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October 14, 2001 *Nineteenth Sunday After Pentecost*

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We are free agents. . . . We have been given the freedom to “choose ourselves.”  
. . . . The greatest power we have in life is the power to decide what we want to do  
with our lives, what we want to give them to.

Huston Smith

*Why Religion Matters:*

*The Fate of the Human Spirit in an Age of Disbelief*

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** Prelude, Fugue, and Variation *César Franck*

**Introit** Behold us, Lord, a little space from daily tasks set free and met within thy holy place, communing, Lord, with thee. Amen.

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

**\*Hymn 371** "Lift High the Cross" *George W. Kitchin*

**Prayer of Confession** *(unison)*

**Eternal God, our judge and redeemer, we confess that we have tried to hide from you, for we have done wrong. We have lived for ourselves and apart from you. We have turned from our neighbors and refused to bear the burdens of others. We have ignored the pain of the world and passed by the hungry, the poor, and the oppressed. In your great mercy, forgive our sins and free us from selfishness, that we may choose your will and obey your commandments; through Jesus Christ our savior. Amen.**

**Declaration of Pardon**

Leader: Friends, believe the good news.

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

(9:30 and 11:00) **Sacrament of Baptism**

(9:30 and 11:00) **Unison Prayer**

**Holy God, remind us of the promises given in our own baptism and renew our trust in you. Make us strong to obey your will and to serve you with joy; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**Concerns of the Church**

**Minute for Mission**

**Psalter** Psalm 66:1-12 *(responsively)* (page 528, O.T)

(8:00) **Anthem** "Let All the World Rejoice" *Joseph M. Martin*  
Praise to the Lord, all people adore him. Praise to the Lord, ye heavens above. Let all the world resound with thanksgiving. Let all the nations give honor and glory to God. Let all the world rejoice. Let all the world in every corner sing. Let all the world rejoice and sing. Let every voice sing praises to the king. He is our rock. He is our fortress. He alone is worthy of our praise.

(9:30 and 11:00) **Anthem** "With a Voice of Singing" *Kenneth Jennings*  
With a voice of singing declare ye and tell this; utter it even to the end of the earth. Hallelujah. The Lord hath redeemed his servant Jacob. Make a joyful noise unto God, all ye lands. Sing forth the honor of his name; make his praise glorious. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

**First Lesson** Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7 (page 731, O.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** Luke 16:1-13 (page 79, N.T.)  
**Sermon** by John M. Buchanan  
YOUR CENTER OF VALUE  
"No slave can serve two masters. . . . You cannot serve God and wealth." Luke 16:13 (NRSV)

**\*Hymn 422** "God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending" *Robert L. Edwards*

**\*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** Give ear, O Lord, to our petitions. May our spoken and unspoken prayers be heard, through Jesus Christ our savior. Amen.

**Offering**

(8:00) **Offertory Solo** "So Shall the Lute and Harp" *George Frideric Handel*  
from *Judas Maccabaeus*  
Valerie Clark, soprano

(9:30 and 11:00) **Offertory Anthem**

“Jubilate Deo”

*Hans Leo Hassler*

Sing unto the Lord, all ye lands; with gladness serve him, with gladness serve the Lord. Come before him, come before his presence with songs of exultation, and know ye that the Lord he is God. It is he that hath made us and not we ourselves.

**\*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 - see; 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: **Almighty and merciful God, from whom comes all that is good, we praise you for your mercies, for your goodness that has created us, your grace that has sustained us, your discipline that has corrected us, your patience that has borne with us, and your love that has redeemed us. Help us to love you and to be thankful for all your gifts by serving you and delighting to do your will, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**\*Hymn 414** “As Those of Old Their Firstfruits Brought”

*Frank von Christierson*

**Benediction and Response**

**Postlude** Jubilate

*William Mathias*

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\*Stand as you are able.

