

Lord, make me an instrument
of your peace.
Where there is hatred, let me sow love;
where there is injury, pardon;
where there is doubt, faith;
where there is despair, hope;
where there is darkness, light;
where there is sadness, joy.

O Divine Master, grant that I may not
seek so much
to be consoled as to console,
to be understood as to understand,
to be loved as to love.
For it is in giving that we receive,
it is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
and it is in dying that we are
born to eternal life. Amen.

Attributed to Francis of Assisi

THE FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF CHICAGO

Morning Worship 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00

The beginning of the prelude is a call to silent, personal preparation for the worship of God.

Prelude In Christ There Is No East or West *Healey Willan*
Aria *Flor Peeters*
Rubrics *Dan Locklair*
“The Peace May Be Exchanged.”
Processional *Martin Shaw*

Introit Praise the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me,
praise God’s holy name.

***Doxology and
Invocation** (The Hymnal, 592)

***Hymn 473** “For the Beauty of the Earth” *Folliott Sandford Pierpoint*

Prayer of Confession (*unison*)

God of mercy, you sent Jesus Christ to seek and save the lost. We confess that we have strayed from you and turned aside from your way. We are misled by pride, for we see ourselves pure when we are stained, and great when we are small. We have failed in love, neglected justice, and ignored your truth. Have mercy, O God, and forgive our sin. Return us to paths of righteousness through Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

Declaration of Pardon

Leader: Friends, believe the good news.

All: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

(11:00) **Commissioning of
Pastoral Residents**

Concerns of the Church

Psalter Psalm 86:1-13 (*responsively*) (page 544, O.T.)

Anthem “Ode to Joy” *Ludwig van Beethoven*
arr. Roger Emerson

Sing to joy and gladness now and evermore to freedom’s song. Open up our heart’s desire with love that’s everlasting. Let this magic bring together all who dwell upon the earth. All mankind shall be together and peace shall reign upon the earth. May this joy of brotherhood spread all throughout the universe. Then the very air we breathe shall be pure, calm, and gentle. Blue the sky and green the forest, all our children can run free. And through music bring together all who sing the ode to joy. Sing the ode to joy!

First Lesson Luke 15:11-24 (page 78, N.T.)
Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: **Thanks be to God.**

***Gloria Patri** (The Hymnal, 579)
(9:30 and 11:00) Children are dismissed to Sunday school classes.

Second Lesson Jeremiah 8:18–9:1 (page 709, O.T.)

Sermon by John M. Buchanan
GOD'S LOVE AND THE TWELVE APPLE BROWN BETTYS
"My joy is gone. . . . Is there no balm in Gilead?"
Jeremiah 8:18, 22 (NRSV)

***Hymn 394** "There Is a Balm in Gilead" *African-American spiritual*

***Apostles' Creed** (unison)
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

(unison)
Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Response Seek ye the Lord while he may be found. Call ye upon God while he is near.

Offering

Offertory Anthem

"Awake, My Heart" *Jane Marshall*
Awake, my heart, and render to God thy sure defender,
thy maker, thy preserver a song of love and fervor.
Confirm my deeds and guide me. My day, with thee
beside me, beginning, middle, ending, will all be upward
tending. My heart shall be thy dwelling, with joy and
gladness swelling. Thy word my nurture, given to bring
me on toward heaven.

***Presentation of the Offering and Response**

“For the Life That You Have Given”

Carl P. Daw, Jr.

For the life that you have giv - en, for the love in Christ made known,
with these fruits of time and la - bor with these gifts that are your own:
here we of - fer, Lord, our prai - ses; heart and mind and strength we bring.
Give us grace to love and serve you, liv - ing what we pray and sing.

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***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

All: **God of compassion, we praise you that you look upon our frail lives with love and understanding, and that you desire for us all new life in Jesus Christ. We are overwhelmed by your love, which goes to the cross for us, endures the grave, and leads us to new life. By your Spirit, strengthen our souls to be brave and bold in Christ's service. Take our offerings, and use them and us for your purposes, in the name of Jesus Christ, our crucified and risen Lord. Amen.**

***Hymn 262**

“God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand” *Daniel C. Roberts*

Benediction and Response

Postlude

Lift High the Cross

Donald Busarow

*Stand as you are able.

