

## Forest Hill Church

## The Tower

November 2012

Dear Friends,

At 5:00 am on Saturday, October 13, 34 members and friends of Forest Hill Church climbed on board a charter bus and off we went on our "Pilgrimage to Washington D.C." The use of the word pilgrimage was intentional. A pilgrimage is not a tour, and is not a retreat. A pilgrimage is a spiritual journey where all the senses are opened to receive whatever God has in store. The pilgrimage was a vision that arose from the Courageous Conversation on Race held in the summer of 2011. The vision was to gather a racially integrated group and journey to places that agitate us to a broader understanding of American History, particularly the history of Americans of African heritage.

*From the  
Pastor*

We arrived in Washington on a glorious autumn day. Our first stop was Ben's Chili Bowl, an establishment located on U Street. During the riots in DC after the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. the U-street section of Washington was ablaze with fires. 50 years later U-street is a thriving community. Ben's Chili Bowl welcomes one and all and has seen the likes of Bill Cosby, French President Nicolas Sarkozy, and President Obama eat a chili-smothered half-smoke at the counter!

We walked over to the new African-American Civil War Museum. There we heard the curator tell us a narrative that few of us knew – that black American made up 25% of the United States Navy and that African-American troops defeated Confederate troops and then entered and occupied Richmond, Virginia.

We stood in front of the statue of Mary Bethune, a woman who dedicated her life to education of black children.

Then it was on to the Smithsonian Institute Museum of American History where we saw the new exhibit about the slave culture at Thomas Jefferson's Monticello. We also saw the actual counter and the four stools from the Woolworth's in Greensboro where the first sit-in to integrate the lunch counters took place.

On Sunday we worshiped on the steps of the Lincoln Memorial and stood where Dr. King proclaimed "Free at last, free at last. Thank God Almighty, we're free at last," in 1963. We sang "We Shall Overcome." Some other tourists were attracted and sang with us. We visited the new Martin Luther King, Jr. monument.

It was a magnificent trip organized by Barb Cloud and Anne Smith. The fellowship was profound and joyful, the conversations rich and honest. Truly the "spirit of the Lord was in this place!" We all came back inspired to press on towards the prize of becoming ever more the beloved community of intentional racial diversity and inclusion. There will be other opportunities for you to get involved.

Faithfully yours,



John C. Lentz  
Senior Pastor

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### **CONVERGE!**

Last summer, I had a vision. It was a little crazy, tons of work, but had the potential to be transformative.

- What if local churches worked together to provide our teenagers with a unique worship experience?
- What if we combined our resources to do something extraordinary that we couldn't do alone, as separate churches?

These questions plagued me for weeks until I developed a plan of action to make the vision a reality. After months of work and planning, Converge launched in November of 2011.

Converge is a modern worship service which meets monthly on the second Sunday of every month. Our target audience is teenagers, but all are welcome. Youth groups from churches of many different denominations, including Methodist, Presbyterian, Lutheran, and Baptist attend Converge. Each month we have a different speaker, theme, and offering. The music is loud, the energy is high, and the message is relevant to the lives of our youth.

One of my favorite aspects of Converge is the offering. The leaders of Converge believe the offering is an important part of worship. But we also know asking teenagers for money isn't the best strategy. Instead, we collect a specific item every month to meet a need in the community. Last December, we collected stuffed animals which were donated to Cleveland Christian Home. In September, we collected school supplies for Boulevard School to supplement FHC's collection. Last month, we collected blankets to be distributed to the homeless through the Labre Project. The offering is a simple way for us to be the hands and feet of Jesus in the world.

November marks our one year anniversary and I couldn't be more excited about Converge after one year of this ministry. The energy and enthusiasm is growing each month. In September, we kicked off the fall with 90 people in attendance. In October, a generous donation allowed us to bring in hip hop act Lon Jordan and DeeJay Doc who specialize in speaking to teens. We had the best turnout yet with over 175 people at Converge.