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## Today's Worship

<b>Morning Worship Leaders</b>	8:00: Paulo França, Alice Trowbridge, John M. Buchanan 9:30: John H. Boyle, Laurie Armstrong, John M. Buchanan 11:00: Calum I. MacLeod, Donna Gray, John M. Buchanan
<b>Vespers Leaders</b>	Calum I. MacLeod and Teri Peterson
<b>The Music Today</b>	8:00: The Chancel Choir 9:30: The Morning Choir and Children's and Youth Choir 11:00: The Morning Choir 6:30: The Vespers Choir

César Franck (1822-1890), composer of this morning's prelude, was trained as a pianist but became organist of St. Clotilde in Paris in 1858. Franz Liszt compared Franck's skill to that of Johann Sebastian Bach, and Franck's outstanding ability as an improviser was legendary.

The children being baptized at the 9:30 service are Robert Deveraux Butler, son of Deveraux and Susan Effinger Butler; Madeleine Sayers Carrane, daughter of Robert Anthony and Katherine Ellen Sheppard Carrane; Thomas Nile Hager III, son of Thomas Nile Hager Jr. and Kathy Lynne Hager; John Francis Owen McDermott, son of James and Mary McGrae McDermott; Matthew Foster Walsh, son of Michael Walsh and Elizabeth Foster; and Julius Luther Weyandt, son of Scott and Leah Romine Weyandt. The children being baptized at the 11:00 service are Sarah Hunt Borland, daughter of Edward Sivage and Samantha Sadler Borland; Alessandra Louise Betty Latherow and Brandon Theodore Dannen Latherow, daughter and son of Jerry and Kersten Stenson Latherow; Molly Kate McBrayer, daughter of Jeffrey and Katie Walker McBrayer; Kevin James O'Kelley, son of James and Anne Marie Kammann O'Kelley; and Owen Spencer Patterson, son of Devon Gerald and Melissa Kirby Patterson.

FOR LARGE PRINT BULLETINS, SEE AN USHER.

- > Childcare for infants and toddlers is available in Westminster 14.
- > Individual listening devices for improved sound are available in the Narthex.

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THE FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF CHICAGO

**Vespers Service**

6:30 p.m.

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

**Prelude**

Rubrics

*Dan Locklair*

"The peace may be exchanged."

**Call to Worship**

**\*Hymn 234**

"I to the Hills Will Lift Mine Eyes"

*Psalm 121*

**Prayer of Confession**

*(unison)*

**Holy God, righteous and merciful, cleanse our minds and free our consciences from the things that divide us from you. We have shut our eyes to your glory, our minds to your truth, and our hearts to your Spirit. And yet we want to love you, Lord, to offer you true worship and joyful service. Pardon and deliver us from all our sins; and since all your paths are loving and sure, guide us in the way we should go, and lead us to life everlasting; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**Declaration of Pardon**

Leader:

Friends, believe the good news.

People:

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

**Concerns of the Church**

**First Lesson**

Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7

(page 731, O.T.)

**Anthem**

"Let All the World Rejoice"

*Joseph M. Martin*

Praise to the Lord, all people adore him. Praise to the Lord, ye heavens above. Let all the world resound with thanksgiving. Let all the nations give honor and glory to God. Let all the world rejoice. Let all the world in every corner sing. Let all the world rejoice and sing. Let every voice sing praises to the king. He is our rock. He is our fortress. He alone is worthy of our praise.

**Second Lesson**

Luke 17:11-19

(page 80, N.T.)

Leader:

The Word of the Lord.

People:

**Thanks be to God.**

**Communion Meditation**

by Calum I. MacLeod

SEEING AND HEALING

**\*Hymn 399**

"We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight"

*Henry Alford*

**\*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** "I'm Going to Sing" *African American spiritual  
arr. Ronald E. Anderson*  
I'm going to sing when the Spirit says sing and obey the  
Spirit of the Lord. I'm going to shout when the Spirit says  
shout. I'm going to pray when the Spirit says pray. Alleluia.

