

April 1–7, 2012

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**FOURTH  
PRESBYTERIAN  
CHURCH**  
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# News and Opportunities

## HOLY WEEK AND EASTER

### Join Us for Worship on Easter Sunday, April 8

6:30 a.m.

Sunrise Service at Oak Street Beach  
*Hardy H. Kim preaching*

8:00, 9:30, 11:30 a.m.

Easter Service with Tower Brass  
*Calum I. MacLeod preaching*

9:30 a.m.

Children's Service in the Dining Room

4:00 p.m.

Easter Jazz Service  
*Adam H. Fronczek preaching*

During Holy Week, April 2–6, worship services will be held each day at 12:10 p.m. in the Sanctuary. **On Maundy Thursday and Good Friday**, there will also be services at 7:30 p.m.

**ThirtiesForties** meets today for a Lenten study at 12:45 p.m. at the 737 building.

An Easter Vigil will be held on Holy Saturday, April 7, beginning at 10:30 p.m.

## CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILY

The children's Palm Sunday procession will take place today at the beginning of 9:30 and 11:30 worship. Children will gather in their classrooms prior to each service; parents with infants and toddlers will meet in the Loggia at 9:15 and 11:15 a.m.

The nursery for young children is located in the Page Smith Room and Anderson Hall South Balcony.

Fourth Church youth are attending worship today at 11:30 a.m. Fourth Church Rising meets today at 11:30 a.m. at the 737 building.

All youth will meet today at 12:30 p.m. in Anderson Hall North Balcony to work on a group art project to be used during the evening Good Friday service.

**Photos of congregational life** are posted on Facebook. You'll also find there reflections on the daily readings that are part of our journey through the entire Bible and information about upcoming events. To be sure not to miss out on the latest at Fourth Church, "Like" Fourth Church on Facebook ([www.facebook.com/fourthchurch](http://www.facebook.com/fourthchurch) or scan the QR code here with any smartphone)—and invite your friends to like us too!



**A Good Friday service** for children will be held this Friday, April 6 at 4:00 p.m. in Anderson Hall.

**An Easter service** for children will be held Sunday, April 8 at 9:30 a.m. in the Dining Room. Please enter by the Garth steps leading to the Dining Room.

## MISSION AND OUTREACH

**Links for Lights**, the 2012 Chicago Lights Golf Classic, will be held Monday, June 18 at the Lost Dunes Golf Club in Bridgman, Michigan. There will also be a twenty-six mile bike ride through Harbor Country for nongolfers. Details are available at Coffee Hour.

**Volunteers are needed to tie blue bows** today in the Loggia during Coffee Hour and this Monday, April 2 outside the Cloisters in recognition of Child Abuse Prevention Awareness Month. **A prayer service** and press conference will be held on Monday, April 2 at 8:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary.

**Chicago Lights Urban Farm** volunteer orientation takes place Saturday, April 7 at 10:00 a.m. at 444 W. Chicago.

**Honduras mission trip** (July 25–August 4) applications are due Monday, April 16. Forms are available in the Global Mission brochures in the literature racks.

## WORSHIP

**Members of the Taizé community** in France will attend the Taizé service here on Friday, April 27 at 7:30 p.m. Following the service, they will talk about Taizé Chicago, a Memorial Day weekend event for young adults.

*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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**Special prayer requests** are included in intercessory prayer in Stone Chapel on Sundays at 10:30 a.m. and 12:45 p.m.

**Morning Prayer** is held weekdays in the Sanctuary at 9:30 a.m., except Tuesdays, when it is held at 9:00 a.m.

**A jazz service** is held each Sunday at 4:00 p.m. and includes Communion.

## NEWS AND RESOURCES

**Today's Coffee Hour** is sponsored by the Sherrod family in memory of the Reverend Dr. Marc Sherrod. For details about sponsoring Coffee Hour, call Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364.

**Fun historical photos of Fourth Church** as well as interesting facts and anecdotes from the congregation's history are posted in the Timeline on Facebook: [www.facebook.com/fourthchurch](http://www.facebook.com/fourthchurch). Be sure to "Like" the Fourth Church page so as not to miss the additional pieces of history that will be added to the Timeline in the months ahead!

**Fourth Church is on Twitter:** (@FourthChicago).

**Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC)** information is available in the literature racks and online at [www.fourthchurch.org/pnc.html](http://www.fourthchurch.org/pnc.html). Questions and comments for the PNC can be sent to [pnc@fourthchurch.org](mailto:pnc@fourthchurch.org).

## MUSIC AND THE ARTS

**The Chicago Ensemble** will perform in concert on Tuesday, April 10 at 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Tickets are available at [www.chicagoensemble.org](http://www.chicagoensemble.org).

**To help rebuild the Fourth Church organ**, which is rapidly deteriorating, please use the gift intention card found in the pew rack and also available online. To make a gift online or learn more about the organ, visit [www.fourthchurchorgan.org](http://www.fourthchurchorgan.org). Additional information is also available by calling Anita Bright at 312.274.3822.

**The 100th anniversary of the Titanic's** sinking will be commemorated in a concert by John W. W. Sherer, Fourth Church Organist, on Sunday, April 15 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

## ENRICHMENT

**Join the congregation-wide effort** to read the entire Bible in a year! A Bible study meets at the 737 building on Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. and is repeated on Thursday at 10:00 a.m. The reading list is online and in the literature racks. Daily devotions reflecting on the texts are available via Facebook ([www.facebook.com/fourthchurch](http://www.facebook.com/fourthchurch)), Twitter (@FourthChicago), and by email (send addresses to [devotions@fourthchurch.org](mailto:devotions@fourthchurch.org)).