But the most exciting aspect of Converge isn't the growth in attendance, the music, or the offering. It's God. After every Converge service I leave the building filled up with the spirit of God. God is present and moving at Converge. In October, we witnessed three professions of faith from young people. Lives are being transformed.

The next Converge service is Sunday, November 11 at 7 pm at First Baptist Church (3630 Fairmount Road). Our theme is gratefulness and our speaker is Pastor Jason Hockran from Andover UMC. We will be collecting canned food items for the offering and celebrating communion together. If you haven't been to Converge yet, here's your official invitation. I hope to see you there.

Kristen Otte

Dear friends,

Faith Leader is off and running! Three weeks down, 25 to go! Ten adults have embarked on the seventh year of the Faith Leader program offered by FHC. Participating in the program for 2012-13 are **Doris Allen, Pam Conover, Consuelo Heineman, Patricia Holloway, Kemp Jaycox, Gary Sampson, and Sandy Schultz. Todd Webster and Jeannine Gury** are the co-facilitators. I have the privilege of also participating each year in the group, and am blessed to give witness to the transformative power of the journey for each member.

*From the  
Clover Patch*

The program includes an opening weekend. For two days, we explore the theological and biblical concepts regarding spiritual gifts. Spiritual gifts are the God-given, Spirit-endowed gifts and skills that an individual outwardly expresses in his or her daily life. For example, do you ever get so caught up in something you love to the extent that you lose track of time? Do you get into a “zone” and forget the world around you? What do you love to do that comes naturally for you – that you are good at – and that others recognize in you? Your answers most likely point to your spiritual gifts.

Trusting that God has gifted each of us differently, we can be assured that God wants us to love what we do. God wants us to use our gifts for the building up of the body of Christ, as well as serving the world. But God doesn't want our service to be something we dread. The key to the theology of spiritual giftedness is that if we are using our God-given gifts, we will be energized, not enervated, by our activity.

The FHC Nominating Committee, led by Elder Joanne Shaner, has worked diligently identifying, discerning, and inviting individuals into elected positions of leadership rooted in our belief in every person's giftedness. The committee has been commissioned to elect officers to serve in positions that suit their spiritual gifts. When a person is well-matched to an office that expresses his or her God-given passion, he or she is likely to love what she or he is doing, show up to meetings, and less likely to burn out.

If you are interested in exploring what are your spiritual gifts, let me or the Ministry of Leadership and Vocation (chaired by Elder Laurie Muller-Girard) know. We would be happy to discuss this with you in order to help you uncover and claim your God-given gifts. All the gifts are essential for building up the Body of Christ, said the Apostle Paul in the 12<sup>th</sup> chapter of First Corinthians. Every part works for the benefit of the whole.

Blessings be,

*Clover*

Clover Reuter Beal  
Associate Pastor  
Director of Lay Ministries

### Children Ministries

Thank you to all the teachers, shepherds, leaders, and helpers who shared their faith and time in our church school programs. The children continued to be involved in their classrooms as they explored our faith in October with lessons and stories of Creation, Noah and Moses, and King David.

- In our nursery, thank you to Danielle Cosgrove, Julie Robie, Diane Moyer and Kathryn Himmelsteib.
- In our *Little Explorers* class, thank you to Susanne & Laura Peterjohn.
- In our *Children in Worship* class, thank you to Jen Fu and mid high youth.
- In our *Pathways to the Promise Land*, thank you to Carol Leslie, Kara Schellenberg, Matt and Sarah Winters, Christina Hidek, and David Peterjohn.

### Children's Ministry

#### Little Explorers    Three and Four year olds

Lara Troyer & Jeff Dyck will lead this class in November. The children will explore the story of Moses after the Exodus from Miriam's viewpoint. They will participate in activities that will also explore how God's people say thank you. Be sure to ask your pre-schoolers about their church school lessons. It's a great way to reinforce the Bible lesson and story.

