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. 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.
- **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. We invite you to stop by Coffee Hour after worship for fellowship, conversation, and information about church programs and volunteer opportunities.
- Parking is available on Sundays at 900 North Michigan (access from Rush or Walton Street) at the rate of \$7.75. Validation tickets for the 900 garage must be picked up during morning Coffee Hour or from the Chestnut Street reception desk. Discounted parking at the Hancock, 875 North Michigan Avenue, is available on Sunday mornings only, at the rate of \$7.00 for three hours. Hancock tickets must be validated in the Narthex.
- Inquirers' Class explores Presbyterian history and beliefs. This one-session class is also a prerequisite for membership. Attend Sunday, July 26 from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Monday, August 3 from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.; or Saturday, August 15 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. For information about membership, contact Linda Loving, Minister for Evangelism, at 312.981.3399 (lloving@fourthchurch.org).

Fourth Church Cares

To notify pastoral staff of personal concerns, illnesses, hospitalizations, or deaths; to pass along a prayer request; or to arrange homebound Communion with a Deacon, contact Ali Trowbridge, Associate Pastor for Congregational Care, at 312.573.3360 (atrowbridge@fourthchurch.org).

MORNING WORSHIP

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

PRELUDE Orchestral Suite No. 3 Johann Sebastian Bach

Air

Introit "Christ Is Our Cornerstone" John Darwall

arr. Theodore Hoelty-Nickel

Christ is our cornerstone, on him alone we build; with his true saints alone, the courts of heaven are filled. On his great love our hopes we place of present grace and joys above.

*Doxology and Invocation

(The Hymnal, 592)

*HYMN 343 "Called as Partners in Christ's Service"

Tune: Beecher

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Merciful God, in your gracious presence we confess our sin and the sin of this world. Although Christ is among us as our peace, we are a people divided against ourselves as we cling to the values of a broken world. The profit and pleasures we pursue lay waste the land and pollute the seas. The fears and jealousies that we harbor set neighbor against neighbor and nation against nation. We abuse your good gifts of imagination and freedom, of intellect and reason, and turn them into bonds of oppression. Lord, have mercy upon us; heal and forgive us. Set us free to serve you in the world as agents of your reconciling love in Jesus Christ. Amen.

DECLARATION OF PARDON

Minister: Friends, believe the good news. People: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

ANTHEM "O Praise God in His Holiness" C. Armstrong Gibbs

O praise God in his holiness; praise him in the firmament of his power. Praise him in his noble acts; praise him according to his excellent greatness. Praise him in the sound of the trumpet; praise him upon the lute and harp. Praise him in the cymbals and dances; praise him upon the strings and pipe. Praise him upon the well tuned cymbals; praise him upon the loud cymbals. Let everything that hath

breath praise the Lord.

PSALTER Psalm 89:20–37 (responsively) (page 516, O.T.)

*GLORIA PATRI (The Hymnal, 579)

Scripture Lesson Ephesians 2:11–22 (page 181, N.T.)

Minister: The Word of the Lord. People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON by Joann H. Lee

THE DIVIDING WALL

"For he is our peace; in his flesh he has made both groups into one and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us."

Ephesians 2:14 (NRSV)

*Hymn 438 "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" Tune: Dennis

*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;

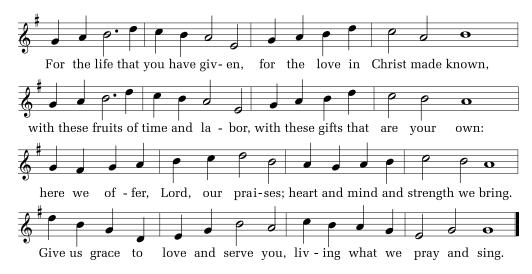
the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

OFFERING

Offertory Solo "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!"

Healey Willan

*Offertory Response



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THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION

GREAT THANKSGIVING

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**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.

PRAYER

Minister: It is indeed right . . .

... who forever sing to the glory of your name:



hea- ven and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san-na in the high-est. Bles-sed is the



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Minister: And now . . .

... Great is the mystery of faith.

All: Christ has died. Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

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.

THE COMMUNION

How sweet the name of Jesus sounds in a believer's ear. It soothes his sorrows, heals his wounds, and drives away all fear. It makes the wounded spirit whole and calms the troubled breast; 'tis manna to the hungry soul and to the weary, rest. Dear name, the rock on which I build, my shield and hiding place, my never-failing treasury filled with boundless stores of grace.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION (unison)

Loving God, you have given us a share in the one bread and the one cup and made us one with Christ.

Help us to bring your peace, joy, and reconciling love to all the world.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

*HYMN 507 "I Come with Joy" Tune: Dove of Peace

BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE

Postlude Triumphal March Nicolas Jacques Lemmens

The Lord's Supper at Fourth Presbyterian Church

THE LORD'S SUPPER is the sign and seal of eating and drinking in communion with the crucified and risen Lord. In this act, we remember that during his earthly ministry, Jesus shared meals with his followers and sat at dinner tables as a sign of acceptance of the sinner and the outcast. In the act of remembering that is the Lord's Supper, we receive and trust the love of Christ present to us and to the world. Through it, we are renewed and empowered to be the church, the body of Christ, in the world.

The invitation to the Lord's Supper is not just for Presbyterians or "members of the church." All who confess Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord are invited to partake of the Lord's Supper. Even one who doubts or whose trust is wavering may receive the bread and grape juice (in place of wine) in order to be assured of God's love and grace in Jesus Christ.

This morning, Communion is served by intinction. The congregation will come forward by the center aisle to receive the bread, which they will then dip into the chalice of grape juice. Worshipers will return to their pews by the side aisles.

Portions of the text above adapted from The Book of Order

WORSHIP LEADERS

Thomas C. Rook, Jocelyn C. Cadwallader, Joann H. Lee

THE MUSIC TODAY

Men of the Morning Choir John W. W. Sherer, Organist and Director of Music

WORSHIP NOTES

The men of the Morning Choir will be singing during morning worship services in July. The women of the Morning Choir will sing in August and the Chancel choir will return in September.

The textile banners and pulpit parament, "Unweavings" created by Laurie Wohl, were commissioned by Fourth Church for use during the liturgical season of Ordinary Time, the longest season of the church year (the season between Epiphany and Lent and between Pentecost and Advent). Through their combination of scripture texts and image, these banners celebrate and elevate the perception of the sacred in the "ordinary" as we make our faith journey day to day.

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