

June 3–9, 2007

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# News and Opportunities

## NEWS AND RESOURCES

**After worship today, all are invited to greet Patrick Daymond**, who this week concludes his pastoral residency at Fourth Church. Patrick has been called to serve as Pastor at Sixth Grace Presbyterian Church in Chicago, where he will begin his responsibilities next Sunday, June 10. We extend our appreciation to Patrick for his time with us and wish him well in this next chapter in his ministry.

**The Chicago Avenue Community Garden** will be open for gardening during the following hours each week:

*Tuesday–Friday:* 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.

*Saturdays:* 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

For more information, pick up a brochure from the literature racks, contact Anne Ellis at the church at 312.573.3369 (aellis@fourthchurch.org), or visit [www.fourthchurch.org/mission.html](http://www.fourthchurch.org/mission.html).

**For those looking to learn more about Fourth Church or considering membership**, an Inquirers' Class will be held this Monday, June 4 at 6:30 p.m. in the Page Smith Room. For information about future times for this one-session class, see page 2 of the worship bulletin.

**Next Sunday Coffee Hour moves outdoors** to the Garth, weather permitting, for the summer.

## MISSION AND OUTREACH

**Applications for the September 7–14 trip to Northern Ireland are due June 4.** For details and an application form, pick up a brochure from the literature racks or visit [www.fourthchurch.org/mission.html](http://www.fourthchurch.org/mission.html).

**A Hunger Walk**, sponsored by the Greater Chicago Food Depository, will take place Saturday, June 16 at Montrose Harbor. All money raised by walkers registered through Fourth Church will directly support the Elam Davies Social Service Center, a program of Chicago Lights at Fourth Presbyterian Church. To sign up or sponsor a walker, stop by the Chicago Lights table during Coffee Hour or call David Murad at the church at 312.981.3569.

**Mission trip participants traveling to Cuba** depart this Thursday, June 7. They will return on Thursday, June 14. Please keep these travelers in your prayers as they participate in the worldwide mission and ministry of the church of Jesus Christ.

**The Lorene Replogle Counseling Center** is Fourth Church's response to the mental health needs of its congregation and community. It provides counseling, support groups, and seminars. For more information, visit [www.fourthchurch.org/lrcc.html](http://www.fourthchurch.org/lrcc.html) or call the Center at 312.787.8425.

**Chicago Lights at Fourth Presbyterian Church** brings under one banner the programs that continue the legacy of Fourth Church's service to its urban neighbors: the Center for Life and Learning, the Center for Whole Health, the Elam Davies Social Service Center, the Near North Magnet Cluster Schools, Summer Day, and Tutoring and Scholarship. For more information about these programs, visit [www.chicagolights.org](http://www.chicagolights.org).

## VOLUNTEERS AND DONATIONS

### *Volunteer Needs*

#### **Volunteers to operate sanctuary**

**audiovisual equipment** as needed on weekdays, Saturdays, and at occasional Vespers services

#### **Readers for Children's Story Time** during Coffee Hour following 9:30 worship

#### **Teachers and assistants for Summer Day**, a program of Chicago Lights, June 18 to July 27

#### **Leaders for Fourth Church youth programs and special activities**

#### **Music librarian for Fourth Church** on an occasional basis

### *Current Donation Needs*

#### **Men's casual summer clothes**, especially jeans and men's belts in large sizes

#### **Miniblinds** for a homeless shelter

#### **Cell phones and empty toner and ink cartridges** to benefit a nonprofit agency serving homeless and formerly homeless women

*For more information and a list of additional needs, stop by the Volunteer table during Coffee Hour or contact Larry Nicholson, Director of Volunteer Ministry, at the church at 312.981.3382 ([lnicholson@fourthchurch.org](mailto:lnicholson@fourthchurch.org)).*

## FELLOWSHIP

**The Gathering**, a fellowship opportunity for individuals in their twenties and thirties, meets today at 12:15 p.m. in the Randolph Room.

**"Books by Women"** will meet Tuesday, June 5 at 6:00 p.m. to discuss *The Glass Castle* by Jeannette Walls.

**The Fourth Church Men's Group** will meet next for breakfast on Saturday, June 9 at 8:00 a.m. in the Dining Room. Harry Vincent, former Navy officer and retired Vice Chairman of the Booz Allen and Hamilton management consulting firm, will join John Boyle in reflecting on World War II combat experiences. RSVP by 12:00 noon on June 8 by calling the church office at 312.787.4570.

## ENRICHMENT

### **Bible Study opportunities this week:**

*Noonday*, Wednesdays at 12:10 p.m.  
*Life and Learning*, Fridays at 10:00 a.m.

**The book of Genesis** will be the focus of the John Knox Bible Study for the next three weeks. Amy Pagliarella will lead the study today at 9:30 a.m. in the Page Smith Room.

**"Online Investing,"** one of the Center for Life and Learning's "for men only" minicourse offerings, continues this Monday, June 4 at 10:00 a.m. at Fourth Church. The third and final session will be held at a downtown investment office at 12:00 noon on June 12. For more information or to register, call the Center at 312.981.3386.

*News and Opportunities*, which is distributed during Sunday worship, is also available in the church literature racks and at [www.fourthchurch.org](http://www.fourthchurch.org).