**\*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**

**Closing Responses**

Leader: Just as a grain of wheat must die in the earth in order to  
bring forth a rich harvest,  
People: **so your Son died on the cross to bring a rich harvest of love.**  
Leader: Just as the harvest of wheat must be ground into flour to  
make bread,  
People: **so the suffering of your Son brings us the bread of life.**  
Leader: Just as the bread gives our bodies strength for our daily work,  
People: **so the risen body of your Son gives us strength to follow your  
ways. Amen.**

**\*Hymn 542** "All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night" *Thomas Ken*

**Benediction**

**Postlude** Rubrics *D. Locklair*  
"The people respond—Amen!"

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\*Stand as you are able.

## 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 and beliefs either **Saturday, October 20**, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon; **Sunday, October 28**, 12:30-3:30 p.m.; or **Monday, November 5**, 6:30-9:30 p.m.

This class is a prerequisite for membership. No prior registration is necessary. For further information, contact Anne Crow at ext. 369 (acrow@fourthchurch.org).

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](http://www.fourthchurch.org).

### TODAY AT FOURTH CHURCH

**The newly releaded west stained-glass window** in the chancel, above the choir loft, is in the process of being reinstalled after having been removed this summer for upkeep and repair.

**Special offering envelopes** in the pew racks can be used to make a gift to the Partners in Education programs of Fourth Church. In the PIE Tutoring Program, more than 500 students meet weekly with tutors at Fourth Church during the school year. Each \$250 gift toward Tutoring supports one student's participation in the program for a year.

**The exhibit "Sunshine from Darkness,"** on display in Anderson Hall in conjunction with Mental Illness Awareness Month, features works of accomplished artists who also have a mental illness. Organized by the National Alliance for Research on Schizophrenia and Depression (NARSAD), this exhibit continues through October. A listing of other events and opportunities being offered as part of Mental Illness Awareness

### Zurich Boys' Choir Concert Cancelled

The concert by the Zurich Boys' Choir, originally scheduled for Tuesday, October 16, has been cancelled due to a change in the choir's travel plans.

Month can be found on informational cards in the literature racks. Books on the topic are available at the Book Cart during Coffee Hour.

**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.

**Fourthlights** (40s and older) does not meet this morning because of the Fourthlights Retreat, but it resumes its weekly Sunday morning gatherings next Sunday at 9:15 a.m. in the Dining Room for a presentation by Daniel Kirschenbaum on "The Nine Truths about Weight Loss."

**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, 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 "Violence and the Next Generation," taught by James Poling. Academy course catalogues are available in the literature racks.



**Junior High Youth Group** (grades 6-7) meets from 10:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. in the Crow's Nest. Next Sunday the group will meet in the Crow's Nest for lunch after the 11:00 service and afterwards will participate in the CROP Walk.

**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.

**The Albanian luncheon**, featuring Figor Muca as speaker and scheduled for Sunday, October 14, has been cancelled due to a change in Mr. Muca's travel plans.

**Fourthcomers (20s and 30s)** meets at 12:30 p.m. outside the Page Smith Room to go to lunch and then visit the Mexican Fine Arts Center (1852 W. 19 Street) at 2:00 p.m. Next Sunday the group will participate in the CROP Walk, meeting at 12:30 p.m. outside the Page Smith Room to go to lunch and register. For more information about the CROP Walk, see page 10.

**Senior High Youth Group** meets at 4:30 p.m. in the Crow's Nest for "They Don't Get It! A Primer for Dealing with Parents." Next Sunday

the group will meet in the Crow's Nest for lunch after the 11:00 service and afterwards will participate in the CROP Walk.

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## COMING EVENTS

**Professional Women with Children** meets for lunch on Monday, October 15 at 12:00 noon at the Women's Athletic Club. Call Lisa Cochrane at ext. 271 to make a reservation.

**Fourthcomers Book Group** discusses *To Kill a Mockingbird* on Tuesday, October 16 at 7:00 p.m. in a member's home. For more information or directions, call the Fourthcomers Infoline at ext. 385.

**Young Adult Bible Study** (20s and 30s) meets on Tuesday, October 16 at 7:30 p.m. in the Randolph Room to discuss Psalm 37:3-5 and the meaning of commitment and the importance of being good stewards.