Today's Worship

Morning Worship Leaders 8:00: Laurie Armstrong, Calum I. MacLeod, and John M. Buchanan
9:30: Dana Ferguson, Calum I. MacLeod, and John M. Buchanan
11:00: Dana Ferguson, Carol J. Allen, and John M. Buchanan

Vespers Leaders Paulo França and John A. Cairns

The Music Today 8:00: The Chancel Choir
9:30: The Chancel Choir and Children's and Youth Choirs
11:00: The Chancel Choir and Children's and Youth Choirs
6:30: The Vespers Choir

The Chancel Choir is singing for all three morning worship services today while the Morning Choir is on retreat. The Children's and Youth Choirs, directed by Mary Theresa Reed, are also singing at the 9:30 and 11:00 worship services. Any who are interested in joining these choirs are encouraged to contact John Sherer at ext. 219 or Mary Theresa Reed at ext. 399.

FOR LARGE PRINT BULLETINS, SEE AN USHER.

- > Childcare for infants and toddlers is available in Westminster 14.
- > Please pass the registration pads during the Concerns of the Church, so that all worshipers have an opportunity to register and greet one another following the service.
- > Individual listening devices for improved sound are available in the Narthex.
- > Today's sermon will be available online at www.fourthchurch.org, in both print and audio formats, later this week. This bulletin, other information about the mission and programs of Fourth Church, and past sermons are also currently available at the Web site.

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John M. Buchanan	Pastor
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Laurie Armstrong	Pastoral Resident
Paulo França	Pastoral Resident
Victoria D. Millar	Pastoral Resident
Steven Runholt	Pastoral Resident
Alice M. Trowbridge	Pastoral Resident
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Vespers Service

6:30 p.m.

The beginning of the prelude is a call to silent, personal preparation for the worship of God.

Prelude Deck Yourself, My Soul, with Gladness *Johann Sebastian Bach*

Call to Worship

Leader: In the presence of God whose word has called the earth and the stars into being,

People: **we stand in awe.**

Leader: In the presence of God whose arms have held children,

People: **we stand in trust.**

Leader: In the presence of God whose breath has stirred within us and caused our hearts to thirst for justice,

People: **we stand in need.**

Leader: Before you, the giver of life, we come in faith, in search of love and justice and wholeness.

People: **With joyful expectation, let us worship God.**

*Hymn 386

"O for a World"

Miriam Therese Winter

Prayer of Confession

(unison)

We confess, O God, that we struggle with ourselves; we allow our fears and inadequacies to keep us from caring for others whose lives are even more fragile than our own; we speak of seeking peace with justice, but are content with the peace of solitude, the injustice of silence, sometimes because we just cannot see how we might make a difference. Yet, in a small vulnerable child, you make us your own. Forgive us, and show us, O God, what we may do together to find your peace. Amen.

Declaration of Pardon

Leader: This is the good news which Christ makes known to us. We are forgiven!

People: **Because we are forgiven, we have peace to share; because we are loved enough, we have love to give; because we are touched by God's mercy, we have grace to share. Thanks be to God!**

Concerns of the Church

First Lesson

Jeremiah 18:1-11

(page 720, O.T.)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Anthem

"Awake, My Heart"

Jane Marshall

Awake, my heart, and render to God thy sure defender, thy maker, thy preserver a song of love and fervor. Confirm my deeds and guide me. My day, with thee beside me, beginning, middle, ending, will all be upward tending. My heart shall be thy dwelling, with joy and gladness swelling. Thy word my nurture, given to bring me on toward heaven.

Second Lesson

Luke 14:25-33

(page 78, N.T.)

Communion Meditation

by John A. Cairns

COSTLY ENGAGEMENT

*Hymn 282

"If Thou but Trust in God to Guide Thee" *Georg Neumark*

***Affirmation of Faith** (unison)

We are not alone, we live in God's world. We believe in God: who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit. We trust in God. We are called to be the church: to celebrate God's presence, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our Judge and our Hope. In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to God.

