A Special Welcome to Visitors Worshiping with Us Today

We are grateful you have joined us for this Easter celebration! We invite you to return to worship with us again and also to explore the many opportunities for education, fellowship, volunteering, and outreach available at Fourth Presbyterian Church.

This “News and Opportunities” insert lists a variety of the programs and activities at Fourth Church, all of which welcome newcomers. More information about these programs can be found in the literature racks and online at www.fourthchurch.org.

“Have you “liked” Fourth Church on Facebook?

It’s easy to do (visit facebook.com/fourthchurch or scan the QR code here with any smartphone), and it ensures you won’t miss photos of congregational life as well as glimpses into our history. You’ll also find reflections on our journey through the entire Bible, excerpts from sermons, and details about upcoming events. And you can share it all with friends too!

The Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC) elected by the congregation on February 12 of this year is made up of members Nicholette Andrews, Juli Crabtree, Ranjan Daniels, Sam Evans, Doug Grissom, Joan Hall, Marc Miller, Mark Nelson, Brad Pierce, Arlene Raine, and Hilary Richardson. Questions and comments can be sent to them at pnc@fourthchurch.org.

The congregation is asked to provide input to the PNC at one of three upcoming input-gathering sessions: Sundays, April 15 and April 29 at 12:15 p.m. in the Sanctuary and Tuesday, April 24 at 5:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary. This input will be used to develop criteria, for later this year, evaluating candidates for the Pastor position.

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Due to water main work on Delaware, there will be only one lane of traffic open on Delaware between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday–Friday, April 9–13. The sidewalk under the construction trailers will also be closed at that time.

To sponsor Coffee Hour in honor of someone or in recognition of a special anniversary or occasion, contact Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364 (dfedaj@fourthchurch.org).

The new Fourth Church website will go live in the days ahead. Be sure to watch for it out at www.fourthchurch.org!

Fourth Church is also on Twitter: @FourthChicago and @FPCAngel.

Members of the Taizé community in France will attend the Taizé service here on Friday, April 27 at 7:30 p.m. Following the service, they will talk about Taizé Chicago, a Memorial Day weekend event for young adults.

Morning Prayer is held on Tuesdays at 9:00 a.m. and Wednesday–Friday at 9:30 a.m.

A jazz service is held each Sunday at 4:00 p.m. and includes Communion.

Books by Women will welcome Gioia Diliberto, author of Paris without End: The True Story of Hemingways’s First Wife, to their discussion of the book this Tuesday, April 10 at 6:00 p.m.

The upcoming NATO summit will be the topic of a Michigan Avenue Forum cohosted with WBEZ this Wednesday, April 11 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Jerome McDonnell of Worldview will lead a panel in discussion. RSVP to Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364.

Join the congregation-wide effort to read the entire Bible in a year! A Bible study meets at the 737 building on Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. and is repeated on Thursday at 10:00 a.m. The reading list is online and in the literature racks. Devotions on the texts are available via Facebook, Twitter, and email (send addresses to devotions@fourthchurch.org).

Men's Group will meet for breakfast and “The Changing Face of the Media,” led by Ron Magers, this Saturday, April 14 at 8:00 a.m. in the Dining Room. RSVP to 312.787.4570 by Wednesday, April 11.

The “Religion in Interfaith Homes” series continues on Sunday, April 15 at 12:30 p.m. at Chicago Sinai Congregation.

Changing Conversations will host Trey Hall for a discussion, “A New Community of People Trying to Do Church Differently,” on Friday, April 20 at 7:00 p.m. at the 737 building.

“Relationships: Dealing with Differences,” a seminar led by Elise Magers, will be held on Tuesday, April 24 at 6:30 p.m. To register (required), call the Counseling Center at 312.787.8425.

“Relative Strangers: Italian Protestants in the Catholic World,” a presentation by Frank Cicero, will be held on Thursday, April 26 at 7:00 p.m. at the Clare. RSVP to Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364.

News and Opportunities, which is distributed during Sunday worship, is also available in the church literature racks and at www.fourthchurch.org.

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To help rebuild the Fourth Church organ, which is rapidly deteriorating, please use the gift intention card found in the pew rack and also available online. To make a gift online or learn more about the organ, visit www.fourthchurchorgan.org. Additional information is also available by contacting Anita Bright at 312.274.3822 (abright@fourthchurch.org).

Artwork created by members of Fourth Church on the theme “The Seven Last Words from the Cross” is on display in the Loggia through Easter Sunday.

The Chicago Ensemble will be in concert this Tuesday, April 10 at 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Lakeside Singers will perform this Friday, April 13 at 8:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Tickets for both concerts will be available at the door.

