Welcome

☐ 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

Connect

Name: _____

Email: _____

Children (ages): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ ☐ Cell ☐ Home

☐ This is updated contact informatin.

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Order of Worship

Prelude	Randy Wolthuis
*Come, Christians, Join to Sing	Hymnal #108
*I Sing the Mighty Power of God	Hymnal #52
*Sharing Christ's Peace	Jon Sherrill
Offering	Randy Wolthuis
"The Old Testament: Fast Forward"	King's Kids & Friends
Reflection	Jon Sherrill
*Benediction	
**My Friends May You Grow In Grace*	(Greg Scheer)
Postlude	

*You are invited to stand, if you are able

(King's Kids Choir resumes Wednesday, Jan. 13,
from 5:15-6:00 PM. Kids, 1st - 6th grade,
will learn songs to help lead worship
approximately every 4-6 weeks on Sunday mornings.)

Website: www.fifthchurch.org Guest
Wi-Fi Password: welcome2fifth

THE OLD TESTAMENT FAST FORWARD

Words by TOM S. LONG Music by ALLEN POTE

The Old Testament is really a library or books---
law, history, poetry, wisdom, and prophecy---
written in two languages by dozens of inspired authors.
Viewed through Christian eyes, the story it tells begins with creation
and moves through human sin and God's great plan of redemption---
a plan that included 2000 years preparing the Hebrew people for a coming Savior.
Today the kids present to you the Old Testament in 10 Minutes!

KING'S KIDS CHOIR (& Friends) CAST
(in order of appearance)

Eloise Slagter (Stage Manager)
Lucas Kleinjan (Narrator)
Aaron Poosawtsee (Narrator)
Ava Kleinjan (Eve)
Vivian Slagter (Serpent)
Hudson Evans (Adam)
Mr. Brian Atkinson (God voice)
Lydia Ahiome (Noah's Wife)
Luke Clausen (Noah, Barak)
Maisie Slagter (Miriam)
Edith Clausen (Moses, Shem)
Evelyn LaFave (Deborah, Japeth)
Paul Wassink (Abraham, Benjamin)
Claire Parks (Sarah)
Ms. Allison Poosawtsee (Photographer)
Jade Rozelle (Rebecca, Potifar's Wife)
Jillaine Paetschow (Cast)

Zion Rozelle (Potifer, Jonathan)
James Natelborg (Joseph, Saul)
Mr. Greg Wilkins (Hairy Ishmaelite)
Lauren Paetschow (Pharoah)
Maisie Slagter (Miriam)
Priscilla Vanderput (Cast)
Alice Lee (Gideon)
Maxwell Evans (Samson)
Tilly Degner (Delilah)
Isabella Lee (Samuel)
Nadine Ahiome (Cast)
Avery Wilson (Cast)
Nadya Poosawtsee (David)
Elsie Vanderput (Nathan)
Mr. Jason DeJong (Goliath)
Pastor Jon, Pastor Sam & Mr. Noah Prins
(The Minor Prophets)

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Accompanist: MS. JENNIE (Gavin)
Assistant: MS. ALLISON (Poosawtsee)
Tech. Assistants: MR. MARK (Vogel), MR. JOHN (Leegwater)
Prop Help: MR. GREG (Wilkins), MS. ANN (Mesler)
Costume & Office Help: MS. KARA (Paetschow) & MS. JILL (Kuiper)
Director: MS. JANNA (Lange)

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

Get 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

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.

Fifth Kids | Y5's - 5th Grade
Children in Sanctuary for worship this morning.

Emotionally Healthy Spirituality Course
After worship in Community Room 2.

Liturgical Dance Rehearsal
Today 5-6PM

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

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE
Monday Nov. 16
Women's Night Out @ Russ' | 6:30PM
Tuesday Nov. 17
Men's Bible Study | 9AM
Mom's Time Out | 9:15-11:15AM
Women's Morning Bible Study | 9:30AM
Elizabeth/Ruth Circle | 9:30AM
Wednesday Nov. 18
King's' Kids Choir Rehearsal | 5PM
Free Community Meal | 5:30 - 6:30PM
GEMS / K-Quest (girls & boys 1st-6th) | 6:20PM
Bible Study on the book of Mark | 6:30PM (CR3)
Thanksgiving Celebration Choir Rehearsal | 6:30PM

News & Upates

Women's Night Out | Nov. 16 | 6:30PM
Meet at the 28th St. Russ' on Nov. 16 at 6:30PM. Women of all ages are welcome! Contact the office if you have questions, otherwise just show up!

Thanksgiving Week Worship
There are 2 worship opportunities:
1) Sunday | Nov. 22 | 6PM
An informal service of song, choir, testimonies and media, followed by a fellowship time with pie/dessert.
2) Thanksgiving morning | Nov. 26 | 10AM
A traditional service with a short message, hymns of thanksgiving, open sharing & the reading of Abraham Lincoln's Thanksgiving Proclamation.
(childcare provided through age 3, both services)

Thanksgiving Offering
Our Thanksgiving Offering this year will be used for the Benevolence Fund (urgent financial needs for the Fifth community) and The Van Church Network (planting their fourth church in Eastern Turkey).

Christmas & Advent Decorating
Help is needed to decorate our church on Nov. 23, 24, & 27 for the Advent and Christmas season. See Conn. Card.

Celebration Choir - Advent/Christmas Eve
You are invited to join the Celebration Choir for Advent &/or Christmas Eve. 2 opportunities: (1st-6th grade)(7th grade-Adult) Rehearsals Wednesdays, 6:30PM beginning Dec. 2. See the Connection Card.

SAVE THE DATE

Thanksgiving Celebration Worship | Nov. 22 | 6PM
Thanksgiving Day Worship | Nov. 26 | 10AM
Women's Ministry Advent Gathering | Dec. 5 | 9:30AM
Christmas Eve Worship | Dec. 24 | 5PM

Connection Card

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

- ☐ I/we can help **decorate the church** building for Advent/Christmas.
- ☐ I can bring a **pie/dessert** for the Thanksgiving Celebration fellowship time on Nov. 22. Bring AM if possible.
- ☐ I/We can help **serve** at the Thanksgiving Celebration fellowship.
- ☐ I am interested in singing in the **Advent/Christmas Eve Choir.**
- ☐ 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

*To request prayers directly, please email prayer@fifthrc.org

Ministry Staff
Jon Sherrill | Lead Pastor
Janna Lange | Worship Arts Director
Sam Eldersveld | Community Life Pastor
Lindsey Lugo | Children's Ministries Director
Noah Prins | Next Gen Director
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