

There are no experts in the company of Jesus. We are all beginners, necessarily followers, because we don't know where we are going. On reflection, it is difficult to understand how the term "laity" and the assumptions drawn from it continue to marginalize so many Christians from all-out participation in following Jesus. After all, didn't Jesus call only lay persons to follow him? Not a priest or professor among the twelve men and numerous women followers.

Eugene H. Peterson, *The Jesus Way:
A Conversation on the Ways Jesus Is the Way*

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

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

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

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 today from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Monday, February 4 from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.; or Saturday, February 16 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. 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)

Prière

Darius Milhaud

PRELUDE
(9:30 and 11:00)

Prière
Choral in B Minor

Darius Milhaud
César Franck

INTROIT

“The Lord Hath Manifested Forth His Glory” *Leo Sowerby*
The Lord hath manifested forth his glory.
O come, let us adore him.

***DOXOLOGY AND INVOCATION**

(The Hymnal, 592)

***HYMN 464**

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

Tune: HYMN TO JOY

PRAYER OF CONFESSION
(*unison*)

**Merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you
with our whole heart and mind and strength.
We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
In your mercy forgive what we have been,
help us amend what we are,
and direct what we shall be,
so that we may delight in your will
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your holy name.
Amen.**

DECLARATION OF PARDON

Minister: Friends, believe the good news.

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

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

MINUTE FOR MISSION

**Stand as you are able.*

PSALTER	Psalm 27:1–9 (<i>responsively</i>)	(page 476, O.T.)
ANTHEM (8:00)	“Lord, Make Us Servants” Lord, make us servants of your peace. Where there is hate, may we sow love; where there is hurt, may we forgive; where there is strife, may we make one. Where all is doubt, may we sow faith; where all is gloom, may we sow hope; where all is night, may we sow light; where all is tears, may we sow joy. Jesus our Lord, may we not seek to be consoled, but to console, nor look to understanding hearts, but look for hearts to understand. May we not look for love’s return, but seek to love unselfishly, for in our giving we receive and in forgiving are forgiven. Dying, we live and are reborn through death’s dark night to endless day. Lord, make us servants of your peace, to wake at last in heaven’s light.	<i>Robert N. Roth</i>
ANTHEM (9:30 and 11:00)	“Light” Light. Divining light, light of truth, illuminating light, warming light, softening light, soothing light, serene revealing light. Light which pierces the dark shadows of ignorance, the shadows of intolerance, indifference. Night falls on the soul. I awaken from darkness to peace. I awaken to love. I awaken to life, to hope, to deep knowing, to light.	<i>Greg Jasperse</i>
FIRST LESSON	Genesis 12:1–4a	(page 9, O.T.)
	Minister: The Word of the Lord.	
	People: Thanks be to God.	
*GLORIA PATRI		(The Hymnal, 579)
SECOND LESSON	Matthew 4:12–23	(page 3, N.T.)
SERMON (8:00)	by Joyce Shin NEGOTIATING LOYALTIES	
SERMON (9:30 and 11:00)	by John M. Buchanan FOUND–CALLED “He saw two other brothers, James . . . and his brother John, in the boat with their father . . . and he called them. Immediately they left the boat and their father, and followed him.” Matthew 4:21, 22 (NRSV)	
*HYMN 280	“Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound” <i>Tune: AMAZING GRACE</i>	

*** 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

"Hear Our Prayer, O Lord"

Edwin Fissinger

Hear our prayer, O Lord; incline thine ear to us,
and grant us thy peace. Amen.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY SOLO
(8:00)

"Save Me, O Lord"

Feliz Mendelssohn

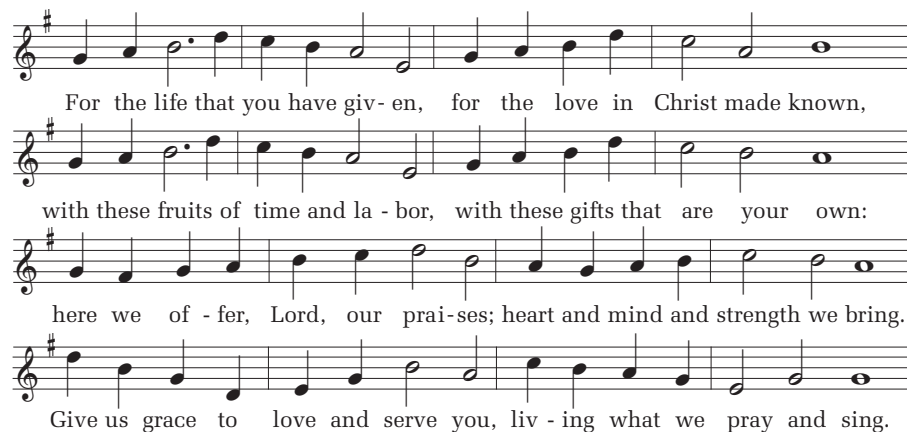
OFFERTORY ANTHEM
(9:30 and 11:00)

"Proclaim the Lord"

Dan Locklair

Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God. He is the
holy one. Put your trust in the Lord and do good.

