

For he who kindled
The fire of the sun
He who draws out the tender leaves
From the dark twigs of winter . . .
Has also carved our names
In the palm of his hand.
And he became a child
The better to be near us.

Born in the winter-time
Born on a journey
to be our healing . . .
Our bread . . . the wine
At all our weddings

Anne Porter
From "Here on Earth"

THE FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF CHICAGO

Morning Worship 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00

The beginning of the prelude is a call to silent, personal preparation for the worship of God.

(8:00) **Prelude** "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" *Robert Lau*

(9:30 and 11:00) **Prelude** "Savior of the Nations, Come," *Helmut Walcha*
Benedictus (Blessed is the one who comes.) *Alec Rowley*
O Come, O Come, Emmanuel *R. Lau*

(8:00) **Introit** Prepare the way, O Zion, your Christ is drawing near! Let every hill and valley a level way appear. Greet One who comes in glory, foretold in sacred story. O blest is Christ that came in God's most holy name.

(9:30 and 11:00) **Introit** "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" *Richard Proulx*
(Introit text: Hymn 9)

***Doxology** (The Hymnal, 592)

Lighting of the Advent Wreath

***Hymn 41** "O Come, All Ye Faithful" *John Francis Wade*

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

(unison)

Who are we, Lord God, that you should come to us? Yet you have visited your people and redeemed us in your Son. As we prepare to celebrate his birth, make our hearts leap for joy at the sound of your word, and move us by your Spirit to bless your wonderful works.

We confess, O God, that we have not expected his coming in our lives, and we have neither hoped nor worked for his coming in our world. In your great mercy, forgive us. Renew within us devotion to your kingdom, in acts of kindness, justice, peace, and mercy. We ask this through him whose coming is certain, whose day draws near, your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and resides with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Declaration of Pardon

Leader: Friends, believe the good news.

All: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

Concerns of the Church

(8:00) **Anthem** "He Comes to Us as One Unknown" *John Ferguson*
He comes to us as one unknown, a breath unseen,
unheard; as though within a heart of stone, or shriveled
seed in darkness sown, a pulse of being stirred. He comes
when souls in silence lie and thoughts of day depart; half
seen upon the inward eye, a falling star across the sky of
night within the heart. He comes to us in sound of seas,

the ocean's fume and foam; yet small and still upon the breeze, a wind that stirs the tops of trees, a voice to call us home. He comes by flesh and blood and birth; to bear within our mortal frame a life, a death, a saving name, for every child of earth. He comes in truth when faith is grown; believed, obeyed, adored; the Christ in the Scriptures shown, as yet unseen, but not unknown, our Savior and our Lord.

Psalter Psalm 96 (*responsively*) (page 550, O.T.)

***Gloria Patri** (The Hymnal, 579)
(9:30 and 11:00) *Children are dismissed to Sunday school classes.*

Scripture Lessons Isaiah 7:10-16 (page 636, O.T.)
Matthew 1:18-25 (page 1, N.T.)
Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon by John M. Buchanan
FAMILY CONNECTIONS
“Look, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and they shall name him Emmanuel,’ which means ‘God is with us.’”
Matthew 1:23 (NRSV)

