

June 10–16, 2012

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# News and Opportunities

## ENRICHMENT

The “**Religion in Interfaith Homes**” series concludes today with “Circumcision or Baptism?” led by Joyce Shin and David Levinsky, at 12:30 p.m. at the Clare (corner of Rush and Pearson).

**Join the congregation-wide effort** to read the entire Bible in a year! Identical Bible studies that offer opportunity to reflect on the assigned texts meet on Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. and on Thursdays at 10:00 a.m., both at the 737 building. The reading list is available online and in the literature racks. Devotions on the texts are available online ([www.fourthchurch.org](http://www.fourthchurch.org)) and via Facebook ([www.facebook.com/fourthchurch](http://www.facebook.com/fourthchurch)), Twitter (@fourthchicago), and email (send addresses to [devotions@fourthchurch.org](mailto:devotions@fourthchurch.org)).

**Books by Women** will discuss *Nomad* by Ayaan Hirsi Ali this Tuesday, June 12 at 6:00 p.m. at the 737 building. Books from the group’s reading list are available at the Book Nook at Coffee Hour.

## VOLUNTEERS AND DONATIONS

### *Current Volunteer Needs*

**Sunday School teacher** for 9:30 a.m.

three-year-olds class this summer

**Helpers** at the CHAMP Summer Farm Camp at the Urban Farm

**Greeters and distributors** of bag lunches to Social Service Center guests on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, or Thursdays, 11:45 a.m.–1:00 p.m.

**Personal shoppers** to assist Social Service Center guests on Wednesdays or Thursdays

**Food truck unloaders** on the second and fourth Friday mornings of the month

**Dishwashers** following Sunday Night Supper, 5:00–7:00 p.m.

### *Current Donation Needs*

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

**Double paper/plastic bags** from Treasure Island for the Social Service Center

*For details, to volunteer, or for information about other opportunities, call Larry Nicholson at 312.981.3382 or visit [www.fourthchurch.org](http://www.fourthchurch.org).*

### **Did you know there are more than 400 sermons**

by John Buchanan on the new Fourth Church website? Or that the online archive of sermon manuscripts dates back to September 27, 1998? You can browse the sermons by visiting [www.fourthchurch.org](http://www.fourthchurch.org) or scanning this QR code with a smartphone. Be sure to return to the site often as a way to keep connected to Fourth Church this summer!



## NEWS AND RESOURCES

**All are invited to share stories** of Fourth Church history on the timeline posted in Anderson Hall. Please take a moment to add your memories to our “Wall of Wonders.”

**The Church Information Form** for the pastoral search has now been posted with the denomination and on the Fourth Church website, and the Pastor Nominating Committee is beginning to receive applications for the position of Pastor.

**To sponsor Coffee Hour**, contact Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364 (dfedaj@fourthchurch.org) for details.

**Photos from last weekend’s Family Camp** are posted on Facebook at facebook.com/fourthchurch. Be sure to “Like” Fourth Church to also keep up to date on Fourth Church news, events, resources, and photos this summer.

**Follow Fourth Church on Twitter** at @fourthchicago and @fpcangel.

**A support and encouragement group** for those mourning the death of a loved one or other significant losses meets at the Lorene Repogle Counseling Center on Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m.

## MISSION AND OUTREACH

**Monday is the last day to register** for the **Links for Lights Golf Classic** and the **“Two-Wheel Tour”** to be held on Monday, June 18. Both events benefit Chicago Lights. Details are available at Coffee Hour or online at www.chicagolights.org.

**An interfaith solidarity signing**, the culmination of the “Sharing Sacred Spaces” series, will take place today from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. at Federal Plaza (Adams and Dearborn).

**The Annual School Supply Drive** is underway. Donations can be dropped off at Coffee Hour or during the week at the church reception desk or at the 737 building. For a list of items needed, call Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369 or visit www.fourthchurch.org/women.

**Walkers representing the Social Service Center** (EDSSC) in the Greater Chicago Food Depository Hunger Walk on Saturday, June 23 will earn credits for the EDSSC’s food programs. Details are posted on the Chicago Lights website at www.chicagolights.org.

**Chicago Shares voucher booklets** offer a way to give to those in need while knowing that the \$1 gift will be redeemed at a participating grocery store or restaurant. To purchase a \$5 booklet, stop by the Mission Table during Coffee Hour or call Nancy Davis at 312.274.3815.

**PCUSA peacemaking travel study seminars** will take place in 2013 in the Philippines (February 12–22) and in Northern Ireland (April 1–12). Applications are due by August 1 of this year. More information and applications are available at the Mission Table at Coffee Hour or by calling Vicky Curtiss at 312.981.3598.

**A letter urging Congress** to protect and strengthen federal nutrition programs when considering provisions of the Farm Bill is available for signing at the Mission Table at Coffee Hour.

*News and Opportunities*, which is distributed during Sunday worship, is also available in the church literature racks and at www.fourthchurch.org.