***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 our thanks and praise.**

All: **Eternal God, creator of the world and giver of all good,
we thank you for the earth, our home,
and for the gift of life.**

**We praise you for your love in Jesus Christ,
who came to heal this broken world,
who died rejected on the cross
and rose triumphant from the dead.**

**Because he lives, we live to praise you, our God forever.
Gracious God, who called us from death to life,
we give ourselves to you; and with the church
through all ages we thank you for your saving love
in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

***HYMN 434**

“Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples”

Tune: KINGSFOLD

BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE

POSTLUDE
(8:00)

Postlude

William Mathias

POSTLUDE
(9:30 and 11:00)

Suite Gothique
Toccata

Léon Boëllmann

Lent

at Fourth Presbyterian Church

This year our Lenten journey begins on Wednesday, February 6. Along the way toward Palm Sunday (March 16), Holy Week, and Easter (March 23), Fourth Church offers a variety of opportunities for Lenten reflection.

Ash Wednesday Services

Wednesday, February 6

12:10 and 7:30 p.m. in the sanctuary

Communion and the opportunity for the imposition of ashes will be a part of both services.

Lenten Devotions

Written by Fourth Church members and staff, daily Lenten devotions will again be available by e-mail (send addresses to devotions@fourthchurch.org), on the website www.fourthchurch.org, and in a printed booklet available on Ash Wednesday, February 6 in the church literature racks.

Wednesday Midweek Lenten Services

Beginning Wednesday, February 13

Each Wednesday in Lent, members and friends are invited to a time of worship held in Blair Chapel at 6:30 p.m.

Annual Lenten Retreat

Julian's Window: A Time for Listening in Lent

Saturday, February 9

8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon in Anderson Hall

Led by Linda Loving

Retreat brochures are available in the literature racks.

Worship Leaders

8:00 a.m.	Thomas C. Rook, Martha Langford, Joyce Shin
9:30 a.m.	John H. Boyle, Dana Ferguson, John M. Buchanan
11:00 a.m.	Thomas C. Rook, Dana Ferguson, John M. Buchanan

The Music Today

8:00 a.m.	The Chancel Choir; Cole Seaton, tenor soloist
9:30 a.m.	The Morning Choir; Callie Thompson, soprano soloist; Elizabeth Anderson, mezzo-soprano soloist; Mark Eldred, tenor soloist; Michael Swenson, baritone soloist
11:00 a.m.	The Morning Choir; Callie Thompson, soprano soloist; Elizabeth Anderson, mezzo-soprano soloist; Mark Eldred, tenor soloist; Michael Swenson, baritone soloist

John W. W. Sherer, Organist and Director of Music
Thomas Gouwens, Associate Organist

Worship Notes

Today's Minute for Mission is being presented by Mac Sinclair on behalf of the youth of Fourth Church and the Souper Bowl of Caring. The youth invite you to help them reach their Souper Bowl goal of \$13,000 by bringing cans of soup and monetary donations next Sunday, February 3. These donations will be given to the Elam Davies Social Service Center, which will use them to provide food and hot meals for its guests.

Today's 9:30 and 11:00 anthem, "Light," was composed in 2007 by Fourth Church member Greg Jasperse for the 50th Anniversary of the Chicago Children's Choir. The text was inspired by what members of that choir said light meant to them and by the mission statement of the Chicago Children's Choir.

Those who would like to complete a survey about 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. worship opportunities can find the survey online at www.fourthchurch.org.

On the cover: This architectural detail shows the stone and tile ceiling vault sixty feet above the chancel and choir loft. Sculpted by Italian stone cutters during construction of Fourth Church in 1913, the carvings represent various branches of the Reformed family of churches. For Reformed Christians, spirituality, as the practice of faith, finds its roots in scripture and in the historic and contemporary confessions—church-recognized, valid expressions of a reformed, scripture-based faith.

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