July 10-16, 2016

The Fourth Presbyterian Church of Chicago

News and Opportunitie

News and Resources

New Stephen Ministers will begin fifty hours of training in September. Those interested in becoming a Stephen Minister are encouraged to complete an application (available at www.bit.ly/stephenminister) and return it to the church office by August 1. Information is available online at www.fourthchurch.org or by contacting Judy Watt at 312.573.3360.

There is much going on during the summer at Fourth Church—programs, opportunities, outreach, and services made possible by your generous gifts and pledges. Thank you for your support! If you have not yet made a 2016 pledge or gift, there is still time. See www.fourthchurch.org/giving/appeal or the pledge and gift cards in the pew racks.

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Rocky Supinger will be installed as Associate Pastor for Youth Ministry on Sunday, July 24 during 11:00 a.m. worship. A reception in his honor will follow in Anderson Hall.

Connection Corner helps you discover ways to get involved in the life of Fourth Church. Look for the lighted table at Coffee Hour after the 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. services.

Fellowship

Young Adults gather on Sundays at 12:30 p.m. in Room 5A. They also meet for volleyball on Mondays at 6:30 p.m. at Oak Street Beach. For details, call Layton Williams at 312.640.5449.

To sponsor Coffee Hour in honor or memory of a loved one or for a special occasion, contact Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369 (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.

Children, Youth, and Family

Yesterday Fourth Church youth and their adult leaders left for a week of mission work in Asheville, North Carolina.

To read about their experiences, visit their blog on the church website: www.fourthchurch.org/youth

Summer Sunday School (with classes meeting at 9:30 a.m. only) continues today on the fourth floor of the Gratz Center.

Youth Summer Bizarre classes continue today at 11:00 a.m. on the fifth floor of the Gratz Center.

Senior High Youth will meet at Fourth Church next Tuesday, July 19 at 2:45 p.m. to go to Oak Street Beach. For details, contact Shelley Donaldson at sdonaldson@ fourthchurch.org

Thursday Family Movie Nights continue next Thursday, July 21 at 6:30 p.m. on the Day School playground (or, in case of rain, inside the Day School).

The early-bird deadline for VBS

registration is this Friday, July 15. "Egypt: Joseph's Journey from Prison to Palace" is the theme for this year's Vacation Bible School for preschoolers through fifth-graders, which will be held the mornings of August 8–12. For online registration, visit www.bit.ly/vbs0816

A camping trip for youth and their families will be held September 2–4 at Warren Dunes State Park in Sawyer, Michigan. Register online at www.bit.ly/youthcamping16

Music and the Arts

The Heartland Marimba Ensemble will perform this Friday's free "Music by the Fountain" Noonday concert at 12:10 p.m. outdoors in the courtyard.

A hymn festival with organist Michael Burkhardt and sponsored by the National Association of Lutheran Musicians is the next concert in our organ dedication series. Join us on Wednesday, July 27 at 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

"Making Camino: Reflections on the Journey," an exhibit of artwork by Janet Krehbiel Pieracci, is on display in the Loggia until Sunday, July 31.

Enrichment

Inquirers' Class offers opportunity to learn more about Fourth Church as well as Presbyterian history and beliefs. This onesession class, which is a prerequisite for membership, is offered this Monday, July 11 at 6:30 p.m. and Saturday, July 16 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 4F.

The Premarital Saturday Seminar offers couples opportunity to learn and practice skills necessary to building a healthy marital relationship. This one-session class, which will meet this Saturday, July 16 in Boyle Conference Room, is also a prerequisite for marriage at Fourth Presbyterian Church. To register, call 312.787.8425.

Men's Bible study will meet next Tuesday, July 19 at 7:30 a.m. in the Loop. To RSVP (*required*), call Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369.

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

A workshop on hospice and palliative care will be offered through the Replogle Center for Counseling and Well-Being next Thursday, July 21 at 6:00 p.m. in Boyle Conference Room. To register (required), visit www.bit.ly/rccare0716

A screening of the film *The Age of Love* will be offered through the Replogle Center on Thursday, September 8 at 7:00 p.m. in Anderson Hall. To register *(required)*, visit www.bit.ly/rcfilm0716

Mission and Outreach

School supplies are being collected by Women at Fourth for children taking part in the Chicago Lights Urban Farm, Tutoring, and Summer Day programs. For a list of materials and more information about the School Supply Drive, stop by Coffee Hour today or contact Anne Ellis at aellis@ fourthchurch.org (312.573.3369).

