



#### **Gathering Music**

We invite you to complete the prayer card found in this worship bulletin and to place it in the plate during the sharing of gifts. Information about the prayer cards is printed on the outside back cover of the bulletin.

#### Welcome

Inspired by the radical hospitality of Jesus Christ, Fourth Presbyterian Church welcomes all of God's children into the life of the church regardless of gender, age, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, physical limitation, educational background, or economic situation.

#### \*Passing of the Peace

Leader: As children of God, let us not be strangers to one another,

but sisters and brothers in Christ. Please stand and greet one another

with the peace of Christ. The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

All are invited to stand and share the peace of Christ with one another.

#### \*Call to Worship

Leader: Jesus Christ, you come to transfigure us and renew us in the image of God:

People: shine in our darkness.

Leader: Jesus Christ, light of our hearts, you know our thirst:

People: lead us to the wellspring of your gospel.

Leader: Jesus Christ, light of the world, you shine in every human being:

People: enable us to discern your presence in each person.

Leader: Jesus Christ, friend of the poor:

People: open in us the gates of simplicity so that we can welcome you.

Leader: Jesus Christ, gentle and humble of heart:

People: renew in us the spirit of childhood.

Leader: Jesus Christ, you send your church to prepare your path in the world:

People: open for all people the gates of your kingdom. Amen.

**\*Song** "The King of Love My Shepherd Is"

#### \*Prayer of Confession (responsively)

Silent Confession

Leader: Lord, you said, "If you love me, you will obey what I command."

People: Forgive us our lukewarm love and our disobedience.

Leader: Lord, you said, "You may ask for anything in my name."

People: Forgive us when we think we need to solve our own problems.

Leader: Lord, you said, "Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid."

People: We confess that our lives are often consumed by worry and anxiety.

Leader: Lord, you said, "If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit."

People: Forgive us our barren lives, Lord.

Leader: Lord, you said, "You must testify, for you have been with me."

People: We confess, Lord, that we have been too often silent.

Leader: Lord, you said, "Love each other as I have loved you."

People: In this and in so many other ways, we confess our failures and shortcomings.

#### Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: Friends, believe the good news.

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

#### **Jazz Improvisation**

# Hearing and Proclaiming the Word

Scripture Reading John 21:15–23 (page 109, N.T.)

**Sermon** by Adam H. Fronczek

**Jazz Improvisation** 

# Sealing the Word

#### **Sharing of Gifts**

Please place gifts and prayer cards in the plate as it is passed.

**Offertory Solo** "Just as I Am, Without One Plea" William B. Bradbury

\*Doxology Lucy Smith

## The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

#### The 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!

**Sanctus** Stephen Rush

#### **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.

The Communion

**Communion Solo** "Love One Another"

Anonymous

**Prayer after Communion** (unison)

God of grace, you find us as we are, flawed and unfinished people; you feed us at your table; you challenge us to be more than we thought we could be; and you send us out into the world to be your witnesses. Help us to share our struggles and our hopes and be strengthened by your love as we seek to be your servants, bringing light into the world. Amen.



**\*Song** "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"

\*Benediction

**Sending Song** 

#### A note on inclusive language

Incorporating ancient and contemporary traditions in this service, God will be named corporately in a variety of ways that are gender neutral. This allows for your personal expressions as you are led to name the Holy in ways meaningful to you.

#### **Worship Leaders**

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#### Acknowledgments:

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#### **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 Carol Allerton in the Congregational Care office at 312.573.3360 (callerton@fourthchurch.org).

# **News and Opportunities**

#### **News and Resources**

**Stay up-to-date on Fourth Church news, resources, and photos:** "Like" Fourth Church on Facebook; follow Fourth Church on Twitter (@FourthChicago).

**Daily devotions,** written by Fourth Church staff, are available in the literature racks, via Facebook and Twitter, and by email: send email addresses to devotions@fourthchurch.org.

A giving kiosk in the Narthex makes it possible to use credit or debit cards to give a gift to Fourth Church, Chicago Lights, or P2C.

**The Book Nook,** which is available during Coffee Hour, will be having a sale on selected titles from now through June 12 and will then go on summer break.

#### **Music and the Arts**

A free concert featuring Coronado Strings will take place on Thursday, June 9 at 7:30 p.m. in the sanctuary.

**Vocalist Jerry Johnson** will perform this Friday's Free Noonday Concert at 12:15 p.m. in the sanctuary.

"Small Bites, Small Bands," featuring local bands and culinary creations from local chefs, will kick off on Friday, June 17 at the Chicago Lights Urban Farm (444 W. Chicago). This all-ages event will be held on the third Friday of the month this summer. For information, contact Natasha Holbert at 312.274.3831 (nholbert@fourthchurch.org).

