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.
Call to Worship  “Down to the River to Pray”

Scripture  Luke 4:14–21 (page 57, N.T.)

*Song  “Wade in the Water”

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 change what we are,
and shape 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.

Assurance of Pardon
Leader:  Friends, believe the good news.
People:  In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

*Passing of the Peace
Leader:  As forgiven 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.

*Song  “Halle, Halle”  Caribbean traditional

* Stand as you are able
Hearing and Proclaiming the Word

WorkCamp Reflections

*Song “I Love to Tell the Story”

WorkCamp Reflections

*Song “Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”

WorkCamp Reflections

*Song “Down by the Riverside”

Sealing the Word

Sharing of Gifts

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

Offertory Music “Wayfaring Stranger”

Southern American folk melody

*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

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 Music “Unclouded Day” J. K. Alwood

Prayer after Communion (unison)

Gracious God, you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. You have fed us with the bread of life and renewed us for your service. Help us, who have shared Christ’s body and received his cup, to be his faithful disciples so that our daily living may be part of the life of your kingdom, and our love be your love reaching out into the life of the world. Amen.

Sending

*Closing Song “I’ll Fly Away”

*Benediction

Sending Music
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

John W. Vest        Associate Pastor
Kimberlee Frost     Youth Ministry Associate
Senior High Youth   Participants in 2012 WorkCamp to Hazard, Kentucky
Lucy Smith Jazz Quartet

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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 Judith Watt, Associate Pastor for Pastoral Care, at 312.573.3360 (jwatt@fourthchurch.org).
News and Opportunities

Enrichment

“Mindfulness for Living,” a two-part seminar series will be held on Tuesdays, July 17 and 24. To register (required), call the Counseling Center at 312.787.8425.

The new Fourth Church Writers’ Workshop will hold an organizational meeting for writers of all genres and all abilities on Sunday, July 22 at 12:30 p.m. in the Randolph Room. Please register in advance by contacting Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364.

Fellowship

Running Group will gather on Saturday, July 7 at 9:00 a.m. in the Garth courtyard.

Volunteers and Donations

Current Volunteer Needs
A shopping aid to assist Social Service Center guests in the food pantry on Wednesdays, 2:00–5:00 p.m.
Assistants to help with Summer Day meals, tutoring, and field trips, weekdays through August 3

Current Donation Needs
Men’s sturdy clothes in larger sizes

For details or to volunteer, call Larry Nicholson at 312.981.3382 or visit www.fourthchurch.org.

Children, Youth, and Family

New Moms’ Groups are forming in Oak Park, Lakeview, and Bucktown. Call Liz Nickerson at 312.573.3366 for details.

Vacation Bible School will be held August 13–17 for children in preschool through fifth grade. For details, call Daniel Holladay at 312.640.2578.

News and Resources

Nominating forms for the offices of Elder, Deacon, Trustee, and Chicago Lights Board are available in the pew racks and also online. Please use the forms to recommend Fourth Church members who have demonstrated gifts for leadership and ministry. Completed paper forms may be placed in the offering plate, dropped off at the reception desk, or mailed to the church.

Mission and Outreach

Monday is the deadline for New Orleans mission trip applications. Details for the trip are available online and by calling Nancy Davis at 312.274.3815.

The Annual School Supply Drive is underway. Donations can be dropped off during the week at the church reception desk or at the 737 building. For a list of items needed, visit www.fourthchurch.org.

Check out our new website!
Visit www.fourthchurch.org or scan this QR code here with a smartphone. Use the new churchwide calendar to add events to your electronic calendar. Search for resources such as devotions, sermons, and prayers. Access up-to-date details about upcoming programs. And be sure to bookmark the site as one way to keep connected to Fourth Church over the summer!
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 Judy Watt, Associate Pastor for Pastoral Care.

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 nonalcoholic 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
John W. Vest, Associate Pastor for Youth Ministry
Judith L. Watt, Associate Pastor for Pastoral Care

Please turn off all cell phones when in the Sanctuary.

We invite you to 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/index.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 Narthex (at the back of the Sanctuary) after worship for coffee, fellowship, conversation, and information about church programs and volunteer opportunities.

Sunday parking is available at 900 North Michigan (access from Rush or Walton Street) at the rate of $8. 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 and includes a light meal.

Attend Monday, July 9 from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.; Saturday, July 14 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon; or Sunday, July 29 from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m.

For membership information, contact Hardy Kim, Associate Pastor for Evangelism, at 312.981.3399 (hkim@fourthchurch.org).