If you are away over the summer, it is easy to make pledge contributions online at www.bit.ly/FPCgiving (or by clicking on the “To Make a Gift” button at the top left of the Fourth Church website: www.fourthchurch.org).

Inquirers’ Class offers opportunity to learn more about Fourth Church as well as Presbyterian history and beliefs. This one-session class—a prerequisite for membership—will next be offered on Sunday, August 12 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon in the Page Smith Room. Class attendees are encouraged to worship with us at 8:00 a.m. or 4:00 p.m. that day. For details or membership information, contact Joe Morrow (jmorrow@fourthchurch.org).

Discover ways to get involved at Fourth Church at Coffee Hour Connection Corner, which occurs after the 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m. services.

To recommend for the offices of Elder, Deacon, Trustee, or Chicago Lights Board any Fourth Church members—or yourself—who have demonstrated gifts for leadership and ministry, please use the forms available in the pew racks and also online at www.bit.ly/fpcnominating; when completed, paper forms may be placed in the offering plate, dropped off at the reception desk, or mailed to the church.

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Be sure to “like” Fourth Church on Facebook for photos and church news.

Worship

Individuals experiencing life challenges can benefit from being paired with a Stephen Minister. For more information visit www.fourthchurch.org/caring

Family bulletins are available from ushers.

Needed: School Supply Donations and Volunteers
Our annual School Supply Drive is underway! Organized by Women at Fourth, the drive collects back-to-school supplies for children taking part in our Chicago Lights Urban Farm, Tutoring, Summer Day, and Dance Academy programs. Donations are due by July 29. For a list of materials and help needed, stop by Coffee Hour, email Anne Ellis (aellis@fourthchurch.org), or visit fourthchurch.org

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This Friday a candlelit Taizé service will take place at 7:30 p.m. in Buchanan Chapel as it does on the fourth Friday of each month. A labyrinth will be available to walk beforehand in Anderson Hall between 6:00 and 7:30 p.m.


Individuals can lift up prayer concerns with a Deacon in Stone Chapel following 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. worship on Sundays.

Sacred Pause meditation is held on Tuesdays at 7:45 a.m. in Stone Chapel.

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

**Enrichment**

The Tuesday meditation group meets this Tuesday, July 24 at 7:00 p.m. in the Boyle Conference Room.

The Circle of Healing Sound will be offered by our Replogle Center for Counseling and Well-Being this Wednesday, July 25 at 7:00 p.m. in Buchanan Chapel. Brochures with more information are in the literature racks. Register online at bit.ly/healingsound0718

Men’s Bible Study next meets on Tuesday, August 7 at 7:30 a.m. in the Loop. To RSVP (required), contact Anne Ellis (312.573.3369; aellis@fourthchurch.org).

A new men’s discussion group on the Gospels will begin meeting in September. Information sessions will be offered on Sunday, August 5 after the 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. services and on Wednesday, August 15 at 6:15 p.m. in the Randolph Room. For more information, contact Anne Ellis (aellis@fourthchurch.org).

**Mission and Outreach**

This week our Urban Youth Mission program welcomes the youth group from Second Presbyterian Church of Indianapolis as they join us for a weeklong experience of learning and serving.

Today fresh produce from the Chicago Lights Urban Farm is available for purchase during Coffee Hour; proceeds benefit the community outreach work of the Farm. Produce is also available at the Urban Farm’s Farmstand (444 W. Chicago) on Saturdays between 10:30 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Visit bit.ly/2nDjvSL to sign up for weekly produce shares—which include eggs and fruits—through the Farm’s Community-Supported Agriculture program.

Knitting and Crocheting meets this Tuesday, July 24 between 4:00 and 6:00 p.m. in Room 4F for a time of fellowship, to drop off items made for those in need, and to pick up materials.

The Chicago Lights Summer Dance Intensive Showcase will be held this Thursday, July 26 at 6:30 p.m. in Buchanan Chapel. All are invited to this free performance featuring multiple dance styles.

*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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A Community Cookout will be held on Saturday, August 4 at 12:00 noon at the Chicago Lights Urban Farm (444 W. Chicago). All are invited to this free lunch and time of fellowship with neighbors. Volunteers are still needed. For details, contact Deja Stout (312.252.3559; dstout@fourthchurch.org).

The Urban Farm’s Community Farm Day will next be held on Saturday, August 11 from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. (444 W. Chicago).

Fellowship

Today’s Coffee Hour is sponsored by Anne Stelle in honor of the current and former staff and members of Fourth Church To sponsor Coffee Hour in memory or honor of a loved one or a special occasion, contact Anne Ellis (312.573.3369; aellis@fourthchurch.org).