#### Children, Youth, and Family

The Elevation youth group (grades 6–7) is traveling to Illinois State University next weekend to assist with the Illinois Special Olympics. Please keep these youth and their leaders in your prayers during this June 10–12 mission trip.

**Summer Sunday School** meets Sundays at 9:30 a.m., with a class for three-year-olds, a class for four- and five-year-olds, and a combined class for first through fifth graders.

**Summer Farm Camp** at the Chicago Lights Urban Farm is open to children and youth ages five to fifiteen interested in learning, growing food, and playing at the Urban Farm. Register with Natasha Holbert at 312.274.3831 by Friday, June 10.

A drop-in playgroup will be offered for parents and their children (ages 0-3 years) on Tuesdays beginning June 14 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the Page Smith Room. To register, call Liz Nickerson at 312.573.3366.

**Gardening with Kids,** a workshop for adults who want to learn about gardening projects geared toward children, will be held Saturday, June 18 at the Chicago Lights Urban Farm. For details, call Natasha Holbert at 312.274.3831.

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#### **Enrichment**

**During Women's Health Week** (June 6–10), the Center for Whole Health will host programs focusing on "Getting Your House in Order."

- "Safe and Secure: Damage Control" will be presented on Monday, June 6 at 12:00 noon in the Multipurpose Space at the 737 building; lunch will be available for \$7.
- A book review of Peace and Plenty: Finding Your Path to Financial Serenity by Sarah Van Breathnach will be held Tuesday, June 7 at 11:30 a.m. in the Calvin Room at the 737 building; lunch will be available for \$7.
- A tour of the Chicago Board of Trade will take place on Wednesday, June 8 at 9:45 a.m. For details and to register (required), call the Infoline at 312.787.2729, ext. 410.
- "Financial Planning: Essential(s)" and a breakfast buffet will be held on Thursday, June 9 at 8:30 a.m. in the Multipurpose Space at the 737 building. For details and to register (required), call the Infoline at 312.787.2729, ext. 368.
- "Less is More: Living a Balanced Life" will be presented on Friday, June 10 at 1:00 p.m. in the Multipurpose Space at the 737 building; a wine and cheese reception will be available for \$7.

#### **Weekly Bible Study Opportunities**

CLL, Fridays at 10:30 a.m.

Men's Bible Study will meet Tuesday, June 7 at 7:30 a.m. in the Loop. For details, contact Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364 (dfedaj@fourthchurch.org).

**Books by Women** will discuss When Everything Changed: The Amazing Journey of American Women from 1960 to the Present by Gail Collins at their meeting on Tuesday, June 14 at 6:00 p.m. at the 737 building.

#### Worship

Morning Prayer is held weekdays in Stone Chapel at 9:30 a.m., except Tuesdays when it is at 9:00 a.m.

**Special prayer requests** are included in intercessory prayer in Stone Chapel on Sundays. Individuals can pray there with a Deacon at 10:30 a.m. or 12:45 p.m. or place their prayer requests, written on paper, in one of the prayer boxes outside Stone Chapel or in the Narthex.

A service in the style of Taizé is held on the fourth Friday of the month at 7:30 p.m. The next service will be Friday, June 24.

#### **Volunteers**

#### **Current Volunteer Needs**

**Church members to teach Sunday School** this summer at 9:30 a.m.

Helpers for Summer Day, starting June 27.

Orientation will be June 15 from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m. or June 21 from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.

**Church members to usher** at the 8:00 a.m. worship service

**Church members to replenish a care team** for a family with a chronically ill child (60618 zip code)

#### **Current Donation Needs**

**Men's sturdy clothes** in larger sizes (coats, pants, belts, shoes, etc.)

For details or to volunteer, contact Larry Nicholson, Director of Volunteer Ministry, at 312.981.3382.

# **News and Opportunities**

#### **Mission and Outreach**

A day trip to Harbor Country in southwestern Michigan will be a part of Links for Lights, the 2011 Chicago Lights Golf Classic, on Monday, June 13. Day trippers will enjoy lunch on the lake and visit local artists, while golfers play at the Lost Dunes Golf Club. Spots for foursomes and individual golfers are also still available. Reservations can be made in the Narthex or online at www.chicagolights.org.

