

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 folders, containing quiet activities and a bulletin designed for children, are available from the ushers outside the south transept doors, between the sanctuary and Anderson Hall, and in the Narthex, at the back of the sanctuary.

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.

A church tour begins at 12:45 p.m., starting at the back of the sanctuary.

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 garage, 875 North Michigan Avenue, is available on Sunday mornings only, at the rate of \$6.00 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 Monday, April 12 from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.; Saturday, April 17 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon; or Sunday, April 25 from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. For information, 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 Sarah Johnson, a member of the pastoral staff, at 312.981.4034 (sjohnson@fourthchurch.org).

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MORNING WORSHIP

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

PRELUDE	Praise the Lord with Drums and Cymbals	<i>Sigfrid Karg-Elert</i> <i>arr. Thomas Brantigan</i>
	Prelude and Fugue in D Major	<i>Johann Sebastian Bach</i>
	Awake, Thou Wintry Earth	<i>J. S. Bach</i> <i>arr. Roberta Bitgood</i>
	The Holy Christ Has Arisen	<i>J. S. Bach</i>
	Canzon Septimi Toni No. 2	<i>Giovanni Gabrieli</i> <i>arr. Robert King</i>

INTROIT	“Alleluia! The Lord Is Risen Indeed”	<i>George Thalben-Ball</i>
	Alleluia! The Lord is risen indeed. O come, let us adore him.	
	Alleluia!	

***DOXOLOGY AND INVOCATION** (The Hymnal, 592)

***HYMN 123** “Jesus Christ Is Risen Today” *Tune: EASTER HYMN*

PRAYER OF THE DAY *(unison)*

**Brightness of God’s glory, whom death could not conquer
nor the tomb imprison, as you have shared our frailty
in human flesh, help us to share your immortality in
the Spirit. Let no shadow of the grave terrify us,
and no fear of darkness turn our hearts from you.
Reveal yourself to us this day and all our days,
as the first and the last, the Living One,
our immortal Savior and Lord. Amen.**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(unison)*

**Almighty God, in raising Jesus from the grave,
you shattered the power of sin and death.
We confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear,
bound by the ways that lead to death.
Forgive our dread of dying, our hopelessness,
and set us free for the victory of Jesus Christ,
who was dead but lives among us.
Help us trust your power to change our lives
and make us anew, that we may know the joy of life
abundant given in Jesus Christ, the risen Lord. Amen.**

**Stand as you are able.*

DECLARATION OF PARDON

Minister: Friends, believe the good news.

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

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

PSALTER Psalm 118:1–2, 14–24 (*responsively*) (page 534, O.T.)

ANTHEM “Since by Man Came Death” from *Messiah*
George Frideric Handel

Since by man came death, by man came also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive.

FIRST LESSON Isaiah 25:6–9 (page 613, N.T.)

Minister: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

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

SECOND LESSON John 20:1–18 (page 108, N.T.)

SERMON JOHN BUCHANAN

A New World at First Light

“*Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you looking for?*”

John 20:15 (NRSV)

***HYMN 115** “Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain” *Tune: ST. KEVIN*

***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"

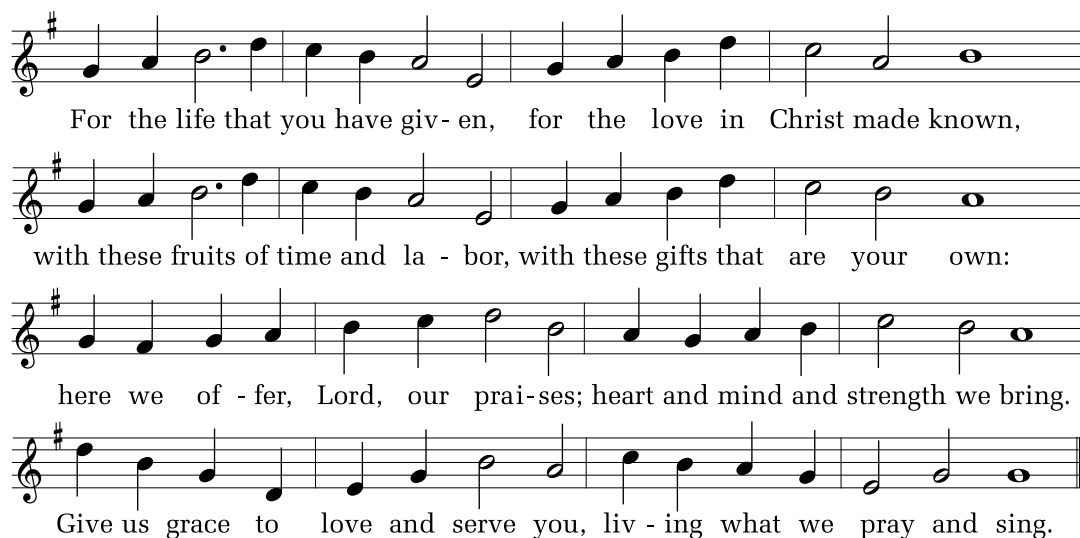
Orlando Gibbons

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM "Worthy Is the Lamb" from *Messiah* *G. F. Handel*

Worthy is the Lamb that was slain and hath redeemed us to God by his blood to receive power and riches and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and blessing. Blessing and honor, glory and power, be unto him that sitteth upon the throne and unto the Lamb forever and ever. Amen.