### Children in Worship Older four year olds and kindergarten

Deanne Lentz will be teaching this class in November. The children in this age group are asked to respond to the stories they've heard through "I Wonder" questions. There is also a craft response to help them better understand the story. This month the children will hear stories about Jacob and Moses; they will also explore how the church tells time.

### Pathways to the Promise Land Grades 1-5

The next rotation theme centers on *Joseph in Egypt*. The people of the covenant hold fast to their identity as the descendants of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob while living in Egypt. This is a transition story of a single family becoming the Twelve Tribes of Israel. The children will explore this story through games, computer and creative storytelling in learning the twelve tribes of Israel.

### Dates to Know

#### November 4 KISS – Kids in Sunday Service

Children attend worship to celebrate the Lord's Supper with their families.

#### November 4 Cherub Choir meets at 10:00 in Room 208

#### November 11 Gathering Time

Children will meet in the chapel at 11:00, and then be dismissed to their workshops with their shepherds.

#### November 18 & 25

Children will begin in Worship, and then be dismissed to their workshops.

#### November 18 Cherub Choir meets at 10:00 in Room 208

#### December 2 Advent Workshop

This annual intergenerational event begins after worship with lunch prepared by youth groups. Then join the fun in Youth Hall to create some Advent and Christmas decorations. Be sure to mark your calendars for this fun and creative time for the whole family.

Faithfully,

Liz

Liz Wollaeger  
Director of Christian Education



November starts with the end of Daylight Saving Time on the first Sunday, November 4, so I hope the congregation and choirs will enjoy the extra hour of sleep!

I'm grateful for several gifts to the Friends of Music Fund that were designated for anthems purchased for the Chancel Choir. Jean Reinhold's generous gift bought *Spheres* (from *Sunrise Mass*) by Norwegian composer Ola Gjeilo. It's a difficult piece to learn because there are so many divided parts, but the choir is working diligently and we hope we will be ready to sing this inspiring anthem in mid-November. Jeanette and Bob Nemcek's gift bought a rollicking gospel tune (*Let Everything That Hath Breath*), a Latin motet (*Beati Quorum Via*) and a contemporary setting of *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing*. Thank you all!

The Friends of Music fund is used to hire guest instrumentalists, dancers, and artists that enhance our services of music. It also is used to augment our music purchase funds, since the price of sheet music is skyrocketing. All donations are heartily and thankfully accepted! ☺

Our Descant Choir will sing the charming *Scottish Penny Song* on November 4, and the children will be collecting pennies to donate to the FHC Food Cupboard. Kindly start saving up your unwanted pennies in preparation for throwing them gleefully into the children's baskets.



Our third **AWE** service will be held on Sunday, November 18 and will feature *Friends of the Groom*, a Christian drama group from Cincinnati. I have collaborated with them for two years at the Montreat Music and Worship Conferences, and I think they make a profound impact on the worship experience as they use the dramatic arts in innovative and often humorous ways. There will be a workshop the day before, Saturday, November 17, from 3:00 to 5:30 pm (refreshments served mid-way). All ages are welcome, and

interested persons may participate with F.O.G. during Sunday worship. The Sine Nomine Choir will also have a session with them after worship on November 18. Not only are these consummate actors extraordinary in their own skills, but they know how to teach it to others. Please consider attending the workshop, and for sure come to worship! More information about *Friends of the Groom* can be found here:

<http://fog.homestead.com/index.html>

Soli Deo Gloria



Anne Wilson  
Organist/Director of Music  
annew@fhcpresb.org

### *Live Your Best Story Workshop*

Youth Director Kristen Otte will lead a second writing workshop, ***Live Your Best Story***. ***Live Your Best Story*** uses the elements of story and the 7 Point Story Structure to identify a new trajectory for your life. By the end of the workshop, participants have a detailed roadmap to live a meaningful story. All ages are welcome for this workshop, and attendance at the previous ***Discover the Story*** workshop is not needed for this workshop.