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**Applications for a mission trip to New Orleans** (September 24–30) are due Monday, July 2. Details and applications are available online and by calling Nancy Davis at 312.274.3815.

## CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILY

**Summer Sunday School** for preschool through fifth grade meets today at 9:30 a.m.

**Today is the last day to submit names** of those graduating from eighth grade, high school, college, or a graduate or professional program in 2012 to Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364 (dfedaj@fourthchurch.org) so that they can be included in the bulletin next Sunday, June 17, which is Baccalaureate Sunday.

**The Youth Bake Sale** will take place next Sunday, June 17 during Coffee Hour in the Garth, weather permitting, following morning worship services. Treats prepared by Fourth Church youth and supporters will be available to raise funds for the Senior High WorkCamp trip. To donate treats, call Kimberlee Frost at 312.981.4035.

**New Moms' Groups** are forming in Oak Park, Lakeview, and Bucktown. Call Liz Nickerson at 312.573.3366 for details.

## WORSHIP

**Rhashell Hunter**, Director of Racial Ethnic and Women's Ministries/ Presbyterian Women in the General Assembly Mission Council of the Presbyterian Church (USA), is preaching today at 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. services. Next Sunday, June 17, Kenneth Velo, a priest of the Archdiocese of Chicago, will preach at 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. worship.

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

**A service in the style of Taizé** is held at 7:30 p.m. each fourth Friday of the month. The next Taizé service will be held on Friday, June 22 in the Sanctuary.

**Special prayer requests** are included in intercessory prayer in Stone Chapel on Sundays. Individuals can pray there with a Deacon at 10:30 a.m. or 12:15 p.m.

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

## FELLOWSHIP

**Young Adults** meet today for fellowship and discussion at 12:30 p.m. at the 737 building. They also play beach volleyball on Mondays through the summer at Oak Street Beach at 6:00 p.m.

## MUSIC AND THE ARTS

**"Jazz Begins at 60,"** an all-ages Center for Life and Learning event led by jazz expert Neil Tesser, will take place this Wednesday, June 13 at 6:00 p.m. at the 737 building. To register, call Ashley Elskus at 312.981.3387.

**Boulangier Ensemble** will perform this Friday's free Noonday concert at 12:10 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

**An all-church outing to the Gospel Music Festival**, sponsored by the Multicultural Committee, will take place on Thursday, June 21 at 6:00 p.m. at Millennium Park.

**To help rebuild the Fourth Church organ**, which is rapidly deteriorating, please use the gift intention card found in the pew racks, mailed to member homes, and also available online. To learn more about the organ, visit [www.fourthchurchorgan.org](http://www.fourthchurchorgan.org). Additional information is also available by calling Katy Frey Bever at 312.981.3380.

**CALENDAR FOR JUNE 10–16, 2012**

**Sunday, June 10**

7:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.	Nursery	Page Smith Room/Anderson Hall S. Balcony	
<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>John H. Boyle preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
9:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour		Garth
<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>Rhaskell Hunter preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School		Manse/Crow's Nest
10:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour		Garth
10:30 a.m.	Intercessory Prayer		Stone Chapel
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>Rhaskell Hunter preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
12:15 p.m.	Coffee Hour		Garth
12:15 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer		Stone Chapel
12:15 p.m.	Church Tour		Sanctuary
12:30 p.m.	Religion in Interfaith Homes Series		The Clare
12:30 p.m.	Young Adults Gathering		737 Building
2:00 p.m.	Interfaith Solidarity Signing		<i>(see announcement)</i>
<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Jazz Worship</b>	<b>Judith L. Watt preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
4:00 p.m.	Sunday Night Supper		Anderson Hall

**Monday, June 11**

9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer		Sanctuary
6:00 p.m.	Young Adults Beach Volleyball		<i>(see announcement)</i>
7:00 p.m.	Grief Support Group		Third-Floor Parish House

**Tuesday, June 12**

9:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer		Sanctuary
6:00 p.m.	Books by Women	Knox Room – 737 Building	
6:00 p.m.	“Reading the Bible in a Year” Bible Study		737 Building

**Wednesday, June 13**

9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer		Sanctuary
6:00 p.m.	“Jazz Begins at 60”		737 Building

**Thursday, June 14**

9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer		Sanctuary
10:00 a.m.	“Reading the Bible in a Year” Bible Study		737 Building

**Friday, June 15**

9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer		Sanctuary
10:30 a.m.	CLL Bible Study		737 Building
12:10 p.m.	Noonday Concert: Boulanger Ensemble		Sanctuary

**Saturday, June 16**

10:00 a.m.	Urban Farm Volunteer Orientation	444 W. Chicago Ave.
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***Preaching on Sunday, June 17***

Matt Helms preaching	8:00 a.m.
Kenneth Velo preaching	9:30 and 11:00 a.m.
John W. Vest 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.