Lange, Worship Arts Director
Nathan Longfield, Woodland Drive-In Pastor
Lindsey Lugo, Children's Ministries Director
Noah Prins, Next Gen Director
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