Join us November 7 at 7 pm. Drinks and desserts will be provided. RSVP to Kristen ([kristeno@fhcpresb.org](mailto:kristeno@fhcpresb.org)).

## FHC Youth News

### Sunday Morning Youth

Every Sunday morning our youth continue to meet from 9:30 to 10:30 am. The 6th and 7th grade class will finish off their series on "classic" Old Testament stories this November. Our 8th grade and up class will also conclude their study of the Gospel of John. Thanks to Emily Wolleager, Ron Schmidt, Elaine Turley, Ahren Stock and Leigh Henderson for teaching our young people this fall!

### 2013 Summer Youth Experiences

It's time to start planning for next summer! That may be a crazy thought, but the Forest Hill Youth Group already has two great trips planned. This is the time to start planning your summer!

#### Camp Aldersgate: June 23-28

This summer our youth will be returning to Camp Aldersgate with Mayfield Church after a successful first time partnership in 2012. I will be serving as a co-director for the week of camp with Pastor Bruce Becker, youth pastor at Mayfield Church. There will be over 60 youth gathered for a week of games, campfire, skits, swimming, bible study, small groups, quiet time with God, sports, music, worship and more! All youth in sixth grade through high school seniors are welcome to come and bring friends. The cost for the entire week is \$250 and scholarships are available. Sign-up for camp will begin in spring of 2013.

#### Senior High Mission Trip to Nicaragua: July 13-20

Our Senior Highs will spend a week in mission in Leon, Nicaragua this summer. The trip is open to current eighth graders through high school seniors and the participant cost is \$400.

**On Sunday November 18 from 5-7 pm** there will be an important meeting for youth and parents interested in the trip. **Any youth, parent or adult with an interest in going on this trip should be at this meeting!**



Kristen Otte  
Director of Youth Ministries



**ADVENT WORKSHOP**  
***Celebrate the season of Advent***  
***at Forest Hill Church's***

***annual Advent Workshop, December 2, 1 – 3 pm***

***Lunch prepared and served by our youth groups.***  
***Free will offering will support mission trips.***

***Come create a family Advent craft and Christmas***  
***decorations to celebrate the season.***

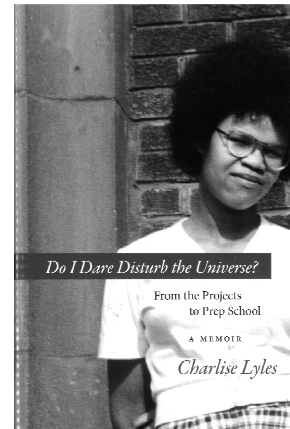


**Charlise Lyles, author of *Do I Dare Disturb the Universe?***  
**November 18, 12:15 pm.**  
**South Hall, Forest Hill Church**

Author Charlise Lyles will share her personal story of socioeconomic uplift, as well as her thoughts on what we as individuals can do to make a significant difference in the life of a child. After her talk, there will be an opportunity for questions and answers. Ms. Lyles will be available to autograph her book, which has just entered into a fourth printing and will be available for purchase at the event. Earlier editions are still available at local bookstores as well as digitally. Refreshments will be served. Everyone is invited and welcome.

Charlise Lyles was born in Cleveland in 1959, was among the first girls to enter Hawken School as a tenth grader when it became coed in 1974, and is a 1981 graduate of Smith College. She is a novelist and a poet. She has worked as a clerk to the New York Times chief White House correspondent, and as a reporter for two newspapers in Virginia and the Dayton Daily News. She was the recipient of three awards from the Ohio Society of Professional Journalists. She lives in Atlanta, Georgia, and visits Cleveland regularly to see family.