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## "Women at Fourth Connect" This Thursday

"Leading Ladies" is the topic of this fall's "Women at Fourth Connect" gathering. Hosted by Presbyterian Women in Fourth Church, this dinner and program begins at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 18 in Anderson Hall. Jeanne Porter author of *Leading Ladies: Transformative Biblical Images for Women's Leadership*, will present the program. To make a dinner reservation, call the church receptionist at (312) 787-4570.

**Mothers' Bible Study** meets Wednesday, October 17 at 9:30 a.m. in the Large Conference Room for fellowship and a discussion of the book of Acts. Childcare is available.

**Noonday Bible Study**, which discusses the upcoming Sunday's texts and is led by the pastoral staff, meets Wednesday, October 17 at 12:10 p.m. in the Large Conference Room.

**Job search seminars** are being offered at Fourth Church by the Career Transitions Center. These seminars are on Wednesday nights at 6:30 p.m. in the Randolph Room. To register, call Carol Allerton at ext. 265.

**Venture Fourth Book Group** discusses Shusaku Endo's *Silence* on Thursday, October 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the Manse.

**The Center for Older Adults Bible Study**, led by Carol Allen, meets Friday, October 19 at 10:00 a.m. in the Anderson Hall South Balcony.

**Sopranos Natalie and Stephanie Mann** will perform as part of the free Noonday Concert Series Friday, October 19 at 12:10 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

**The Fourthcomers open house** on Friday, October 19 is a great opportunity for young adults to socialize in a relaxed setting and learn more about upcoming Fourthcomers activities. The open house will be held in the Manse from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. RSVP to Anne Crow, ext 369.

**The Fourth Acts** gathering scheduled for Sunday, October 14 has been rescheduled for Sunday, October 21 at 12:15 p.m. This group of those interested in performing dramatic readings that enhance worship meets once a month.

**A Fourthcomers Discernment Dinner**, a monthly young adult gathering for dinner and discussions of faith, will be held Tuesday, October 23 at a local restaurant. This month's topic, "From Sea to Shining Sea: Does God Have a Country?" considers issues of patriotism and faith. RSVP to Anne Crow at ext. 369 by Monday, October 22.

**Fourthnights (40s and older)** meets on Friday, October 26 at 6:30 p.m. in Anderson Hall for a "speed dating" social. Space is limited. For registration information, call the Fourthnights Infoline at ext. 494.

**Venture Fourth** will take a "Ghost Tour by Bus" on Friday, October 26. Dinner will be at 6:30 p.m. at Typhoon, followed by an 8:00 p.m. tour departure (for the tour, meet in the Chestnut Street lobby). RSVP and purchase tickets by Wednesday, October 24 by calling the Infoline at ext. 259 or e-mail fellowship@fourthchurch.org.

**"Stop the Clock: When Someone I Love is Depressed"** will be the topic of a luncheon presentation by Judith Schneider on Sunday, October 28 at 12:15 p.m. in the Activity Center. Make reservations at the

Mental Illness Awareness Table at Coffee Hour or call ext. 371.

**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.

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## **CROP Walk to Fight Hunger**

Join various groups and individuals from Fourth Church in walking or sponsoring a walker in the annual 10K Chicago CROP Walk next Sunday, October 21. The CROP Walk raises money to be used in fighting hunger around the world and in Chicago. The walk begins at 2:15 p.m. at the Chicago Circle Center at the UIC Campus (700 S. Halsted Street), with registration from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. For information or to sign up to walk, sponsor a walker, or be a volunteer the day of the walk, stop by the Volunteer Table during Coffee Hour or call Vayram Nyadroh at ext. 319.

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**The Elam Davies Social Service Center needs** used fall and winter clothing for men and women, including outerwear, scarves, gloves, and men's suits and pants. Donations can be dropped off at the church reception desk or in the Social Service bin outside the Dining Room.

**Your help is needed.** Among current needs are

- > Tutors to work with students from Cabrini-Green one night a week at Fourth Church, especially on Thursday evenings.
- > Kids' Cafe helper Thursdays from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.
- > Sunday school teachers for kindergarten and first grade classes at 9:30 a.m. and third grade class at 11:00 a.m. (alternate Sundays with other teachers).
- > Drivers to serve on a rotation until Christmas to take three boys who participated in the Deacons Youth Tennis Camp to a Saturday tennis camp (11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.); coordinator of drivers also needed.

