

July 17–23, 2016

The Fourth Presbyterian Church of Chicago



News and Opportunities

News and Resources

Nominating forms for the offices of Elder, Deacon, Trustee, and Chicago Lights Board are available in the pew racks and also online at www.fourthchurch.org/contact/nominating_form.html. Please use the forms to recommend Fourth Church members who have demonstrated gifts for leadership and ministry. Completed paper forms may be placed in the offering plate, dropped off at the reception desk, or mailed to the church.

Rocky Supinger will be installed as Associate Pastor for Youth Ministry next Sunday, July 24 during 11:00 a.m. worship. A reception in his honor will follow in Anderson Hall.

Bookmark the Fourth Church website—www.fourthchurch.org—for easy access to the Fourth Church calendar, information about upcoming events, photos, and more.

There is much going on during the summer at Fourth Church—programs, opportunities, outreach, and services made possible by your generous gifts and pledges. Thank you for your support! If you have not yet made a 2016 pledge or gift, there is still time. See www.fourthchurch.org/giving/appeal or the pledge and gift cards in the pew racks.

Connection Corner helps you discover ways to get involved in the life of Fourth Church. Look for the lighted table at Coffee Hour after the 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. services.

Layton Williams' last Sunday as Pastoral Resident will be July 31. Please join us that day as we take time during Coffee Hour to thank her for her ministry among us and wish her Godspeed.

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If you're traveling over the summer, we hope you'll stay connected with us while away: "Like" the Fourth Church page on Facebook to see all the latest Fourth Church news in your News Feed. Bookmark the Fourth Church website (www.fourthchurch.org) for access to audio of sermons from 11:00 worship and for more news about the Fourth Church community.

New **Stephen Ministers** will begin fifty hours of training in September. Those interested in becoming a Stephen Minister are encouraged to complete an application (available at www.bit.ly/stephenminister) and return it to the church office by August 1. Information is available online at www.fourthchurch.org or by contacting Judy Watt at 312.573.3360.

Fellowship

Young Adults gather on Sundays at 12:30 p.m. in Room 5A. They also meet for volleyball on Mondays at 6:30 p.m. at Oak Street Beach. For details, call Layton Williams at 312.640.5449.

To **sponsor Coffee Hour** in honor or memory of a loved one or for a special occasion, contact Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369 (aellis@fourthchurch.org).

Mission and Outreach

School supplies are being collected by Women at Fourth for children taking part in the Chicago Lights Urban Farm, Tutoring, and Summer Day programs. For a list of materials and more information about the School Supply Drive, stop by Coffee Hour today or contact Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369.

Chicago Shares voucher booklets offer a way to give to those in need on the streets 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 contact Nancy Davis at ndavis@fourthchurch.org

To **join a small, interracial Peace Circle** that engages in dialogue to address racism, contact Vicky Curtiss at 312.981.3598.

New volunteers with the Chicago Lights Elam Davies Social Service Center are invited to an orientation this Thursday, July 21 at 3:00 p.m. in Room 4E. RSVP at www.bit.ly/1R9YyIH

Fresh produce is available at the Farmstand at the Chicago Lights Urban Farm (444 W. Chicago) on Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Used bicycles are being collected by the World Mission and Social Justice Committee on September 24. For details, contact Vicky Curtiss at 312.981.3598.

Enrichment

Weekly Seeds, a weekly women's Bible study, meets Sundays at 9:30 a.m. in Room 5H.

Men's Bible study will meet this Tuesday, July 19 at 7:30 a.m. in the Loop. To RSVP (*required*), call Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369.

A workshop on hospice and palliative care will be offered through the Replogle Center for Counseling and Well-Being this Thursday, July 21 at 6:00 p.m. in Boyle Conference Room. To register (*required*), visit www.bit.ly/rccare0716

A screening of the film *The Age of Love* will be offered through the Replogle Center on Thursday, September 8 at 7:00 p.m. in Anderson Hall. To register (*required*), visit www.bit.ly/rcfilm0716

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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Worship

This Friday's Taizé service will be held at 7:30 p.m. in Buchanan Chapel. It will be preceded by opportunity to walk the labyrinth in Anderson Hall between 6:00 and 7:30 p.m.

Intercessory prayer is held in Stone Chapel on Sundays. Individuals can pray there with a Deacon at 10:30 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. or place their prayer requests in one of the prayer boxes outside Anderson Hall.