Here is a brief description of the book, ***Do I Dare Disturb the Universe:***  
***From the Projects to Prep School:***



*A memoir of race and education, this is the story of a girl who grew up and out of the Cleveland projects in the 1960s and '70s.*

*While growing up in Cleveland, young Charlise Lyles experienced turbulent events including race riots and a neighborhood murder. Yet she was inspired to appreciate literature at a young age, and she spent her days reading—and also often searching for the estranged father who taught her that love of learning.*

*Despite starting in the “slow class” at an aging school on Cleveland's east side, Lyles had a thirst for knowledge and drive for success that would open a door to new opportunities. Granted a scholarship to a prestigious prep school in a wealthy suburb, the vibrant teenager finds herself presented with a bewildering set of new challenges—and a new direction in life.*

from the publisher, Gray & Co.

For more information, please visit:

<http://www.grayco.com/cleveland/authors/lyles-charlise>

Annette Himes

### **Parents' Night Out**

The youth are hosting a Parents' Night Out on Saturday November 17 from 5:30 – 8:30 pm at the church. The youth group, under adult supervision, will babysit your children (ages 3 – 11) so you can have an evening out! November 17 is the first of a monthly series of Parents' Nights Out. We recommend a minimum donation of \$25 for the three hours of babysitting. All money raised goes towards our 2013 Mission Trip to Nicaragua.

RSVP to Kristen by Wednesday November 14 for the November 17 Night Out. Dinner and a walk, perhaps?

Kristen Otte

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### **Greetings from the Stewardship Ministry**

*“The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will reap bountifully. Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.”*

2 Corinthians 9:6-7

Hello again from the Stewardship ministry !

We hope you heard John's “Abundance of Apples” sermon on September 30, and also the brief comments offered by Kemp Jaycox, Grant Heineman, Dave Hunter and Diana Woodbridge during October, sharing their thoughts and experiences about how our pledge dollars are used to advance the work of God's kingdom. The responses to these events – both in terms of pledges and in terms of insightful comments and ideas coming from all of you – have been energizing. We believe the stewardship season is off to a very good start. We hope it will continue to prompt our individual and collective reflections on the dynamic relationship between our own resources, the church's needs and priorities, the needs of the world around us (both locally and beyond). Meanwhile, if you have not yet done so, we invite you to consider prayerfully the matter of your pledge and to send in your pledge card as soon as possible.

Finally, we would like to invite you all to a *Cornucopia Celebration* of Living and Giving in Abundance immediately following morning worship on November 11. We hope to see you there!

Yours faithfully,

The Ministry of Stewardship

Clayton Minder, Chair

Dele Solaru, Steve Sedam, Cindy Fink, Dale Dannefer

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Abundance Acres  
Sharing God's Bounty with Those in Need

The Abundance Acres Garden at Forest Hill Church was founded in 2009 by Laura Steiner, an Elder in the Justice and Mission Ministry. The current manager of the garden, Paul Jennings, and a whole team of volunteers are just now finishing the harvest for our fourth year. The size and harvest of the garden has grown from 750 sq ft with 225 lbs in 2009 up to 1540 sq ft with 925 lbs in 2012. We have been sharing God's bounty with those in need through our Abundance Food Pantry. The garden and pantry have a support network of about 30 people from the church including 12 gardeners on the tending teams for weeding, watering, and harvesting.

*Feel free to help yourself to  
any of the remaining  
flowers  
in the garden.*

The Abundance Acres Pantry now touches approximately 100 households per year. Each Monday, Barb Cloud and Paul Jennings begin distributing Abundance Acres produce, canned and dry goods from our congregation, day-old bread and baked goods from Heinen's (picked up by Nancy Bertram and Dene Young), and marked-down produce from Zagara's (picked up by Barb Cloud). Lynda Bernays serves those who arrive during the rest of the week. Some come fairly often and others come only once or twice. During our peak harvest times, we take surplus produce to the Heights Emergency Food Center so they can distribute to families in the 6 communities that they serve. The Food Center is always very glad to have some of our produce to add to the mostly canned and dry goods that they provide.