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.

## **“TRUST, TAKE DELIGHT, AND COMMIT” STEWARDSHIP SEASON 2002**

October is stewardship season at Fourth Presbyterian Church, a time when we celebrate the individual and collective gifts that together support the operations, mission, and ministry of this congregation. On behalf of the Stewardship Committee, Sarah Ummel and Fred Henry are presenting this morning’s Minute for Mission.

Stewardship materials have been mailed and pledge cards are available in the pew racks. The Stewardship Committee asks that you please submit your 2002 pledge by Sunday, October 28, either by placing it in the offering plate or by mailing it to the church. It is these pledges that enable Fourth Church to faithfully plan and carry out programs, mission outreach, and ministry for the year ahead.

As pledges are received, the blue covering on the Sanctuary banners will be cut away, revealing images of Christian faith and love and symbolizing what our collective gifts can do. Many of the images in the banners, designed and created by Nancy Chinn, of Oakland, California, come from the nave windows. Toward the end of the 2002 stewardship season, look for a printed list of all the images, their locations in the nave, and their meanings.

*For more information about stewardship and pledging, contact Sarah Sarchet Butter at ext. 270 ([ssbutter@fourthchurch.org](mailto:ssbutter@fourthchurch.org)) or Carolyn Schwenke at ext. 397 ([cschwenke@fourthchurch.org](mailto:cschwenke@fourthchurch.org)).*

## Weekly Calendar

### Sunday, October 14

7:50 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.	Nursery	Westminster 14
<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship Dr. Buchanan</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
9:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour	Anderson Hall
9:30 a.m.	Sunday school	Westminster House
9:30 a.m.	The Academy for Faith and Life	Parish House
9:30 a.m.	John Knox Bible Study	Page Smith Room
<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship Dr. Buchanan</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
10:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour	Anderson Hall
10:45 a.m.	Junior High Youth Group	Crow's Nest
11:00 a.m.	Venture Fourth	Manse
11:00 a.m.	Sunday school	Westminster House
11:00 a.m.	Academy for Faith and Life	Parish House
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship Dr. Buchanan</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
12:15 p.m.	Coffee Hour	Anderson Hall
12:15 p.m.	Church Tour begins	Sanctuary
12:15 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer	Stone Chapel
12:30 p.m.	Fourthcomers	(see announcement)
12:30 p.m.	Venture Fourth	Chestnut Street lobby
4:30 p.m.	Senior High Youth Group	Crow's Nest
5:00 p.m.	Sunday Night Community Supper	Dining Room
5:30 p.m.	Vespers Choir rehearsal	Sanctuary
<b>6:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Vespers Service Mr Macleod preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
7:30 p.m.	Coffee Reception	Loggia

### Monday, October 15

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
12:00 p.m.	Professional Women with Children	(see announcement)

### Tuesday, October 16

7:00 p.m.	Fourthcomers Book Group	(see announcement)
7:30 p.m.	Young Adult Bible Study	Randolph Room

### Wednesday, October 17

9:30 a.m.	Mothers' Bible Study	Large Conference Room
12:10 p.m.	Noonday Bible Study	Large Conference Room
6:30 p.m.	Job Search Seminar	Randolph Room

### Thursday, October 18

6:00 p.m.	"Women at Fourth Connect"	Anderson Hall
7:30 p.m.	Venture Fourth Book Group	Manse

### Friday, October 19

10:00 a.m.	Center for Older Adults Bible Study	Anderson Hall South Balcony
12:10 p.m.	Concert: Sopranos Natalie and Stephanie Mann	Sanctuary
6:30 p.m.	Fourthcomers Open House	Manse

### Saturday, October 20

9:00 a.m.	Inquirers' Class	Page Smith Room
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### Sunday, October 21

<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship Ms. Ferguson preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship Ms. Ferguson preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship Ms. Ferguson preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
<b>6:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Vespers Service Mr. França preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>

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