

News and Opportunities

NEWS AND RESOURCES

Fourth Presbyterian Church strives to be a welcoming, serving community. We affirm the worth of all and nurture each individual's spiritual pilgrimage.

Be sure to "like" Fourth Church on Facebook to see the latest photos of church life, keep up-to-date on Fourth Church news, and access resources, including excerpts from sermons and prayers.

Every adult who owns anything and cares about what happens to it, as well as anyone who wants to leave a bequest for the church, needs a will. For more information about planned giving, contact Katy Frey Bever at 312.981.3380 (kbever@fourthchurch.org).

To learn about Stephen Ministry training, which is a fifty-hour program beginning this October, stop by the Stephen Ministry table at Coffee Hour today.

Fourteen John Boyle prayers and a sermon have been compiled into a printed booklet, which is available in the literature racks. Also in the racks is a copy of the sermon by John Buchanan and the remembrance by Jennifer Tozer offered at the funeral for Dr. Boyle. Both are also available online at www. fourthchurch.org/about/john-boyle.html.

The Pastor Nominating Commitee continues its work to identify a candidate to recommend to serve as Fourth Church's next Pastor. You can read about the PNC's work and reflection, "Listening to Sermons," online at www. fourthchurch.org/pnc.

Follow Fourth Church on Twitter: (@FourthChicago).

FELLOWSHIP

To sponsor Coffee Hour in honor of someone or in recognition of a special anniversary or occasion, contact Anne Ellis at aellis@fourthchurch.org.

What's going on at Fourth Church?

Check out the churchwide calendar on the website for a complete look at what's happening at Fourth Church in the days and months ahead. You'll also find there calendars by program and interest areas, and you can add the dates to your electronic calendar as well. Just visit www.fourthchurch.org or scan this QR code with any smartphone to learn more.



Young Adults will meet today at 12:30 p.m. in Room 5A for fellowship and discussion. They also gather for volleyball on Mondays at 6:30 p.m. at Oak Street Beach. For details, contact Edwin Estevez at 312.640.5449 (eestevez@fourthchurch.org).

CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILY

Summer Sunday School classes are held at 9:30 a.m. on the fourth floor of the Gratz Center.

Vacation Bible School—"Paul's Journey to Share the Truth"—will be held for children in preschool through fifth grade the mornings of August 12–16. Registration forms are available online at www.fourthchurch.org/children/vbs.html and by contacting Daniel Holladay at 312.640.2578 (dholladay@fourthchurch.org).

Save the date for Fall Family Camp at Camp Geneva, on Lake Michigan, just outside Holland, Michigan, from Friday, September 27 to Sunday, September 29.

The Fourth Church Day School

preschool is accepting applications for the fall. For more information about the Day School, contact Ruthie Hornaday at rhornaday@fourthchurch.org or visit www.fourthchurch.org/children/day-school.html.

WORSHIP

Morning Prayer is held weekdays in the Sanctuary at 9:30 a.m., except Tuesdays, when it is at 9:00 a.m. All are invited to join staff for opportunity to remember in prayer members of the Fourth Church congregation and those in need.

A service in the style of Taizé, which is held at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Friday of each month, will next be held this Friday, July 26 in Buchanan Chapel. It will be preceded by opportunity to walk the labyrinth in Buchanan Chapel between 6:00 and 7:00 p.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 12:15 p.m. or place their prayer requests, written on paper, in one of the prayer boxes outside Stone Chapel or in the Narthex.

Opportunity to walk the labyrinth in Buchanan Chapel is typically available on Mondays and Tuesdays from 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., Wednesdays from 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m, and Saturdays from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. To confirm the chapel is not being used for another event at that time, check the Fourth Church calendar at www.fourthchurch.org/calendar or contact the church at 312.787.4570.

MISSION AND OUTREACH

A Carnaval informational meeting for those interested in helping plan the 2014 gala will be held this Monday, July 22 at 5:30 p.m. in Room 4G. To RSVP or for more information, contact Andrea Miller at 312.640.2576 (amiller@fourthchurch.org).

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 Mission table during Coffee Hour or contact Nancy Davis at ndavis@fourthchurch.org.

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

The Fourth Presbyterian Church of Chicago Church office: 126 E. Chestnut Street, Chicago, IL 60611.2014; 312.787.4570 Fax: 312.787.4584; www.facebook.com/fourthchurch Kickball for a Cause, a kickball tournament hosted by the Chicago Lights Associates Board, will be held this Saturday, July 27 at 1:00 p.m. at Lake Shore Park (808 N. Lake Shore Dr.).
To RSVP, contact Kate Solis at ksolis@ fourthchurch.org.

The Annual School Supply Drive, organized by Women@Fourth Connect, is underway. For a list of materials and more information about the drive, stop by Coffee Hour today or contact Anne Ellis at aellis@fourthchurch.org.