Lorraine Ranchod has recently launched a Micah Project to enhance our interaction with the Abundance Acres Pantry customers. Grace Uhle is leading a team that is establishing a regular monthly Monday Morning Meal that we can prepare and enjoy with our pantry guests. The Mid-Highs started this effort with their pancake breakfast during their summer Mission Week. The adults served a meal on October 1 and have another scheduled for Monday, October 29. Please contact Grace if you would like to help with any of the future meals ([gdu726@yahoo.com](mailto:gdu726@yahoo.com) or 216-514-0304). Lorraine and Charissa Peterson are also exploring the possibility of creating a cook

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book for our pantry guests with simple recipes for some of our common pantry items and other cost-efficient foods. Please contact Lorraine if you are interested in this effort.

As you can see, there are many ways to be involved with the garden and the pantry. As is often the case, those of us who are giving of our time and talents, receive much satisfaction in return. Come help us enjoy God's magic!

Please contact me if you want to volunteer to help with the garden (no experience necessary), make a donation to help support the costs of planting for next year, or donate to the food pantry or the Monday Morning Meal.

Paul Jennings    [jennings\\_paul@att.net](mailto:jennings_paul@att.net)

*News of Our Church Family*

**New Contact Information**

**Beth (Smith-Polderman) and Erik Zednik**

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**Julie Lafferty**

200 Fox Hollow Dr. #110, Mayfield Hts OH 44124

**New emails only**

Sally Davis: [ssaallyy@me.com](mailto:ssaallyy@me.com)

Cathy Ghaindoni: [Ghiandoni.c@gmail.com](mailto:Ghiandoni.c@gmail.com)

Rob Reynolds: [rdrtaylor@gmail.com](mailto:rdrtaylor@gmail.com)

**Please remember these homebound members in your prayers:**

Pat and Fran Drake, Betty Farnfield, Dorothy Hales, Elizabeth Kosnik, Emelia McGuire, Merdine T. Morris, Joyce Peters, Anne Taylor

**Please pray for those with ongoing prayer concerns:**

Marion Frederick (Jane Frederick's mother), Doug, Marcie and Lucy Harvey, Barbara Harvey, (Tom and Paula Harvey's family), Dennis Wedding (Jeannine Gury's brother)

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## Care Group

The Jerusalem CARE Group will be responsible for meeting members' needs during November. Please contact the church office in case of illness, hospitalizations, births or deaths (or other family emergencies) in any FHC family.

### Members of the Jerusalem CARE Group are:

Nancy Wyss, Deacon leader	Jim Manista
Erin & Bill Armstrong	Jane Melbourne
Doris Brandt	Pat & Hal Musick
Ruth & Arthur Brickel	Richard Obermanns
Lucy Conde	Karen Parker
Monita Franklin	Carol Scott
Chris & Daniel Fuller	Steve Sedam
Carol & Tim Gifford	Peggy Skelly
Brett & Annette Himes & family	Damos & Dele Solaru & family
Cindy Fink & Kemp Jaycox & family	Derry Stauffer &
Jack & Shelly Jesberger & family	Kathy Hanna-Stauffer
Matt & Jacquelyn Knoch	Marjorie Thomas
Robert & Julie Ann Yoe	Anne Wilson

## Ushers in November

Roger Heineman, Lead and Head Usher; Robyn Hales, Paula Harvey, Tom Harvey, Jason Hidek, Diane McFiggen, Tom McFiggen, Dick Peterjohn.

## Volunteer Hours in September

The office volunteers – Nancy Grube, Beth Zych, Jane Ishler, Cathy Ghiandoni, Anne Smith, Elspeth Peterjohn and Fran Thomas – worked a total of 54 1/2 hours in September. Special thanks to Peg Weissbrod who covered for me when I was away in mid-September. Thank you all!