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 (312.274.3815).

Fresh produce is available at the Farmstand at the Chicago Lights Urban Farm (444 W. Chicago) on Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and at Horner Park Farmers Market (2741 W. Montrose) on Saturdays from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

To join a small, interracial Peace Circle that engages in dialogue to address racism, contact Vicky Curtiss at vcurtiss@fourthchurch.org (312.981.3598).

Used bicycles are being collected by the World Mission and Social Justice Committee on Saturday, September 24. For details, contact Vicky Curtiss at vcurtiss@fourthchurch.org

Worship

Morning prayer is held on Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in Buchanan Chapel.

Opportunity to walk the labyrinth in Buchanan Chapel is available this week on Monday and Tuesday from 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., Wednesday from 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and Saturday from 7:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Volunteers and Donations

Current Volunteer Needs

Servers for Sunday Night Supper and Monday Night Supper, on a signup basis GED tutors for staff of the Urban Farm, Mondays–Saturdays Physicians, nurses, or pharmacists to serve as a medical resource to guests of Sunday Night Supper Nursery caregivers on Sundays during 9:30 or 11:00 a.m. worship services Greeters and ushers for the 4:00 p.m. jazz worship service

Cooks for Sunday Night Supper on Sunday, September 4 Gardeners at the Chicago Lights Urban Farm; Saturdays, 12:00–3:00 p.m.

Current Donation Needs
Men's and women's clothing
Small women's Depends pull-ups
Travel-size toiletry items
Individually wrapped food items
for sack lunches

For more opportunities or to volunteer, contact Larry Nicholson at 312.981.3382 or visit www.fourthchurch.org/volunteer

Calendar for July 10-16, 2016

Sunday, July 10			
8:00 a.m.	Worship	Matt Helms preaching	Sanctuary
9:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour		Courtyard
9:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.	Nursery		Gratz Center, First Floor
9:30 a.m.	Worship	Matt Helms preaching	Sanctuary
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School	G	ratz Center, Fourth Floor
10:30 a.m.	Intercessory Prayer		Stone Chapel
10:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour		Courtyard
11:00 a.m.	Worship	Matt Helms preaching	Sanctuary
11:00 a.m.	Youth Summer Biza	arre	Gratz Center, Fifth Floor
12:00 p.m.	Coffee Hour		Courtyard
12:15 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer		Stone Chapel
4:00 p.m.	Jazz Worship	Mark Eldred preaching	g Sanctuary
4:00 p.m.	Sunday Night Supp	er	Anderson Hall
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Monday, July 11			
7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.	Labyrinth Walk		Buchanan Chapel
6:30 p.m.	Inquirers' Class		Room 4F
6:30 p.m.	Young Adults Volle	yball	(see announcement)
Transfer July 12			
Tuesday, July 12	Labruminth Walls		Pushanan Chanal
7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.	Labyrinth Walk		Buchanan Chapel Gratz Center
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Summer Day		Gratz Center
Wednesday, July 13			
7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.	Labyrinth Walk		Buchanan Chapel
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Summer Day		Gratz Center
9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer		Buchanan Chapel
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Thursday, July 14			
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Summer Day		Gratz Center
Friday, July 15	_		
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Summer Day		Gratz Center
12:10 p.m.	Noonday Concert		Courtyard
Saturday, July 16			
7:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.	Labyrinth Walk		Buchanan Chapel
8:15 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.	Premarital Seminar		Boyle Conference Room
9:00 a.m.	Inquirers' Class		Room 4F
10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Farmstand Open		Urban Farm
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For a complete calendar of events, visit www.fourthchurch.org/calendar

Worship on Sunday, July 17

8:00 a.m. Shannon J. Kershner preaching 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. Shannon J. Kershner preaching 4:00 p.m. Nanette Sawyer preaching