Offering

Offertory Anthem "Who at My Door Is Standing?" *English folk melody*
arr. K. Lee Scott

Who at my door is standing, there patiently drawing near,
who entrance is demanding? Whose is the voice I hear?
Sweetly the tones are falling: "Now open the door for me. If
thou wilt heed my calling, I will abide with thee." Within
the rooms are darkened, all filled with dust and sin. How
shameful, how unworthy for Christ to enter in. Yet, the tones
are falling: "Now open the door for me. If thou wilt heed my
calling, I will abide with thee." Door of my heart,
I hasten. Thee will I open wide. Though he rebuke and
chasten, he shall with me abide. Lord God, I hear thee
calling, come now, abide with me. Dear Lord, abide with me.

***Doxology** (The Hymnal, 592)

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation

Leader: The Lord be with you.
People: **And also with you.**
Leader: Lift up your hearts.
People: **We lift them to the Lord.**
Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

**The Prayer of
Thanksgiving**

Leader: . . . who forever sing to the glory of your name:
People: **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and
earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is
the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the
highest.**

The Lord's Prayer

The Communion

**Prayer After
Communion**

(unison)

**Loving God, we thank you that you have fed us in this
Sacrament, united us with Christ, and given us a foretaste of
the heavenly banquet in your eternal kingdom. Send us out
in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise
and glory, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

***Hymn 539** "Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise" *John Ellerton*

Benediction

Postlude Fanfare

William Mathias

THE FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF CHICAGO

Coming Fourth

IF YOU ARE NEW TO FOURTH CHURCH

Welcome! We are grateful for your presence and ask you to register your name on the pew pad. We invite you to

- > identify yourself by wearing a Fourth Church lapel pin, located in the pew racks
- > attend Coffee Hour in Anderson Hall following the morning worship services for fellowship and conversation; visit the *Welcome Table* and the *Deacons' Information Table* to learn about church programs and volunteer opportunities
- > tour the church building at 12:15 p.m., beginning at the rear of the Sanctuary
- > attend an Inquirers' Class and explore Presbyterian history or beliefs either **Monday, October 1**, 6:30-9:30 p.m.; **Saturday, October 20**, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon; or **Sunday, October 28**, 12:30-3:30 p.m.

This class is a prerequisite for membership. No prior registration is necessary. For further information, contact Nan Birmingham at (312) 787-2729, ext. 210.

You are invited to participate in the worship, program, and service life of Fourth Church. For more information, see an usher or minister, or visit www.fourthchurch.org.

TODAY AT FOURTH CHURCH

The Pastoral Residents being commissioned today are Victoria Decker Millar and Alice Trowbridge. Recent seminary graduates, they will carry pastoral responsibilities while being mentored by the staff and congregation of Fourth Church.

The west stained-glass window in the Sanctuary has been removed for releading, and photographic images from one of the side windows have been temporarily installed in its place.

Today is the last day to submit nominations for the offices of Elder, Deacon,

Ordination to Be Celebrated This Afternoon

On behalf of the Presbytery of Chicago, Fourth Presbyterian Church invites all to join in this afternoon's service to ordain Amy Cantile-Carlozo to the Ministry of Word and Sacrament. This service will be celebrated at 3:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary, followed by a reception in Anderson Hall. Amy, a member of Fourth Church, has been called to serve as Staff Chaplain at Loyola University Medical Center in Maywood.

and Trustee. Nomination forms are available in the pew racks and literature racks. Completed forms may be placed in the offering plate or dropped off at the reception desk.

Offering envelopes in the pew racks may be used to make a gift sponsoring students' participation in the Partners in Education Tutoring Program. In this program, more than 500 students meet weekly with tutors at Fourth Church during the school year. Each gift of \$250 supports one student's participation in the program for a year. Tutoring begins on October 1.

Note cards featuring the angels in the Fourth Church Sanctuary can be purchased during Coffee Hour. Proceeds from the sale of these cards benefit the Music and the Arts program at Fourth Church.

The exhibit "Visions of Christ," on display in the Loggia and Gallery, features various depictions of Christ by artists from around the world. This exhibit continues through Sunday, October 28.