*The memorial service for  
Marilyn Gifford  
will be held at FHC on  
Saturday, November 24 at 2:00 pm.  
A reception will follow.*

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## Social Groups and Circles

### The Group (singles and couples 60s – 70s)

“Concert of Music and Healing” at Severance Hall

Please join The Group on Sunday, Nov. 18 at 4:00 pm for “A Concert of Music and Healing” at Severance Hall. The group will also gather after the concert for dinner at Brennan’s Colony, 2299 Lee Road, Cleveland Heights.

All works, performed by the Suburban Symphony Orchestra, Choral Arts Cleveland, the choruses of Laurel and University School and outstanding soloists, highlight the conjunction of music and medicine. The concert is presented with the support of the University Hospitals Neurological Institute in partnership with the Alzheimer's Association Greater Cleveland Chapter and all of the performing organizations and soloists. All profits from this event will be disbursed locally for Alzheimer's treatment, therapy, and research. Tickets are required for this concert and can be obtained through the Severance Hall ticket office, 216-231-1111.

Email Anne Hunter ([anneshunter8@gmail.com](mailto:anneshunter8@gmail.com)) to make a dinner reservation and ask any questions you may have.

**November 18, Severance Hall, 4:00 pm**

### Pacesetters (singles and couples, 40s – 60s)

Join the Pacesetters at Cleveland Heights High School on November 3 for dinner at 6:00 pm, then stay and enjoy the Heights Vocal Music Department production of Phantom of the Opera. If you've already committed to tickets, we'll see you at the show. If you have not, please e-mail Robert Brock ([brockr@zin-tech.com](mailto:brockr@zin-tech.com)) and he will purchase tickets as a group. All proceeds will help defray the cost of the choir tour in the spring.

**November 3, Heights High, 3 pm**

### Hilltoppers (retired singles and couples): Phantom of the Opera

On Sunday, November 4, we'll go to Heights High for a production of their 2012 fall musical – Phantom of the Opera – at 4 pm. The cost is \$10 per ticket. RSVP to Dick Peterjohn, 216-991-0424, Lucy Conde, 216-382-5177 or Clyde Loughridge, 216-831-1759.

**November 4, Heights High, 4 pm**

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## Announcements! Announcements!

### All Church Bible Study: Romans

Small groups continue to meet on Sunday mornings at 9:30 am. Even if you are not registered for a group, please feel free to join in any Sunday!

All groups welcome new comers and visitors. The study will finish with a large group gathering November 25 in South Hall, 9:30 am.

### Interested in membership? Curious about FHC?

#### Exploring Membership Class

November 10, 9-12  
November 11, 9-10:30  
Contact the church office:  
**office@fhcpresb.org** or  
216-321-2660

### Faith Leader Alumni Gathering

at the Muller-Girards  
Shaker Heights

Saturday, November 10th  
7:00 pm

Bring a dessert and beverage to share.

RSVP: **multimg@wowway.com**

### TOWER deadlines:

November 16  
December 7  
(early because of the  
Christmas holidays)  
January 18

Emails and extensions for the staff:

- John Lentz, **pastorlentz@fhcpresb.org**, ext. 200
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- Liz Wollaeger (DCE), **lizw@fhcpresb.org**, ext. 206
- Kristen Otte (Youth), **kristeno@fhcpresb.org**, ext 207
- Becky Austin (financial): **beckya@fhcpresb.org**, ext. 203
- Lynda Bernays (office administrator), and all other email:  
**office@fhcpresb.org**, ext. 202

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Custodians' cell phone: 216-217-5257

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## Recognize the mosaic? Recognize the people?

Anne Taylor and Barb Lind created this as a gift to the church in 1987. Barb writes:

*Within the perimeters of an inspiring design, color specifications, time constraints, and the limitations presented by the use of bathroom tile, we overcame inexperience and doubts to create a piece of art which is our gift to Forest Hill Church.*

*Our joy in the creative process was as fulfilling as the actual completion of this mosaic.*

The mosaic portrays the (then) newly-designed symbol of the Presbyterian Church (USA).



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