The 100th anniversary of the Titanic’s sinking will be commemorated in a concert by John W. W. Sherer, Fourth Church Organist, on Sunday, April 15 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

A Great Expectations Baby Shower will take place on May 6 at 12:30 p.m. Expecting or new parents are invited to RSVP to Liz Nickerson at 312.573.3366.

Hygiene kits for Presbyterian Disaster Assistance are being collected by Women@Fourth Connect during Coffee Hour on Sundays, April 15 and 22 and May 6, 20, and 27. A list of items to be included is available from Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369 (aellis@fourthchurch.org).

Supporting World Vision by running a marathon will be the topic of an information session on Sunday, April 15 at 12:30 p.m. at the 737 building.

Links for Lights, the 2012 Chicago Lights Golf Classic, will be held Monday, June 18 at the Lost Dunes Golf Club in Bridgman, Michigan. There will also be a twenty-six mile bike ride through Harbor Country for nongolfers. Details are available at www.chicagolights.org.

“How to Recognize Child Sex Trafficking in Your Neighborhood,” a discussion hosted by the Sunlight Project, will take place on Tuesday, April 17 at 6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

The nursery for young children through the age of four is located in the Manse and Page Smith Room.

Sunday School classes will resume next Sunday, April 15 at 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.

Eighth graders will be confirmed next Sunday, April 15 at the 11:00 a.m. worship service.

The annual Pancake Breakfast fundraiser for youth summer work camp trips will take place Sunday, April 29 in the Dining Room.

For details or to volunteer, call Larry Nicholson at 312.981.3382.
Sunday, April 8  
**Easter Sunday**

- **6:30 a.m.** Sunrise Service  
  Hardy H. Kim preaching  
  Oak Street Beach
- **7:30 a.m.** to 1:00 p.m.  
  Nursery  
  Page Smith Room/Manse
- **8:00 a.m.** Morning Worship  
  Calum I. MacLeod preaching  
  Sanctuary
- **9:30 a.m.** Morning Worship  
  Calum I. MacLeod preaching  
  Sanctuary
- **9:30 a.m.** Children's Service  
  Dining Room
- **10:30 a.m.** Intercessory Prayer  
  Stone Chapel
- **11:30 a.m.** Morning Worship  
  Calum I. MacLeod preaching  
  Sanctuary
- **12:45 p.m.** Intercessory Prayer  
  Stone Chapel
- **12:45 p.m.** Church Tour  
  Sanctuary
- **4:00 p.m.** Jazz Worship  
  Adam H. Fronczek preaching  
  Sanctuary
- **4:00 p.m.** Sunday Night Supper  
  Anderson Hall

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Monday, April 9  
**Easter Monday: Church office closed**

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Tuesday, April 10

- **9:00 a.m.** Morning Prayer  
  Sanctuary
- **6:00 p.m.** “Reading the Bible in a Year” Bible Study  
  737 Building
- **6:00 p.m.** Books by Women  
  Knox Room – 737 Building
- **7:30 p.m.** Chicago Ensemble Concert  
  Sanctuary

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Wednesday, April 11

- **9:30 a.m.** Morning Prayer  
  Sanctuary
- **9:30 a.m.** Benevolent Guild  
  Knox Room – 737 Building
- **7:00 p.m.** Michigan Avenue Forum: NATO  
  Sanctuary

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Thursday, April 12

- **9:30 a.m.** Morning Prayer  
  Sanctuary
- **10:00 a.m.** “Reading the Bible in a Year” Bible Study  
  737 Building

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Friday, April 13

- **9:30 a.m.** Morning Prayer  
  Sanctuary
- **10:30 a.m.** CLL Bible Study  
  737 Building
- **12:00 p.m.** Noonday Concert: Carol Carpenter, Beena David  
  737 Building
- **6:00 p.m.** Titanic Presentation at Fourth Dimension  
  737 Building
- **8:00 p.m.** Lakeside Singers Concert  
  Sanctuary

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Saturday, April 14

- **8:00 a.m.** Men’s Group  
  Dining Room
- **10:00 a.m.** Urban Farm Volunteer Orientation  
  Dining Room

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**Preaching on Sunday, April 15**

- Kerri N. Allen preaching  
  8:00 a.m.
- John W. Vest preaching  
  9:30 and 11:00 a.m.
- Adam H. Fronczek preaching  
  4:00 p.m.

Parking is available on Sundays at 900 North Michigan (access from Rush or Walton Street) at the rate of $8. 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 John Hancock Center, 875 North Michigan Avenue, is available at the rate of $6 on Sunday mornings only for three hours. Hancock tickets must be validated in the Narthex.