***Hymn 53** “What Child Is This” *William Chatterton Dix*

***Apostles' Creed** (*unison*)
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer (*unison*)

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Offering

(8:00) **Offertory Solo** “Cradle Song” *Ned Rorem*

(9:30 and 11:00) **Cantata**

Gloria

David Hurd

Gloria, in excelsis Deo. Lo, how a rose e'er blooming from tender stem hath sprung, of Jesse's lineage coming as seers of old have sung. It came, a blossom bright, amid the cold of winter when half spent was the night. Isaiah 'twas foretold it, the rose I have in mind, with Mary we behold it, the virgin mother kind. To show God's love aright, she bore to us a savior, when half spent was the night. God rest you merry, gentlemen, let nothing you dismay. Remember Christ our savior was born on Christmas Day, to save us all from Satan's power when we were gone astray. O tidings of comfort and joy. From God our heavenly father a blessed angel came and unto certain shepherds brought tidings of the same. How that in Bethlehem was born the Son of God by name. "Fear not," then said the angel, "let nothing you affright. Today is born a savior of a pure virgin bright, to free all those who trust in him from Satan's power and might." Now to the Lord sing to the Lord sing praises, all you within this place, and with true love and charity each other now embrace. This holy tide of Christmas doth bring redeeming grace. Angels we have heard on high, singing sweetly through the night, and the mountains in reply echoing their brave delight. Shepherds, why this jubilee? Why these songs of happy cheer? What great brightness did you see? What glad tidings did you hear? Come to Bethlehem and see him whose birth the angels sing. Come adore on bended knee Christ, the Lord, the newborn king.

***Presentation of the Offering and Response**

(unison)

For the life that you have given, for the love in Christ made known, with these fruits of time and labor, with these gifts that are your own: here we offer, Lord, our praises; heart and mind and strength we bring. Give us grace to love and serve you living what we pray and sing.

***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

All: **Eternal God, as you led your people in ages past, you direct our journey into the future. We give you thanks that you came to us in Jesus Christ, your love incarnate, your word made flesh. Startle us with your truth. Open our eyes to the generosity of your hand that we may share life and love in praise to you, God of all ages, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

***Hymn 23**

"Angels We Have Heard on High"

French carol

Benediction and Response

(8:00) **Postlude**

Noël

Louis Claude Daquin

(9:30 and 11:00) **Postlude**

O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

George Schafer

*Stand as you are able.

Today's Worship

Worship Leaders

- 8:00 a.m. Victoria Decker Millar, Pastoral Resident
Laurie Armstrong, Pastoral Resident
John M. Buchanan, Pastor
- 9:30 a.m. Sarah Sarchet Butter, Associate Pastor for
Stewardship and Development
Calum I. MacLeod, Interim Associate Pastor for
Evangelism
John M. Buchanan, Pastor
- 11:00 a.m. Sarah Sarchet Butter, Associate Pastor for
Stewardship and Development
John A. Cairns, Dean, Academy for Faith and Life
John M. Buchanan, Pastor
- 6:30 p.m. Paulo França, Pastoral Resident
Laurie Armstrong, Pastoral Resident

Lighting the Advent Wreath

- 8:00 a.m. Anne and Douglas Kenrick
9:30 a.m. John and Caryn Hank, Travis, Carling
11:00 a.m. Sam and Terry Evans, David, Corey

The Music Today

- 8:00 a.m. The Chancel Choir; Valerie Clark, soprano soloist
9:30 a.m. The Morning Choir; Children's and Youth Choir
11:00 a.m. The Morning Choir; Children's and Youth Choir
6:30 p.m. The Vespers Choir

John W. W. Sherer, Organist and Director of Music
Thomas Gouwens, Associate Organist
Mary Theresa Reed, Director of Children's and Youth Choirs

Music Note: The Christmas cantata *Gloria* was written by the African American composer David Hurd in 1997 for the Harlem Boys Choir. Hurd based this exhilarating choral fantasia on three carols: "Angels We Have Heard on High," "Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming," and "God Rest You Merry, Gentlemen." David Hurd is Organist and Professor of Music at General Theological Seminary as well as Organist and Choirmaster at Holy Apostles Episcopal Church, both located in New York City.

FOR LARGE PRINT BULLETINS, ASK AN USHER.

- > Individual listening devices for improved sound are available in the Narthex.
- > Childcare for infants and toddlers is available in Westminster 14.
- > Please pass the pew information pads during the Concerns of the Church, so that all worshippers have an opportunity to provide updated information and to greet one another by name following the service.
- > Today's sermon will be available online at www.fourthchurch.org, in both print and audio formats, later this week. This bulletin, other information about the mission and programs of Fourth Church, and past sermons are also currently available at the Web site.