Young Adults group meets today for their weekly Sunday Gathering at 12:30 p.m. in Room 5A. Each summer Monday, they also meet at 6:30 p.m. at Oak Street Beach for a fun evening of volleyball.

Men’s Book Club meets this Monday, July 23 at 7:30 a.m. in the Randolph Room to discuss Murder in the News by Robert Jordan.

Volunteers/Donations Needed

Walker with a seat

Adult-size men’s and women’s socks for guests of the Chicago Lights Elam Davies Social Service Center

T-shirts, sizes XL and larger, for guests of the Social Service Center

Shower Ministry greeters (men) for rotating Tuesday schedule (1:15–4:00 p.m.)

Individually packaged snack items for Meals Ministry Bag Lunch guests

Ushers for the 8:00 a.m. service and greeters for the 4:00 p.m. service

To sign up or to learn about other volunteer opportunities, stop by Coffee Hour today or contact Robert Crouch (312.981.3382)

Music and the Arts

The After School Matters Choir, which is sharing their gifts with us during 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. worship today, will also be presenting this week’s free Friday Noonday Concert at 12:10 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

Gerald Griffin’s exhibition of paintings, “Paradigm Shift,” is on display in the Loggia through Labor Day.

Children, Youth, and Family

Vacation Bible School will be held the mornings of August 6–10. Register online by next Tuesday, July 31 at bit.ly/fpcvbs18

Summer Sunday School meets at 9:30 a.m. in Room 4G through Sunday, July 29.

Our Day School preschool program has openings for the 2018–19 school year. For more information, contact Kathy Hager at 312.640.2579.

Registration for eighth grade Confirmation and the fall Confirmation retreat are due by September 1. For details and registration, go to bit.ly/8thconf
**Sunday, July 22**

**Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

- **8:00 a.m.** Worship  | Matt Helms preaching  | Sanctuary
- **9:00, 10:30 a.m.; 12:00 p.m.** Coffee Hour  | Michigan Avenue Courtyard
- **9:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.** Nursery  | Nursery / Day School
- **9:30 and 11:00 a.m.** Worship  | Rocky Supinger preaching  | Sanctuary
- **9:30 a.m.** Summer Sunday School  | Room 4G
- **10:30 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.** Time of Prayer with Deacons  | Stone Chapel
- **12:00 p.m.** Sanctuary Tour  | Sanctuary
- **12:30 p.m.** Young Adult Gathering  | Room 5A
- **4:00 p.m.** Jazz at Four  | Nanette Sawyer preaching  | Sanctuary
- **5:00 p.m.** Meals Ministry Sunday Night Supper  | Anderson Hall

**Monday, July 23**

- **7:30 to 9:00 a.m.** Men’s Book Club  | Randolph Room
- **9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** Chicago Lights Summer Day (also Tue.–Fri.)  | Fifth Floor
- **10:00 a.m.** Summer Dance Intensive (Tue.–Fri.)  | Parish House Dining Room
- **4:00 p.m.** Meals Ministry Monday Night Supper  | Catholic Charities
- **6:30 p.m.** Young Adults Volleyball  | Oak Street Beach

**Tuesday, July 24**

- **7:45 a.m.** Sacred Pause  | Stone Chapel
- **12:00 to 1:00 p.m.** Meals Ministry Bag Lunches  | Anderson Hall
- **4:00 to 6:00 p.m.** Kritting and Crocheting  | Room 4F
- **7:00 p.m.** Meditation with Replogle Center  | Boyle Conference Room

**Wednesday, July 25**

- **9:30 a.m.** Morning Prayer  | Buchanan Chapel
- **12:00 to 1:00 p.m.** Meals Ministry Bag Lunches  | Anderson Hall
- **7:00 p.m.** The Circle of Healing Sound  | Buchanan Chapel

**Thursday, July 26**

- **12:00 to 1:00 p.m.** Meals Ministry Bag Lunches  | Anderson Hall
- **6:30 p.m.** Summer Dance Showcase  | Buchanan Chapel

**Friday, July 27**

- **7:00 to 8:30 a.m.** Men’s Discussion Group  | Randolph Room
- **12:10 p.m.** Noonday Concert: After School Matters Choir  | Sanctuary
- **6:00 to 7:30 p.m.** Labyrinth Walk  | Anderson Hall
- **7:30 p.m.** Taizé  | Buchanan Chapel

**Saturday, July 28**

- **10:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** Chicago Lights Urban Farm Farmstand  | (444 W. Chicago Ave.)

**Worship on July 29**

**Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

- **8:00 a.m.** Judith L. Watt preaching | Communion
- **9:30 and 11:00 a.m.** Judith L. Watt preaching
- **4:00 p.m.** Joseph L. Morrow preaching | Jazz Communion

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.