To sign a letter of support for members of the Villa Park Mosque, stop by the Advocacy Table during Coffee Hour. Also available at the table will be copies of the "Response in Faith" letter from Protestants for the Common Good.

Fourthlights (40s and older) meets at 9:15 a.m. in the Dining Room to hear Beth Austin and Leslie Whitaker, authors of *The Good Girl's Guide to Negotiating*, discuss useful negotiating techniques. Next Sunday morning, *Chicago Tribune* reporter Rick Kogan will talk about his many years in journalism.

Sunday school classes meet at 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. in Westminster House.

Academy for Faith and Life courses meeting at 9:30 a.m. are "The Sermon on the Mount," led by Hans Dieter Betz; "In Life, in Death, in Life beyond Death, God Is with Us: Entering into Conversation about the End of Life," led by Carol Allen and Terry Stumpf; "A Theology of Embodiment," led by Marcia Mount Shoop; and the John Knox Bible Study. Meeting at 11:00 a.m. are "A Disenchanted World: God, Literature, and Unbelief," led by Randy Newman and Jana French, and "Catholic Presbyterianism," led by John Cairns. Academy course catalogues are available in the literature racks.

Venture Fourth (30s and 40s) meets at 11:00 a.m. in the Manse for its weekly discussion about the Christian faith life. Those interested in going for brunch in the area meet in the Chestnut Street lobby at 12:30 p.m.

A brief period of intercessory prayer is led by Deacons after the 11:00 service. All are invited to Stone Chapel to participate. Written prayer requests can be placed in the box outside the chapel.

Recent visitors to Fourth Church are invited to a brunch, hosted by Calum MacLeod, at 12:15 p.m. in the Page Smith Room.

The Benevolent Guild will be honored at a luncheon at 12:15 p.m. in the Dining Room. This lunch hosted by Presbyterian Women in Fourth Church is an opportunity for the congregation to celebrate the decades of mission and service the faithful women of the Guild have provided.

Mental Illness Awareness Month

October is Mental Illness Awareness Month. Throughout the month, Fourth Church will be giving particular attention to issues of mental illness. A list of materials and events focusing on these issues will be available in the literature racks. There also will be books on the topic available at the Book Cart during October Coffee Hours, and the monthlong focus will conclude on Sunday, October 28 with a luncheon presentation "Stop the Clock: When Someone I Love Is Depressed" by Judith Schneider. For more information, call Terry Stumpf at ext. 295.

COMING EVENTS

Inquirers' Class, for those interested in learning more about Fourth Church and the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), meets Monday, October 1 at 6:30 p.m. in the Page Smith Room. (See "If You Are New to Fourth Church," on page 8.)

Books by Women discusses *To Kill a Mockingbird* on Tuesday, October 2 at 6:00 p.m. in the Large Conference Room.

Young Adult Bible Study meets on Tuesday, October 2 at 7:30 p.m. in the Randolph Room.

Mothers' Bible Study meets on Wednesday, October 3 at 9:30 a.m. in the Large Conference Room. Childcare is available.

Noonday Bible Study, which discusses the upcoming Sunday's texts and is led by the pastoral staff, meets Wednesday, October 3 at 12:10 p.m. in the Large Conference Room.

The Center for Older Adults Bible Study, led by Carol Allen, meets Friday, October 5 at 10:00 a.m. in the Anderson Hall South Balcony.

Soprano Elisa Billey will perform as part of the free Noonday Concert Series this Friday, October 5 at 12:10 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

Fall Family Camp is October 5-7 at Presbyterian Camps in Saugatuck, Michigan. To sign up, pick up a registration form in Westminster House.

Cornerstones (couples 50 and above) meets Friday, October 5 at 6:00 p.m. in Anderson Hall for "dinner and theater." Fourth Acts will be performing a selection of dramatic readings about the many aspects of relationships. RSVP by Wednesday, October 3 to the Cornerstones Infoline at ext. 454.

Fourthlights will go swing dancing Friday, October 5 at 8:30 p.m. at the University of Chicago, Ida Noyes Hall (1212 E. 59th Street). There will be free dancing lessons.