The Fourth Presbyterian Church of Chicago

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Vespers Service

6:30 p.m.

The beginning of the prelude is a call to silent, personal preparation for the worship of God.

Prelude Come Now, Jesus, Down from Heaven
Johann Sebastian Bach

Call to Worship and Invocation

Leader: Glory to you, Almighty God. You spoke and light came out of darkness, order rose from confusion.

People: **Glory to you, Jesus Christ! You met us as a fragile child, the word made flesh, born in a forgotten place.**

Leader: Glory to you, Holy Spirit! You brooded over chaos, mothering and shaping God's new creation.

People: **Glory to you, Three in One! You are surrounded by the song of the saints in heaven, and you are present with us now.**

***Hymn 9** "O Come, O Come, Emmanuel" *Twelfth-century Latin*

Prayer of Confession *(unison)*

We confess, O living God, that when the light of Christ has burned brightest, we have sometimes found darkness more alluring; that though you have asked us to let your light shine, we have sometimes hidden it. Lord, have mercy. Depending not on our virtue, nor on our faith, but solely on your grace, we seek your pardon and ask for your peace. In the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Declaration of Pardon

Leader: Friends, believe the good news.

All: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

Psalter Psalm 80:1-7 *(responsively)* (page 541, O.T.)

Anthem "He Comes to Us as One Unknown" *John Ferguson*
(Anthem text: bulletin page 2)

Scripture Lesson Matthew 1:18-25 (page 1, N.T.)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Communion Meditation by Laurie Armstrong
A TRICKY CONDITION

***Hymn 23** "Angels We Have Heard on High" *French carol*

*Affirmation of Faith *(unison)*

Jesus came into the world as a child; he was conceived by the Holy Ghost and born of the Virgin Mary. Jesus Christ overthrew evil powers that enslaved and degraded people; he healed those who were sick in body and mind and lived among sinners as a servant. Through his birth, life, death, and resurrection, Jesus brings about the relationship between God and humanity that God always intended. We are certain that Christ is Lord and lives as God with us, touching all of human life with the presence

of God. In Christ's majesty and humility, he is the eternal Son of God, God himself with us.

A Declaration of Faith, Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

Offering

Offertory Anthem

"Creator of the Stars of Night" *Dale Wood*
Creator of the stars of night, thy people's everlasting light, O Christ, thou savior of us all, we pray thee, hear us when we call. To thee the deep travail was known, that made the whole creation groan till thou, Redeemer, shouldst free thine own in glorious liberty. And when the world drew on toward night, thou camest not in splendor bright as monarch but the humble child of Mary, blameless mother mild. At thy great name of Jesus, now all knees must bend, all hearts must bow. And things celestial thee shall own, of things terrestrial, Lord alone. Come in thy holy might, we pray. Redeem us for eternal day, from every power of darkness, when thou judgest all the sons of men. To God the Father, God the Son, and God the Spirit, three in one, laud, honor, might, and glory be from age to age eternally. Amen.

***Doxology**

(The Hymnal, 592)

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation

Minister: The Lord be with you.
People: **And also with you.**
Minister: Lift up your hearts.
People: **We lift them to the Lord.**
Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

Leader: . . . who forever sing to the glory of your name:
People: **Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

The Lord's Prayer

The Communion

Prayer After Communion

(unison)

Loving God, you graciously feed us with this bread of life and cup of salvation. Grant us your continual presence as we go out into the world, strengthened for your service in giving ourselves to others and in telling of your glory and truth. For you have made us your own people by the death and resurrection of your Son, our Lord, and by the life-giving power of your Spirit. Amen.