*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,**

**we praise you that your glory has dawned on us
and brought us into this Day of Resurrection.**

**We rejoice that the grave could not hold your Son
and that he has conquered death and is risen
to rule over all powers of this earth.**

**We praise you that he summons us into new life,
to follow him with joy and gladness.**

**By your Spirit, lift us from doubt and despair,
and set our feet in Christ's holy way,
that our lives may be signs of his life
and all we have may show forth his love.**

**Praise, glory, and thanksgiving to you,
our God, forever and ever.**

Amen.

***HYMN 113**

“Christ the Lord Is Risen Today!”

Tune: LLANFAIR

***BENEDICTION**

(please remain standing for the Benediction and Choral Response)

***CHORAL RESPONSE**

“Hallelujah!” from *Messiah*

G. F. Handel

Hallelujah, for the Lord God omnipotent reigneth. The kingdom of this world is become the kingdom of our Lord and of his Christ, and he shall reign forever and ever. King of kings and Lord of lords forever and ever, Hallelujah.

POSTLUDE

Symphonie V
Toccata

Charles-Marie Widor

EASTER FLOWERS

*Gifts supporting Eastertime sanctuary flowers have been made in memory
and in honor of family, friends, and loved ones.*

In Memory of

Mary Shawn Addington	Steven M. Hegedus	William C. S. Pellowe
Marilyn Aggen	Mary Patric Herbst	Martha Petkus
Roy and Evelyn Anderson	Eileen and Walter Herget	John Petty
Evelyn Artwick	Margaret Louise Fisher Hertel	Caroline Phelan
Cleveland S. Baker	Ida Hofmeister	Helen Phelan
Marian Pierpoint Baker	David Hooker	J. Gordon Pixler
Kathleen Bay	Wilfred and Jessie Howe	Edward L. Renno
Richard Beilfuss	Harry and Annette Igo	Alice H. Reynolds
Carol S. Bird	Oscar and Florine Jacobs	Dorothy Ritchie
Mary E. Bolton	Marie Jewell	Glendora and Charles Sandell
Clint and Helma Bowman	Bertha and Robert Kearney	Ada and Ivory Satre
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Blanche and Robert Buchanan	Richard and Nancy Bishop	Marc Sherrod
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Allen N. and Helen Dryhurst	Kenton Randall McKissack	James Woodward Thornton
William T. and Beverly Duboc	James H. Meister	Thomas and Edna Trammell
Hamilton Dyer	Ed and Julia Miller	U.S. Service Members Fallen
William Stewart Edgar	Marcus J. and Betty Cole Miller	Nell Vincent
Stanley and Joanne Erjavac	Eva Jane Milligan	Robert L. White
Commodore and Franke Fisher	Alexander Dale Moncrieff	Robert and Jeanne Whitmer
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Marshall Forde	Joseph and Edith Nicholson	Henry H. Williams
Edward and Norma Freeland	Kenneth Nicholson	Kenneth Burns Wilson
Christian Giambrone	Ruth Frances O'Connell	Mildred W. Wilson
Kenneth Gibboney	Frank and Angela Pace	Roy and Rosemary Winkler
Charles and Dorothy Glas	June Pardini	Frances M. Youngwirth
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F. Coleman Greene	Lorraine and Keith Parsons	Arnold Zimmerman
E. Jean Jones Hamman	Ada Pellowe	Harold V. and
James and Millicent Hansen	Lila Pellowe	Irene H. Zimmerman

In Honor of

Larry and Sue Bentley	Helen T. Golembeski	Janice Rolls
Larry Brown	Josephine and George Horsman	Alan and Brenda Stone
Chester Carter Jr.	The least, the last,	Barbara D. Thomsen
Evelyn and Eugene Cason	the lost, and the lonely	U. S. Service Members
Claire R. S. Cuno	Warren and Delia McClurg	U. S. Veterans
Kate E. S. Cuno	Robert G. Reynolds	U.S. Veterans Disabled
Iatser Cathline Erickson	Thomas H. and	Ellen M. Williams
Dorothy Goerling	Rosaria Rinkoski	

WORSHIP LEADERS

8:00 a.m. Victoria G. Curtiss, Adam Fronczek, John Buchanan
9:30 a.m. Joyce Shin, Calum I. MacLeod, John Buchanan
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THE MUSIC TODAY

8:00 a.m. Tower Brass; the Chancel Choir
9:30 a.m. Tower Brass; the Morning Choir
11:30 a.m. Tower Brass; the Morning Choir

John W. W. Sherer, Organist and Director of Music
Thomas E. Gouwens, Associate Organist
Matthew Comerford, Artistic Director of Tower Brass

WORSHIP NOTES

Tower Brass, Fourth Church's brass octet, participates in 9:30 and 11:00 worship monthly during the academic year.

The One Great Hour of Sharing Offering being received this morning supports Chicago Lights Tutoring and the Elam Davies Social Service Center as well as the work of the Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, Hunger, and Self-Development of People programs. To make a gift to this offering, use the envelopes in the pew racks or write "Lenten Offering" on the memo line of a check made payable to Fourth Presbyterian Church.

This morning's sermon is the last in a series based on incidents in the life of Jesus as recorded in the Gospel of John and inspired by Frances Taylor Gench's book *Encounters with Jesus*. Copies of previous sermons in the series are available in the literature racks and in both audio and transcript formats at www.fourthchurch.org/sermons.html.

The bulletin cover image of an Easter lily, photographed in the chancel of Fourth Church, not only bursts forth, as in joyful hallelujah, but also evokes the form of a dove and thus the gospel acclamation, "This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased." *Awed to Heaven, Rooted in Earth*, by Walter Brueggemann, contains the prayer from which the cover quote is excerpted.

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