Fourth Forum, a group for gays and lesbians and friends of the community, meets at Coco Pazzo Café for First Sunday Brunch on Sunday, October 7 after the 11:00 a.m. service.

The Fourthlights annual retreat will be held October 12-14. This year's topic, presented by Hal Edwards, is "Tools for the Inner Journey." The retreat will be held at the Lake Lawn Resort in Wisconsin. For more information or to register for the retreat (by Friday, October 5), call the Fourthlights Infoline at ext. 494.

The Fourth Church Men's Group meets for breakfast and a program on Saturday, October 13 at 8:00 a.m. in the Dining Room. David Taylor, Assistant Concertmaster with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, will present the program. To make reservations, call the church receptionist at (312) 787-4570 by 12:00 noon on Friday, October 12.

"The Alchemy of Forgiveness," a three-part series led by John Boyle and offered by Fourth Church's Lorene Replogle Counseling Center, begins Tuesday, October 16 at 6:30 p.m. Register by Friday, October 12 by calling the Counseling Center at (312) 787-8425.

The Zurich Boys' Choir, an ensemble of sixty young singers from Switzerland, will sing a free concert in the Sanctuary on Tuesday, October 16 at 8:00 p.m.

Fourth by Northwest is a new small group for eight to fifteen people who will share fellowship, do a book study, and perform occasional group service projects. The group will gather in the Lincoln Square neighborhood every other Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. from October to May. To learn more about participating in this small group opportunity, which

Program about Ordination on October 9

All are invited to an informative dinner and video program hosted by Fourth Forum on Tuesday, October 9 at 6:00 p.m. in Anderson Hall. The video was created by the Covenant Network to educate commissioners on the issue of gay and lesbian ordination. Dinner will be served at 6:15 p.m., the video follows at 7:00 p.m. RSVP to the Fourth Forum Infoline at ext. 367.

will hold its introductory meeting on Wednesday, October 17, contact Melinda Lupfer at ext. 379.

CROP Walk 2001 takes place on Sunday, October 21. To walk, sponsor a walker, help, or pick up more information, visit the Volunteer Table during Coffee Hour or call Vayram Nyadroh at ext. 319.

Fourth Church Cares: For information about the kinds of pastoral care available through staff and programs of this congregation or to notify the church of illnesses, death, hospitalizations, and other concerns, contact Carol Allen, Associate Pastor for Congregational Care, at ext. 292 or e-mail callen@fourthchurch.org.

The Lorene Replogle Counseling Center, a ministry of Fourth Church, offers support groups as well as individual, couples', and premarital counseling. Information about the Center and its fall seminars is available in the literature racks or by calling (312) 787-8425.

The Career Transitions Center, of which Fourth Church is a sponsoring member, offers a variety of resources and seminars for those who are under-employed, unemployed, or wanting to make a career change. Information is available in the church literature racks or by calling the Center (located at 122 S. Des Plaines in Chicago) at (312) 906-9908.

Two hundred tutors are urgently needed to work one-to-one with students from Cabrini-Green or Henry Horner Homes on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday nights at Fourth Church. Without more tutors, students on the waiting list will be unable to participate in the Tutoring Program, which begins Monday, October 1. Tutors are needed for each of the nights, but especially for Wednesdays and Thursdays. Among other current volunteer needs are

- > Sunday school teachers (preschool; kindergarten; first, third, and fourth grades).
- > Ushers for 8:00 a.m. Sunday services (regularly) and 6:30 p.m. Sunday Vespers (on rotation).

For more information about these and the many other volunteer opportunities at Fourth Church, stop by the Volunteer Table during Coffee Hour or contact Larry Nicholson at ext. 463. Volunteer information is also available at www.fourthchurch.org.

The Fourth Church Children's Center, which provides full-day childcare for children from infancy through age five, currently has openings for three- to five-year-olds. For information about the Center or enrolling children, contact Denise LaBounty at ext. 287.

Books are being collected by Presbyterian Women in Fourth Church for the library of the Young Women's Leadership

Charter School in Chicago. New or gently used books that are appropriate for young adults (grades 6-12) as well as monetary donations for the purchase of books will be accepted through May 2002 and can be dropped off at the church reception desk. For more information, call Lisa Cochrane at ext. 271.