***Hymn 41**

"O Come, All Ye Faithful"

John Francis Wade

Benediction

Postlude

Noël

Louis Claude Daquin

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THE FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF CHICAGO
Coming Fourth

**IF YOU ARE NEW TO
FOURTH CHURCH**

Welcome! We are grateful for your presence and ask you to register your name on the pew pad. We invite you to

- > identify yourself by wearing a Fourth Church lapel pin, located in the pew racks
- > attend Coffee Hour in Anderson Hall following the morning worship services for fellowship and conversation; visit the *Welcome Table* and the *Deacons' Information Table* to learn about church programs and volunteer opportunities
- > tour the church building at 12:15 p.m., beginning at the rear of the Sanctuary
- > attend an Inquirers' Class and explore Presbyterian history or beliefs either **Monday, January 7**, 6:30-9:30 p.m.; **Saturday, January 19**, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon; or **Sunday, January 27**, 12:30-3:30 p.m. This class is a prerequisite for membership. No prior registration is necessary. For further information, contact Rob Schroeder at (312) 787-2729, ext. 321.

You are invited to participate in the worship, program, and service life of Fourth Church. For more information, see an usher or minister, or visit www.fourthchurch.org.

**TODAY AT
FOURTH CHURCH**

Christmas dinner tickets are on sale during Coffee Hour. All members and friends are invited to join in this time of joyful celebration and fellowship, to be held in Anderson Hall following the 11:00 a.m. Christmas Day worship service.

Art exhibits are on display in the Loggia and Gallery. In the Gallery is "Art from the Heart: The Children of El Hogar Del Nino," an exhibit that expresses the cultural heritage of the children of the Pilsen community. In the Loggia is "Cultural Crossings," art by Anil Revri that seeks to raise awareness of the profound influence religious traditions have upon our pluralistic society.

Fourthlights (40s and older) meets at 9:15 a.m. in the Dining Room for a holiday social hour. The group will not meet next Sunday, December 30.

Sunday school classes meet at 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. in Westminster House.

The John Knox Bible Study meets at 9:30 a.m. in the Page Smith Room.

Academy for Faith and Life courses do not meet today. Courses resume Sunday, January 6 (see page 9 for information about new classes).

Junior Highs (grades 6-7) and Senior High Youth Group members worship with their parents today. Neither group meets today or Sunday, December 30.

Venture Fourth (30s and 40s) does not meet for discussion about the Christian faith life or for Sunday brunch today or next Sunday, December 30.

A brief period of intercessory prayer is led by Deacons after the 11:00 service. All are invited to

Save the Date for the Mission Benefit

You are invited to attend the annual Mission Benefit "A Midwinter's Night Dream" at the Ritz-Carlton on Friday, February 8. This year's event will have a Mardi Gras theme and includes dinner, dancing, a silent auction, and a drawing. All proceeds will benefit the adult mission programs of Fourth Church: the Elam Davies Social Service Center, the Lorene Replogle Counseling Center, the Center for Older Adults, and the Center for Health Ministry. For more information, call Marissa Montano at ext. 233.

Stone Chapel to participate. Written prayer requests can be placed in the box outside the chapel.

Fourthcomers Young Adult Fellowship (20s and 30s) does not meet today or next Sunday, December 30.

COMING EVENTS

Fourthlights meets for a holiday favorite on Thursday, December 27: an evening of socializing at the Pump Room (1301 N. State Parkway). The group will begin gathering at 6:30 p.m. Live music for dancing begins at 8:00 p.m.

Oboist Sonja Thoms performs as part of the free Noonday Concert Series Friday, December 28 at 12:10 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

The joint New Year's Eve worship service with Holy Name Cathedral will be held at Fourth Church on Monday, December 31 at 7:30 p.m. John Buchanan and Robert McLaughlin will lead worship.

"Practicing Prayer" and "Thinking Inter religiously" are two new Academy for Faith and Life courses that begin on Sunday, January 6. "Practicing Prayer," taught by Melinda Lupfer, meets at 9:30 a.m. Providing background and instruction into several styles of prayer, it offers the opportunity to develop one's own life of prayer. "Thinking Inter religiously," taught by Dirk Ficca, meets at 11:00 a.m. It invites participants to explore the ways in which being in dialogue with other traditions can challenge and enrich

Christians as they live out their faith.