The Greater Chicago Food Depository (GCFD) Hunger Walk is Saturday, June 25, and the Chicago Lights Elam Davies Social Service Center (EDSSC) is organizing a team to participate. Funds pledged in support of the team will be used as credits the Social Service Center can spend at the GCFD. To sign up to walk or pledge, stop by the information table in the Narthex or contact Sarah Esparza at 312.981.3388 (sesparza@fourthchurch.org).

A letter urging Governor Pat Quinn to oppose gambling expansion in Chicago is available at www.fourthchurch.org/advocacy.html.

Chicago Shares voucher booklets offer a way to give to those in need on the streets while knowing that the \$1 gift will be redeemed at a participating grocery store or restaurant. To purchase a \$5 booklet, stop by the Narthex after worship or contact Natasha Holbert at 312.274.3831 (nholbert@fourthchurch.org).

**The Benevolent Guild** gathers to create tray favors and stuffed animals for hospitalized children. Meetings are held on Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in the Calvin Room on the 19th floor of the 737 building.

#### **Fellowship**

**Young Adults** meet Sundays for fellowship and conversation at 12:30 p.m. in the 737 building. They also gather on Mondays for beach volleyball at 6:15 p.m. at Oak Street Beach.

**The Fourth Church Men's Group** will host Father Michael Pfleger, who will be interviewed by Father Pfleger's biographer, Bob McClory, on Saturday, June 11 at 8:00 a.m. To RSVP, call 312.787.4570 by 12:00 noon on Wednesday, June 8.

**Fourth for Bridge,** a group for experienced bridge players, will meet on Saturday, June 11. To RSVP, contact Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369 (aellis@fourthchurch.org) by Wednesday, June 8.

**Bridge lessons** through the Center for Life and Learning are offered on Fridays at 10:00 a.m. at the 737 building. To register, contact Ashley Elskus at 312.981.3387 (aelskus@fourthchurch.org).

An All-Church Cookout at the Chicago Lights Urban Farm will be held on Saturday, June 25 at 12:00 noon. Pasta will be provided by Francesca's on Chestnut, along with grilled chicken, vegetables, and salad fixings harvested from the Urban Farm. For more information, contact Natasha Holbert at 312.274.3831 (nholbert@fourthchurch.org).

## **During Today's Worship**

All are encouraged to use the prayer card, found in this worship bulletin, to offer joys and/or concerns. The cards will be collected during the Sharing of Gifts (simply place the card in the offering plate as it is passed). The prayers will then be incorporated into this afternoon's Prayers of the People.

If you have a prayer you would rather not share during worship, you are invited to complete a prayer card found by one of the prayer boxes in the Narthex, at the back of the sanctuary, and it will be passed on to Carol Allerton in the Congregational Care office.

#### All, including children, are invited to the Lord's Table

to receive Communion, which is served by intinction. The congregation will come forward by the center aisle to receive the bread (gluten-free bread is available in the paper "cup" within the basket of bread), which they will then dip into the chalice of nonalchoholic grape juice. Worshipers will return to their pews by the side aisles.

#### Pastoral Staff for 4:00 Worship

Adam H. Fronczek, Associate Pastor for Adult Education and Worship Kerri N. Allen, Pastoral Resident Matthew J. Helms, Pastoral Resident John W. Vest, Associate Pastor for Youth Ministry

Please turn off all cell phones when in 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.

The large banners hanging in the middle of the Sanctuary were created by liturgical artist Shawna Bowman during the 4:00 worship service and are artistic representations of our worship experience.

Large-print Bibles 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. There is also an area in the side aisle where your child can play quietly.

**Worship folders,** containing quiet activities and a bulletin designed for children, are available from an usher.

Printed copies of sermons recently preached at Fourth Church are available in the literature racks outside the South Transept doors (leading to Anderson Hall) and in the Narthex, at the back of the sanctuary. They are also available at www.fourthchurch.org/sermons.html.

### 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 the community meal or the Loggia (through the doors to your left as you face the front of the sanctuary) after worship for fellowship, conversation, and information about church programs and volunteer opportunities.

**Sunday parking is available** at 900 North Michigan (access from Rush or Walton Streets) at the rate of \$7.75. Validation tickets must be picked up from

the 126 E. Chestnut St. reception desk. There is no discounted afternoon parking at the Hancock garage.

Inquirers' Class explores Presbyterian history and beliefs. This one-session class is also a prerequisite for membership. Attend Monday, June 6 from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.; Saturday, June 18 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon; or Sunday, June 26 from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. For information, contact Linda C. Loving, Minister for Evangelism, at 312.981.3399 (lloving@fourthchurch.org).