An antigun violence rally and press conference, sponsored by Fierce Women of Faith, will be held next Sunday, July 28 at 3:00 p.m. at Princeton Park. Parking will be available at Trinity United Church of Christ (400 W. 95th). For details, contact Nancy Davis at 312.274.3815 (ndavis@fourthchurch.org).

ENRICHMENT

An excursion to Starved Rock State Park, offered through the Center for Life and Learning, will be held on Wednesday, July 31. Adults sixty and more are invited to RSVP to Ashley Elskus at 312.981.3387 (aelskus@ fourthchurch.org) by Wednesday, July 24.

A journaling workshop, led by Carol LaChapelle, will be offered through the Lorene Replogle Counseling Center on Tuesdays in August at 8:00 p.m. in the Third Floor Conference Room. To register and for fee information, call the Counseling Center at 312.787.8425.

An excursion to the Anderson Japanese Gardens, offered through the Center for Life and Learning, will be held on Monday, August 12. Adults sixty and more are invited to RSVP to Ashley Elskus at 312.981.3387 (aelskus@fourthchurch.org) by this Friday, July 26.

MUSIC AND THE ARTS

Vocalist Andrea Pokrefke will perform this Friday's free "Music by the Fountain" Noonday Concert at 12:10 p.m. outdoors in the courtyard.

The summer handbell choir rehearses on Sunday mornings through July 28 at 10:30 a.m. in the Buchanan Chapel Choir Loft. Adults and high school youth are invited to join. For details, call John Sherer at 312.981.3592.

VOLUNTEERS AND DONATIONS

Current Volunteer Needs

Servers for Monday and Friday Night Suppers, 3:30–6:15 p.m., on rotation Members to serve as ushers at

11:00 a.m. worship

Vacation Bible School helpers, Monday,

August 12–Friday, August 16

Sunday School teachers for the fall, beginning September 8

Garden enthusiasts to help at the Urban Farm on Saturday afternoons

Beverage pourers for Sunday Night Supper, 3:30–6:00 p.m., on rotation

Volunteers to cook and serve breakfast at a shelter in Lincoln Park Presbyterian Church

Current Donation Needs

Double paper/plastic bags for the Chicago Lights Elam Davis Social Service Center

Men's sturdy seasonal clothes

Nonperishable food items and pop-top
canned goods for the Elam Davies
Social Service Center Food Pantry

Gently used clothes for a chronically ill eleven-year-old girl

Gently used guitars and keyboards for the Hispanic Ministries Covenant

For details or to volunteer, stop by the Volunteer table during Coffee Hour or call Larry Nicholson at 312.981.3382.

CALENDAR FOR JULY 21-27, 2013

Sunday, July 21 8:00 a.m.	Morning Worshin	Joyce Shin preaching	Sanctuary
9:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour	joyco omin prodoming	Garth
9:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.	Nursery	Gi	ratz Center, First Floor
9:30 a.m.	3	Joyce Shin preaching	Sanctuary
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School		z Center, Fourth Floor
10:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour		Garth
10:30 a.m.	Handbell Choir Reh	earsal Bucha	nan Chapel Choir Loft
10:30 a.m.	Intercessory Prayer		Stone Chapel
11:00 a.m.		Joyce Shin preaching	Sanctuary
12:00 noon	New Member Brunc	ch .	Randolph Room
12:15 p.m.	Coffee Hour		Garth
12:15 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer		Stone Chapel
12:30 p.m.	Young Adults Gathe		Room 5A
4:00 p.m.		John W. Vest preaching	Sanctuary
4:00 p.m.	Sunday Night Suppe	er	Anderson Hall
Monday, July 22			
7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.	Labyrinth Walk		Buchanan Chapel
9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer (als	o Wednesday–Friday)	Sanctuary
9:30 a.m.	Summer Day (also T		Gratz Center
5:00 p.m.	Monday Night Supper		Catholic Charities
5:30 p.m.	Carnaval Planning Meeting		Room 4G
6:30 p.m.	Young Adults Volley	yball	Oak Street Beach
Tuesday, July 23			
7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.	Labyrinth Walk		Buchanan Chapel
9:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer		Sanctuary
9:30 a.m.	Downtown Moms' C	roup	Day School
Wednesday, July 24			
7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.	Labyrinth Walk		Buchanan Chapel
Friday, July 26			
12:10 p.m.	Noonday Concert: A	andrea Pokrefke	Garth
6:00 to 7:00 p.m.	Labyrinth Walk		Buchanan Chapel
7:30 p.m.	Taizé Service		Buchanan Chapel
Saturday, July 27			_
9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon	Labyrinth Walk	1 1	Buchanan Chapel
12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m.	Volunteer Hours at t	the Urban Farm	444 W. Chicago Ave.

Worship on Sunday, July 28

8:00 a.m. Matt Helms preaching

9:30 and 11:00 a.m. Adam H. Fronczek preaching

4:00 p.m. Adam H. Fronczek preaching

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.