Young adults are invited to join Fourthcomers Young Adult Fellowship at Southport Lanes on Sunday, January 6 for an evening of bowling, billiards, and fun. Meet at Southport Lanes (3325 N. Southport) anytime after 7:30 p.m. Call the Fourthcomers Infoline at ext. 385 for more details.

"Your Particular Grief," a seminar for those dealing with loss, will be held on Wednesdays, January 9 through February 13 at 6:30 p.m. at Fourth Church's Lorene Replogle Counseling Center. John Boyle and Melinda Lupfer will facilitate these free sessions. Register by

Monday, January 7 by calling the Center at (312) 787-8425.

The Fourth Church Men's Group meets for breakfast and a program on Saturday, January 12 at 8:00 a.m. in the Dining Room. Steve Runholt, Pastoral Resident, will present a program on "The Healing Circle," discussing the legacy of Native Americans to our own spirituality. Make reservations by 12:00 noon on Friday, January 11 by calling the church receptionist at (312) 787-4570.

The next blood drive at Fourth Church will be Sunday, January 20. For more information, call the Blood Donor Infoline at ext. 388.

Special Offering Opportunities

> **A gift to the Christmas Joy Offering** helps those who are homeless and hungry and supports racial ethnic education as well as retired pastors of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.). A portion of the Joy Offering goes to Fourth Church's Elam Davies Social Service Center, which provides services for the increasing number of those struggling with self-sufficiency in the current economy. Particularly hard hit are former employees of the hospitality industry who have become jobless this fall. To contribute to the Joy Offering, use one of the special envelopes in the pew racks or write "Joy Offering" on the memo line of a check made payable to Fourth Presbyterian Church.

> **End-of-year giving** helps make many of Fourth Church's mission commitments and dreams possible. All gifts identified with name and address and dated or postmarked by December 31 will appear, for tax purposes, on the 2001 giving statements.

A Winter Retreat for Women will be held the weekend of January 25 at Loyola at the Cenacle in Chicago. Sponsored by Presbyterian Women in Fourth Church and led by Edwina Gateley, the retreat will focus on "Renewal of the Body, Transformation of the Spirit." The registration deadline is Friday, January 10. To register, pick up a brochure from the literature racks. For more information, call Lisa Cochrane at ext. 271.

Your help is needed. Among current needs are
> Ushers for 8:00 and 9:30 a.m. Sunday services (regularly) and 6:30 p.m. Sunday Vespers (on rotation).
> Library aids, tutors and substitutes, data entry helpers, and other volunteers to assist with the Tutoring Program. For more information about these and the many other

volunteer opportunities at Fourth Church, stop by the Volunteer Table during Coffee Hour or contact Larry Nicholson at ext. 463.

Fourth Church Cares: For information about the kinds of pastoral care available through staff and programs of this congregation or to notify the church of illnesses, death, hospitalizations, and other concerns, contact Carol Allen, Associate Pastor for Congregational Care, at ext. 292 or e-mail callen@fourthchurch.org.

The Lorene Replogle Counseling Center, a ministry of Fourth Church, offers support groups as well as individual, couples', and premarital counseling. Information about the Center is available in the literature racks or by calling (312) 787-8425.

The Fourth Church Day School is accepting preschool applications for the 2001-2002 school year. For more information, call Jill Stephens at ext. 282.

Small group ministry at Fourth Church offers opportunities for connecting with a group within the larger community of this congregation. To find out more about the groups that exist at Fourth Church and how to find one that fits, call Melinda Lupfer at ext. 379.

ABOUT THE COVER
Psalm 150 encourages us to praise God with trumpet, harp, and string. These angels adorn a stained glass window, by Charles J. Connick, located in the reception area west of Anderson Hall.

