

O gracious and holy God, give us diligence to seek you,
wisdom to perceive you, and patience to wait for you.
Grant us, O God, a mind to meditate on you;
eyes to behold you; ears to listen for your word;
a heart to love you; and a life to proclaim you; through
the power of the Spirit of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Benedict of Nursia (c. 480–547)

WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

We are grateful for your presence and invite you to participate in the worship, program, and service life of Fourth Church.

During Today's Worship

Large-print bulletins, Bibles, and hymnals and individual listening devices for improved sound are available in the back of the sanctuary. Worship also can be heard through the "T" setting of hearing aids.

If your infant or small child needs care during the worship service, you may leave the sanctuary and return as you wish. The worship service audio can be heard in Stone Chapel, where you and your child are also welcome. Child care for infants and toddlers is provided in Westminster 14, through the south transept doors and to the right. See an usher for directions.

Worship bags, containing quiet activities and a bulletin designed for children, are available outside the south transept doors, between the sanctuary and Anderson Hall. Children who are attending worship in the sanctuary are invited to borrow one of these bags.

During the Concerns of the Church, please pass the pew information pads, so that all worshipers have an opportunity to provide updated information and to greet one another by name following the service.

Please turn off all cell phones when in the sanctuary.

If You Are New to Fourth Church

A **church tour** begins at 12:15 p.m., starting at the back of the sanctuary.

Please wear a lapel pin, found in the pew racks, so we might greet you after worship.

We invite you to stop by Coffee Hour after worship for fellowship, conversation, and information about church programs and volunteer opportunities.

Parking is available Sundays at the John Hancock Center, 875 North Michigan Avenue (access Chestnut Street), at the rate of \$7.00 until 2:00 p.m. and at 900 North Michigan (access from Rush or Walton Street) at the rate of \$7.75 to 4:00 p.m. and \$6.00 after 5:00 p.m. Validation tickets must be picked up during Coffee Hour or from the Chestnut Street reception desk.

Inquirers' Class offers an opportunity to explore Presbyterian history and beliefs. This one-session class is also a prerequisite for membership. Attend Monday, August 6 from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.; Saturday, August 18 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon; or Sunday, August 26, 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. For information about membership, contact Calum MacLeod, Associate Pastor, at the church at 312.981.4025 (cmacleod@fourthchurch.org).

Fourth Church Cares

For pastoral care; to notify the church of illnesses, hospitalizations, or deaths; to pass along a prayer request to be remembered in Morning Prayer; or to arrange homebound Communion, contact Ali Trowbridge, Associate Pastor for Congregational Care, at 312.573.3360 (atrowbridge@fourthchurch.org).

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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
(8:00)

Air from *Orchestral Suite No. 3* Johann Sebastian Bach

PRELUDE
(9:30 and 11:00)

Celebration *Michael Keller*
Air from *Orchestral Suite No. 3* Johann Sebastian Bach
I'm Just a Poor Wayfaring Stranger *American folk song*
arr. Tammy Waldrop
Prelude on a Gregorian Theme *Marcel Dupré*
Bell Music from *The Magic Flute* *W. A. Mozart*
arr. Richard Proulx

INTROIT

“Lift Thine Eyes” from *Elijah* *Felix Mendelssohn*
Lift thine eyes to the mountains whence cometh help; thy help
cometh from the Lord, the maker of heaven and earth. He hath
said thy foot shall not be moved. Thy keeper will never slumber.

***DOXOLOGY AND INVOCATION**

(The Hymnal, 592)

***HYMN 138**

“Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!” *Tune: NICAEA*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

(unison)

**Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess
our sinfulness, our shortcomings,
and our offenses against you.
You alone know how often we have sinned
in wandering from your ways,
in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your love.
Have mercy on us, O Lord,
for we are ashamed and sorry
for all we have done to displease you.
Forgive our sins and help us to live in your light
and walk in your ways,
for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.**

DECLARATION OF PARDON

Minister: Friends, believe the good news.

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

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

MINUTE FOR MISSION

PSALTER Psalm 130 (*responsively*) (page 542, O.T.)