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**The Center for Life and Learning (CLL) will offer an aquatics “Hydro-Fit” exercise minicourse** as a special opportunity for its members. This twice weekly, eight-week class begins June 4 and runs through July 27 at a downtown fitness club and is available for CLL members at a special reduced rate. Classes are offered from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. Monday through Friday and from 9:15 to 10:15 a.m. on Saturday. For more information, including registration details, call the Center at 312.981.3386.

## WORSHIP

**A Vespers Communion service** is held each Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. in the sanctuary.

**Special prayer requests** are included in intercessory prayer in Stone Chapel on Sundays. Individuals can leave their prayer requests written on paper in the boxes located outside Stone Chapel, at the Volunteer table during Coffee Hour, at the reception desk, and in the Narthex. They also can pray together with the Deacon who is in Stone Chapel after 11:00 worship.

**Morning prayer** is held each weekday at 9:00 a.m. in Stone Chapel.

**A prayer service in the style of Taizé** is held the fourth Friday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in Blair Chapel. The next service is Friday, June 22.

**Daily devotions**, written by Fourth Church staff, are available in the church literature racks and by e-mail from [devotions@fourthchurch.org](mailto:devotions@fourthchurch.org).

**For a preview of next Sunday’s worship**, subscribe to the weekly e-mail newsletter [News@FourthChurch](mailto:News@FourthChurch) by sending e-mail addresses to [news@fourthchurch.org](mailto:news@fourthchurch.org).

## CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND, FAMILY

**Sunday School** meets today at 9:30 a.m. in Westminster House.

**Children’s Story Time** takes place today in Anderson Hall during Coffee Hour following 9:30 worship.

**Several Fourth Church families** are spending this weekend at the Presbyterian Camps at Saugatuck, Michigan, for the annual Fourth Church Spring Family Camp. Please keep these families in your thoughts and prayers as they travel and spend time together in faith and fellowship.

**Senior Highs will hold a bake sale** next Sunday, June 10. All proceeds will benefit their summer work camp trip to Hazard, Kentucky.

## MUSIC AND THE ARTS

**Flutist Jennie Brown** will perform Friday’s free Noonday Concert at 12:10 p.m. in the sanctuary.

**“Highly Favored: Contemporary Images of the Virgin Mary,”** a traveling show from Christians in the Visual Arts, is on display in the Loggia through June 10.

## STEWARDSHIP

**Thank you to everyone who has already made a commitment** to the 2007 Stewardship Campaign. We have raised more than ever before, with \$3,116,341 from 1,320 households. If you have not yet completed your pledge card, please place it in the offering plate or mail it to the church. For more information, contact Lisa Radetski, Director of Giving Ministries, at the church at 312.981.3380 ([lradetski@fourthchurch.org](mailto:lradetski@fourthchurch.org)).

## CALENDAR FOR JUNE 3–9, 2007

<b>Sunday, June 3</b>		
7:50 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.	Nursery	Westminister 14
<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b> <b>John M. Buchanan preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
9:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour	Anderson Hall
<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b> <b>John M. Buchanan preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School	Westminster House
9:30 a.m.	John Knox Bible Study	Page Smith Room
10:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour and Children's Story Time	Anderson Hall
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b> <b>John M. Buchanan preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
12:00 p.m.	Coffee Hour	Anderson Hall
12:15 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer	Stone Chapel
12:15 p.m.	Church Tour	Sanctuary
12:15 p.m.	The Gathering	Randolph Room
4:00 p.m.	Social Service Center Sunday Night Supper	Dining Room
5:30 p.m.	Vespers Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
<b>6:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Vespers</b> <b>Martha Langford preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
7:30 p.m.	Coffee Reception	Anderson Hall
 <b>Monday, June 4</b>		
9:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer (Monday–Friday)	Stone Chapel
10:00 a.m.	“Online Investing” Minicourse	Page Smith Room
10:00 a.m.	“Hydro-Fit” Minicourse	<i>(see announcement)</i>
6:30 p.m.	Inquirers' Class	Page Smith Room
 <b>Tuesday, June 5</b>		
4:00 to 6:00 p.m.	Community Garden Hours (Tuesday–Friday)	Chicago Avenue Garden
6:00 p.m.	“Books by Women”	Large Conference Room
 <b>Wednesday, June 6</b>		
12:10 p.m.	Noonday Bible Study	Large Conference Room
 <b>Thursday, June 7</b>		
6:00 p.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
 <b>Friday, June 8</b>		
10:00 a.m.	Center for Life and Learning Bible Study	Page Smith Room
12:10 p.m.	Noonday Concert: Kristen Predl, flute	Sanctuary
 <b>Saturday, June 9</b>		
8:00 a.m.	Men's Group Breakfast	Dining Room
11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Community Garden Hours	Chicago Avenue Garden

### *Preaching on Sunday, June 10*

John M. Buchanan     8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m.  
6:30 p.m.

Parking is available Sundays at the John Hancock Center, 875 North Michigan Avenue (access Chestnut Street), at the rate of \$7.00 until 2:00 p.m. and at 900 North Michigan (access from Rush or Walton Street) at the rate of \$7.75 to 4:00 p.m. and \$6.00 after 5:00 p.m. Validation tickets must be picked up during Coffee Hour or from the Chestnut Street reception desk.