Nominating forms for the offices of Elder, Deacon, Trustee, and Chicago Lights Board are available in the pew racks and also online at www.fourthchurch.org/contact/nominating_form.html. 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.

Be sure to bookmark the Fourth Church website—www.fourthchurch.org—for easy access to the Fourth Church calendar, information about upcoming events, an archive of sermons, photos, and more.

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.

Visit the Fourth Church page on Facebook (facebook.com/fourthchurch) for the latest church life and worship information, and be sure to “like” us to keep up-to-date on news and photos!

A new Center for Life and Learning program year kicks off Thursday morning, September 8 with the annual CLL open house. Adults sixty and over are invited to explore the many opportunities to take part in classes, exercise programs, and day trips. More details—including opportunities to register for classes and renew CLL membership online—are available at www.fourthchurch.org/cll

Children, Youth, and Family

Sunday School and Sunday youth gatherings will resume on Sunday morning, September 11, when we kick off another exciting year of programming for children, youth, and families!

“Racial Justice and the Vocabulary of Faith” will be the topic of a Saturday morning program on September 10 at 9:00 a.m. in Buchanan Chapel. Hosted in partnership with Princeton Theological Seminary, the event will include a panel discussion with Shannon Kershner and others. All are invited to this thought-provoking conversation on the role the church can play in the racial crisis. For details, see www.bit.ly/2bShfhJ

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A special 9:30/11:00 worship bulletin for families is available from the ushers.

A neighborhood moms’ group meets on Thursdays from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. in Room 4B. For more information, call Briana Belding-Peck at 312.274.3804.

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

Choirs begin rehearsals on Sunday, September 11 in Room 4F: Cherub Choir (age 4–grade 1) at 9:00 a.m., Youth Choir (grades 6–12) at 9:30 a.m., and Children’s Choir (grades 2–5) at 10:30 a.m.

Eighth-grade Confirmation begins on Sunday, September 11 at 10:00 a.m. For details and to register, see www.bit.ly/fpcconfirmation

Mission and Outreach

A one-session orientation for new volunteers for the Chicago Lights Tutoring program will be held on Tuesday, August 30; Tuesday, September 6; Tuesday, September 13; Wednesday, September 14; and Monday, September 19 at 6:00 p.m. in Borwell Dining Room. RSVP at www.bit.ly/chitutor1617

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 sponsor Coffee Hour in honor or memory of a loved one or for a special occasion, contact Anne Ellis at aellis@fourthchurch.org (312.573.3369).

Cornerstones, a fellowship group hosted by couples and singles fifty and over, will gather for the presentation “Generation Z,” led by Jane Hunt, this Friday, September 2 at 6:00 p.m. in Borwell Dining Room. To register (required), contact Carol Allerton at 312.640.5448 (callerton@fourthchurch.org) by 5:00 p.m. this Wednesday, August 31.

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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**Enrichment**

*Weekly Seeds*, a weekly women’s Bible study that follows a United Church of Christ lectionary-based curriculum, meets Sundays at 9:30 a.m. in Room 5H.

Men’s Bible study will meet this Tuesday, August 30 at 7:30 a.m. in the Loop. To RSVP *required*, contact Anne Ellis at aellis@fourthchurch.org (312.573.3369).

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

“How We Learn: Discipline and Discipleship in Old Testament Wisdom,” a one-session Academy for Faith and Life course taught by Anne Stewart of Princeton Theological Seminary, will be held on Sunday, September 11 at 11:00 a.m. in Room 5G.

Author Mark Osler will talk about his new book, *Prosecuting Jesus*, on Monday, September 12 at 7:00 p.m. in Buchanan Chapel. The book is a memoir of reenacting the trial of Jesus in various places, including at Fourth Church in January 2012.

**Music and the Arts**

The Ondas Ensemble will perform this Friday’s free Noontday concert at 12:10 p.m. in Buchanan Chapel.

All interested in singing in the choir for 8:00 a.m. worship are invited to Chancel Choir rehearsals, which begin on Thursday, September 8 at 6:00 p.m.

The Handbell Choir begins rehearsals on Sunday, September 11 at 8:00 a.m. in the Buchanan Chapel Choir Loft.

The Choral Society resumes rehearsals on Thursday, September 15 at 7:00 p.m. in Buchanan Chapel.

**Volunteers and Donations**

*Current Volunteer Needs*

- Sunday School teachers
- Nursery caregivers on Sundays
- Pianists for 11:00 a.m. Children’s Chapel
- “Good Neighbors” for daytime street outreach on Mondays and Fridays
- Good listeners and typists to transcribe interviews for the Oral History program
- Greeters and ushers for the 4:00 p.m. Jazz at Four service

*Current Donation Needs*

- Cloth ribbon, thread, and washable yarn
- Men’s and women’s clothing

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

**Worship**

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.

Morning Prayer is held on Wednesdays with Fourth Church staff at 9:30 a.m. in Buchanan Chapel.

A time of prayer is held in Stone Chapel on Sundays after the 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. services. Individuals can join a Deacon in prayers of praise or concern or place written prayer requests in any of the prayer request boxes located just outside the Sanctuary entrances.
### Calendar for August 28–September 3, 2016

**Sunday, August 28**
- **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  Shannon J. Kershner preaching  Sanctuary
  - **9:30 a.m.** *Weekly Seeds* Bible Study  Room 5H
  - **10:30 a.m.** Time of Prayer  Stone Chapel
  - **10:30 a.m.** Coffee Hour  Courtyard
- **11:00 a.m.** Worship  Shannon J. Kershner preaching  Sanctuary
  - **12:00 p.m.** Coffee Hour  Courtyard
- **12:15 p.m.** Time of Prayer  Stone Chapel
- **12:30 p.m.** Young Adults Gathering  Room 5A
- **4:00 p.m.** Jazz Worship  Shannon J. Kershner preaching  Sanctuary
  - **4:00 p.m.** Sunday Night Supper  Anderson Hall

**Monday, August 29**
- **7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.** Labyrinth Walk  Buchanan Chapel
  - **6:30 p.m.** Young Adults Volleyball  (see announcement)

**Tuesday, August 30**
- **7:30 a.m.** Men’s Bible Study  (see announcement)
- **7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.** Labyrinth Walk  Buchanan Chapel
- **6:00 p.m.** Tutor Volunteer Orientation  Borwell Dining Room

**Wednesday, August 31**
- **7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.** Labyrinth Walk  Buchanan Chapel
- **9:30 a.m.** Morning Prayer  Buchanan Chapel

**Thursday, September 1**
- **10:00 to 11:30 a.m.** Moms’ Group  Room 4B

**Friday, September 2**
- **12:10 p.m.** Noonday Concert: Ondas Ensemble  Buchanan Chapel
- **6:00 p.m.** Cornerstones  Borwell Dining Room

**Saturday, September 3**
- **7:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** Labyrinth Walk  Buchanan Chapel
- **10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** Farmstand Open  Urban Farm
- **12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m.** Chicago Lights Urban Farm Volunteer Hours  Urban Farm

*For a complete calendar of events, visit [www.fourthchurch.org/calendar](http://www.fourthchurch.org/calendar)*

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**Worship on Sunday, September 4**
- **8:00 a.m.** Rocky Supinger preaching
- **9:30 and 11:00 a.m.** Shannon J. Kershner preaching
- **4:00 p.m.** Nanette Sawyer 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.