**Books by Women** will welcome Gioia Diliberto, author of *Paris without End: The True Story of Hemingways's First Wife*, to their discussion of the book on Tuesday, April 10 at 6:00 p.m.

**The upcoming NATO summit** will be the topic of a Michigan Avenue Forum cohosted with WBEZ on Wednesday, April 11 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Jerome McDonnell of *Worldview* will lead a panel in discussion. RSVP to Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364.

**Men's Group** will meet for breakfast and "The Changing Face of the Media," led by Ron Magers, on Saturday, April 14 at 8:00 a.m. in the Dining Room. RSVP to 312.787.4570 by Wednesday, April 11.

**"Relationships: Dealing with Differences,"** a seminar led by Elise Magers of the Lorene Replogle Counseling Center, will be held on Tuesday, April 24 at 6:30 p.m. To register (required), call the Counseling Center at 312.787.8425.

**"Relative Strangers: Italian Protestants in the Catholic World,"** a presentation by Frank Cicero, will be held on Thursday, April 26 at 7:00 p.m. at the Clare (corner of Rush and Pearson). RSVP to Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364.

**Elaine Pagels** will talk about her new book *Revelations: Visions, Prophecy, and Politics in the Book of Revelation* at a special Michigan Avenue Forum on Thursday, May 3 at the church.

## FELLOWSHIP

**Young Adults** meets today at 12:45 p.m. at the 737 building for fellowship.

**Fourth Dimension** will gather for "The Tragedy of the Titanic," led by John W. W. Sherer, on Friday, April 13 at 6:00 p.m. at the 737 building.

**Running Group** is a new fellowship group for all levels of runners. For details, call Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369.

## VOLUNTEERS AND DONATIONS

### *Current Volunteer Needs*

**Hot cider passers** for Easter morning **Helpers** at the Chicago Lights Urban Farm on Saturdays at 10:00 a.m.

**Cooks and servers** at a men's shelter on Tuesdays 6:30–8:45 p.m.

**Assistants to help** with a variety of tasks at the Social Service Center

### *Current Donation Needs*

**Men's sturdy clothes** in larger sizes

*For details or to volunteer, call Larry Nicholson at 312.981.3382.*

## CALENDAR FOR APRIL 1–7, 2012

<b>Sunday, April 1</b> <i>Palm Sunday</i>			
7:45 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.	Nursery	Page Smith Room/Anderson Hall S. Balcony	
<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>Hardy H. Kim preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
9:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour		Anderson Hall
<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>Adam H. Fronczek preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School		Dining Room
10:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour		Anderson Hall
10:30 a.m.	Intercessory Prayer		Stone Chapel
<b>11:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>Adam H. Fronczek preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
11:30 a.m.	Fourth Church Rising		737 Building
11:30 a.m.	Sunday School		Dining Room
12:30 p.m.	Youth Art Project	Anderson Hall North Balcony	
12:45 p.m.	Coffee Hour		Anderson Hall
12:45 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer		Stone Chapel
12:45 p.m.	Church Tour		Sanctuary
12:45 p.m.	ThirtiesForties Lenten Study	Calvin Room – 737 Building	
12:45 p.m.	Young Adults Lenten Gathering		737 Building
<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Jazz Worship</b>	<b>John W. Vest preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
4:00 p.m.	Sunday Night Supper		Anderson Hall
 <b>Monday, April 2</b>			
8:30 a.m.	Blue Bows Prayer Service and Press Conference		Sanctuary
10:00 a.m.	Blue Bows Tying on Michigan Avenue	(see announcement)	
9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer (also Wednesday–Friday)		Sanctuary
<b>12:10 p.m.</b>	<b>Holy Week Service</b>		<b>Sanctuary</b>
 <b>Tuesday, April 3</b>			
9:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer		Sanctuary
<b>12:10 p.m.</b>	<b>Holy Week Service</b>		<b>Sanctuary</b>
6:00 p.m.	“Reading the Bible in a Year” Bible Study		737 Building
 <b>Wednesday, April 4</b>			
<b>12:10 p.m.</b>	<b>Holy Week Service</b>		<b>Sanctuary</b>
 <b>Thursday, April 5</b> <i>Maundy Thursday</i>			
10:00 a.m.	“Reading the Bible in a Year” Bible Study		737 Building
<b>12:10 p.m.</b>	<b>Maundy Thursday Service</b>		<b>Sanctuary</b>
7:30 p.m.	Maundy Thursday Tenebrae Communion Service		Sanctuary
 <b>Friday, April 6</b> <i>Good Friday</i>			
<b>12:10 p.m.</b>	<b>Good Friday Service</b>		<b>Sanctuary</b>
3:00 p.m.	Good Friday Prayer Walk	Hobbie and Larrabee	
<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Good Friday Children’s Service</b>		<b>Anderson Hall</b>
7:30 p.m.	Good Friday Choral Service		Sanctuary
 <b>Saturday, April 7</b>			
<b>10:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Easter Vigil</b>	<b>John W. Vest preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>

### *Preaching on Easter Sunday, April 8*

Hardy H. Kim preaching 6:30 a.m.  
Calum I. MacLeod preaching 8:00, 9:30, and 11:30 a.m.  
Adam H. Fronczek preaching 4:00 p.m.

Parking is available on Sundays at 900 North Michigan (access from Rush or Walton Street) at the rate of \$8. Validation tickets for the 900 garage must be picked up during morning Coffee Hour or from the Chestnut Street reception desk. Discounted parking at the John Hancock Center, 875 North Michigan Avenue, is available at the rate of \$6 on Sunday mornings only for three hours. Hancock tickets must be validated in the Narthex.