Music and the Arts

After School Matters HHW Vocal Arts will perform this Friday's free Noonday concert at 12:10 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

A hymn festival with organist Michael Burkhardt and sponsored by the National Association of Lutheran Musicians is the next concert in our organ dedication series. Join us next Wednesday, July 27 at 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

"Making Camino: Reflections on the Journey," an exhibit of artwork by Janet Krehbiel Pieracci, is on display in the Loggia until Sunday, July 31.

Children, Youth, and Family

Have you read about the Fourth Church youth's mission trip to Asheville, North Carolina? Check out their blog—with photos—at www.bit.ly/fpcyouthblog

Summer Sunday School (with classes meeting at 9:30 a.m. only) continues today on the fourth floor of the Gratz Center.

Youth Summer Bizarre classes continue today at 11:00 a.m. on the fifth floor of the Gratz Center.

Senior High Youth will meet at Fourth Church this Tuesday, July 19 at 2:45 p.m. to go to Oak Street Beach. For details, call Shelley Donaldson at 312.981.4036.

Thursday Family Movie Nights continue this Thursday, July 21 at 6:30 p.m. on the Day School playground (or, in case of rain, inside the Day School).

There's still time to sign up for VBS! "Egypt: Joseph's Journey from Prison to Palace" is the theme for this year's Vacation Bible School for preschoolers through fifth-graders, which will be held the mornings of August 8–12. For online registration, visit www.bit.ly/vbs0816

A camping trip for youth and their families will be held September 2–4 at Warren Dunes State Park in Sawyer, Michigan. Register online at www.bit.ly/youthcamping16

Volunteers and Donations

Current Volunteer Needs

Cooks for Sunday Night Supper on September 4

Gardeners at the Chicago Lights Urban Farm; Saturdays, 12:00–3:00 p.m.

Physicians, nurses, or pharmacists to serve as a medical resource to guests of Sunday Night Supper

GED tutors for staff of the Urban Farm, Mondays–Saturdays

Nursery caregivers on Sundays during 9:30 or 11:00 a.m. worship services

Greeters and ushers for the 4:00 p.m. jazz worship service

Current Donation Needs

Men's and women's clothing

Small women's Depends pull-ups

For more opportunities or to volunteer, call Larry Nicholson at 312.981.3382.

Calendar for July 17–23, 2016

Sunday, July 17

	8:00 a.m.	Worship	Shannon J. Kershner preaching	Sanctuary
	9:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour		Courtyard
9:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.		Nursery		Gratz Center, First Floor
	9:30 a.m.	Worship	Shannon J. Kershner preaching	Sanctuary
	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School		Gratz Center, Fourth Floor
	9:30 a.m.	<i>Weekly Seeds</i> Bible Study		Room 5H
10:30 a.m. and 12:15 p.m.		Intercessory Prayer		Stone Chapel
	10:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour		Courtyard
	11:00 a.m.	Worship	Shannon J. Kershner preaching	Sanctuary
	11:00 a.m.	Youth Summer Bizarre		Gratz Center, Fifth Floor
	12:00 p.m.	Coffee Hour		Courtyard
	12:00 p.m.	New Member Brunch		Randolph Room
	12:30 p.m.	Young Adults Gathering		Room 5A
	4:00 p.m.	Jazz Worship	Nanette Sawyer preaching	Sanctuary

Monday, July 18

7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.	Labyrinth Walk (<i>also Tuesday</i>)		Buchanan Chapel
6:30 p.m.	Young Adults Volleyball		(<i>see announcement</i>)

Tuesday, July 19

7:30 a.m.	Men's Bible Study		(<i>see announcement</i>)
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Summer Day		Gratz Center
2:45 p.m.	Senior High Youth Fellowship		(<i>see announcement</i>)

Wednesday, July 20

7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.	Labyrinth Walk		Buchanan Chapel
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Summer Day		Gratz Center
9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer		Buchanan Chapel

Thursday, July 21

9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Summer Day		Gratz Center
3:00 p.m.	EDSSC Volunteer Orientation		Room 4E
6:00 p.m.	Hospice/Palliative Care Workshop		Boyle Conference Room
6:30 p.m.	Family Movie Night		Day School Playground

Friday, July 22

9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Summer Day		Gratz Center
12:10 p.m.	Noonday Concert		Sanctuary
6:00 to 7:30 p.m.	Hosted Labyrinth Walk		Anderson Hall
7:30 p.m.	Taizé Service		Buchanan Chapel

Saturday, July 23

7:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	Labyrinth Walk		Buchanan Chapel
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Worship on Sunday, July 24

8:00 a.m.	Matt Helms preaching		
9:30 and 11:00 a.m.	Shannon J. Kershner preaching		
4:00 p.m.	Shannon J. Kershner preaching		

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.