ANTHEM “I Will Sing New Songs” from *Biblical Songs*
Antonín Dvorák
I will sing new songs of gladness; I will sing Jehovah’s praises upon a ten-stringed psaltery. Every day will I extol thee and will bless thy holy name. Great is God and great his mercy. Who shall tell of all his greatness? Who shall his power declare? My song shall be of praise and honor and of thy glorious acts. Thy works are wonderful, past our knowing. Yea, we shall tell of thy great kindness and of thy wondrous might, and my voice shall proclaim aloud thy glory.

FIRST LESSON Isaiah 6:1–3 (page 597, O.T.)

Minister: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

***GLORIA PATRI** (The Hymnal, 579)

SECOND LESSON Luke 11:1–13 (page 67, N.T.)

SERMON by Cynthia Campbell
PRAY THIS WAY
“Jesus said to them, ‘When you pray, say’”
Luke 11:2 (NRSV)

***HYMN 349** “Let All Who Pray the Prayer Christ Taught”
Tune: CHESHIRE

***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

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.**

PRAYER RESPONSE

“Amen”

Thomas Gouwens

OFFERING

OFFERTORY SOLO
(8:00)

“Simple Gifts”

*Shaker melody
arr. Mark Hayes*

'Tis the gift to be simple, 'tis the gift to be free, 'tis the gift
to come down where we ought to be, and when we find
ourselves in the place just right, 'twill be in the valley
of love and delight. When true simplicity is gained, to bow
and to bend we shan't be ashamed; to turn, turn will be
our delight, till by turning, turning we come 'round right.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM
(9:30 and 11:00)

“Laudamus te” from *Gloria*

Antonio Vivaldi

We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee,
and we glorify thee, O Lord.

***PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND RESPONSE**

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 AND DEDICATION**

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

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

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

People: **It is right to give 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 276**

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

Tune: FAITHFULNESS

BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE

POSTLUDE

Grand Chorus from *Joshua*

George Frideric Handel

IN THE DETAILS



The Great East Window in the Fourth Presbyterian Church sanctuary was designed by Charles J. Connick with the stone tracery intended to be reminiscent of the traditional “Jesse tree.” With the vine, leaves, and grapes providing a background for the large figures, this window, known as the Nettie Fowler McCormick Memorial Window, is similar to Connick’s east window in the Princeton University Chapel.

Shown on this page is the second window panel from the left, in which Peter stands with book and keys. Below him in the window (*upper right*) is a representation of the New Testament parable of the sower (Mark 4:1–20), and below that is a depiction of the Old Testament allegory of the vineyard and tower on a fruitful hill (Isaiah 5).

One in a series on the architectural details of Fourth Church

Worship Leaders

8:00 a.m.	Joyce Shin, Calum I. MacLeod, Cynthia Campbell
9:30 a.m.	John H. Boyle, Dana Ferguson, Cynthia Campbell
11:00 a.m.	Joyce Shin, Calum I. MacLeod, Cynthia Campbell

The Music Today

8:00 a.m.	Women of the Morning Choir; Andrea Pokrefke, soprano soloist
9:30 a.m.	Women of the Morning Choir; The Handbell Ensemble
11:00 a.m.	Women of the Morning Choir; The Handbell Ensemble

Thomas Gouwens, Associate Organist
Beverly Escuder, Children's Choir Director

Worship Notes

Fourth Church welcomes to its pulpit this morning Cynthia Campbell, a longtime friend of Fourth Church and frequent guest preacher and instructor in the Academy for Faith and Life. Dr. Campbell is Professor of Church and Ministry in addition to serving as the ninth president of McCormick Theological Seminary. She began her ministry in Dallas, Texas, and served as Associate Professor of Theology and Ministry at Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary. In 1988, she became pastor of First Presbyterian Church in Salina, Kansas, one of the first large congregations in the denomination to call a woman as head of staff. She has also served on a wide variety of task forces and committees within the PCUSA.

Today's Minute for Mission is being presented by Stacy Jackson, Director of Tutoring and Scholarship, on behalf of Chicago Lights at Fourth Presbyterian Church.

The women of the Morning Choir has been assisting in morning worship services during the month of July. The men of the Morning Choir will sing in August. Anyone interested in participating in an adult or children's choir is encouraged to contact John Sherer at the church at 312.981.3592.

Shown on the bulletin cover is the Children's Fountain, located in the Garth. A gift of Parish House architect Howard Van Doren Shaw, it includes the quotation "For the earth shall be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea," from Isaiah 11:9.

Pastoral Staff

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