SHARING CHRISTMAS JOY

- > **Give Life-Changing Gifts** in the name of friends, loved ones, and colleagues this Christmas. Gifts, made through Fourth Church, will make a difference in others' lives, providing food for a family in need, a scholarship to the Center for Older Adults, and much more. Brochures containing gift request forms are available in the literature racks. For more information, contact Marissa Montano at ext. 233.
 - > **Scarves, other winter clothing, and canned goods** are needed by Fourth Church's Elam Davies Social Service Center. Donations can be dropped off at the church reception desk.
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Celebrate Christmas with FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Christmas Eve

Monday, December 24

Four Candlelight Worship Services

4:00 p.m. Worship with Children's
Pageant

5:30 p.m. Worship with Christmas
Meditation

8:00 p.m. Service of Lessons and Carols

11:00 p.m. Service of Lessons and Carols

Christmas Day

Tuesday, December 25

Christmas Day Worship

11:00 a.m.

Christmas Dinner

12:15 p.m. in Anderson Hall

*(tickets may be purchased during
Coffee Hour today)*

*For additional information about the worship life
of Fourth Presbyterian Church, visit
www.fourthchurch.org.*

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, December 23		
7:50 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.	Nursery	Westminster 14
8:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Dr. Buchanan preaching	Sanctuary
9:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour	Anderson Hall
9:15 a.m.	Fourthlights	Dining Room
9:30 a.m.	Sunday school	Westminster House
9:30 a.m.	John Knox Bible Study	Page Smith Room
9:30 a.m.	Morning Worship Dr. Buchanan preaching	Sanctuary
10:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour	Anderson Hall
11:00 a.m.	Sunday school	Westminster House
11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Dr. Buchanan preaching	Sanctuary
12:15 p.m.	Coffee Hour	Anderson Hall
12:15 p.m.	Church Tour begins	Sanctuary
12:15 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer	Stone Chapel
5:00 p.m.	Sunday Night Community Supper	Dining Room
6:30 p.m.	Vespers Service Ms. Armstrong preaching	Sanctuary
7:30 p.m.	Coffee Reception	Loggia
Monday, December 24		
9:00 a.m.	CHRISTMAS EVE Morning Prayers	Blair Chapel
4:00 p.m.	Worship with Children's Pageant	Sanctuary
5:30 p.m.	Worship with Christmas Meditation	Sanctuary
8:00 p.m.	Service of Lessons and Carols	Sanctuary
11:00 p.m.	Service of Lessons and Carols	Sanctuary
Tuesday, December 25		
11:00 a.m.	CHRISTMAS DAY Christmas Day Worship	Sanctuary
12:15 p.m.	Christmas Dinner	Anderson Hall
Wednesday, December 26		
9:00 a.m.	Morning Prayers, Wednesday through Friday	Blair Chapel
Thursday, December 27		
6:30 p.m.	Fourthlights	(see announcement)
Friday, December 28		
12:10 p.m.	Concert: Oboist Sonja Thoms	Sanctuary
Sunday, December 30		
8:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Mr. Cairns preaching	Sanctuary
9:30 a.m.	Morning Worship Mr. Cairns preaching	Sanctuary
11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Mr. Cairns preaching	Sanctuary
6:30 p.m.	Vespers Service Dr. Boyle preaching	Sanctuary

Parking is available Sundays at 900 North Michigan (access from Rush or Walton Street) at the rate of \$5.50 until 2:00 p.m. and \$6.25 after 5:00 p.m. and at the John Hancock Center, 875 North Michigan Avenue (access Chestnut Street), at the rate of \$5.00 until 2:00 p.m. Weekday parking is available after 5:00 p.m. at 900 North Michigan at the rate of \$6.25. Tickets must be validated in the coffee hour or at the Chestnut Street reception desk.

For child care arrangements (other than during Sunday morning worship services),
call (312) 787-2729, ext. 282 at least three working days in advance.