ABOUT THE COVER

As they leave the Sanctuary, worshipers at Fourth Church have long enjoyed the rich blue east window, with its depictions of the four evangelists and Saints Peter and Paul. Lighting the window after dark, however, reveals the delicate stone traceries, intended to be reminiscent of the Jesse tree.



Presbyterian Women in Fourth Church invites you to join Friends of Battered Women and Their Children in the seventh annual candlelight vigil for domestic violence awareness. The vigil will begin at Oak Street Beach at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, October 1 with the lighting of the candles and a short program. Those who can help set up the 3000 luminaria that will "Light up the Lakefront" are asked to come to the beach at 4:00 p.m. that day. For more information, call Lisa Cochrane at ext. 271.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, September 30

7:50 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.	Nursery	Westminster 14 Sanctuary
8:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Dr. Buchanan	Sanctuary
9:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour	Anderson Hall
9:15 a.m.	Fourthlights	Dining Room
9:30 a.m.	Academy for Faith and Life	Parish House
9:30 a.m.	John Knox Bible Study	Page Smith Room
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School	Westminster House
9:30 a.m.	Morning Worship Dr. Buchanan	Sanctuary
10:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour	Anderson Hall
11:00 a.m.	Academy for Faith and Life	Parish House
11:00 a.m.	Sunday School	Westminster House
11:00 a.m.	Venture Fourth	Manse
11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Dr. Buchanan	Sanctuary
12:15 p.m.	Coffee Hour	Anderson Hall
12:15 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer	Stone Chapel
12:15 p.m.	Church Tour begins	Sanctuary
12:15 p.m.	Benevolent Guild	Dining Room
12:15 p.m.	Visitors' Brunch	Page Smith Room
12:30 p.m.	Venture Fourth	(see announcement)
3:00 p.m.	Ordination: Amy Cantile-Carlozo	Sanctuary
5:00 p.m.	Sunday Night Community Supper	Dining Room
5:30 p.m.	Vespers Choir rehearsal	Sanctuary
6:30 p.m.	Vespers Service Mr. Cairns	Sanctuary
7:30 p.m.	Coffee Reception	Loggia

Monday, October 1

9:00 a.m.	Morning Prayers, Monday through Friday	Blair Chapel
9:00 a.m.	Center for Older Adults, Monday through Friday	Chestnut Street Lobby
6:30 p.m.	Inquirers' Class	Page Smith Room
7:30 p.m.	"Light up the Lakefront"	(see announcement)

Tuesday, October 2

6:00 p.m.	Books by Women	Large Conference Room
7:00 p.m.	Chancel Choir rehearsal	Sanctuary
7:30 p.m.	Young Adult Bible Study	Randolph Room

Wednesday, October 3

9:30 a.m.	Mothers' Bible Study	Large Conference Room
12:10 p.m.	Noonday Bible Study	Large Conference Room

Friday, October 5

10:00 a.m.	Center for Older Adults Bible Study	Anderson Hall South Balcony
12:10 p.m.	Concert: Elisa Billey, soprano	Sanctuary
6:00 p.m.	Cornerstones	Anderson Hall
8:30 p.m.	Fourthlights	(see announcement)

Sunday, October 7

	WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY	
8:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Mr. Cairns preaching	Sanctuary
9:30 a.m.	Morning Worship Mr. Cairns preaching	Sanctuary
11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Mr. Cairns preaching	Sanctuary
6:30 p.m.	Vespers Service Mr. Ficca preaching	Sanctuary

Parking is available Sundays at 900 North Michigan (access from Rush or Walton Street) at the rate of \$5.50 until 2:00 p.m. and \$6.25 after 5:00 p.m. and at the John Hancock Center, 875 North Michigan Avenue (access Chestnut Street), at the rate of \$5.00 until 2:00 p.m. Weekday parking is available after 5:00 p.m. at 900 North Michigan at the rate of \$6.25. Tickets must be validated in the coffee hour or at the Chestnut Street reception desk.

For child care arrangements (other than during Sunday morning worship services),
call (312) 787-2729, ext. 282 at least three working days in advance.