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4:00 Order of Worship 02.07.10

Gathering

Gathering Music

We invite you to complete the prayer card found in this worship bulletin and to place it in the plate during the sharing of gifts. Information about the prayer cards is printed on the outside back cover of the bulletin.

Welcome

Inspired by the radical hospitality of Jesus Christ, Fourth Presbyterian Church welcomes all of God's children into the life of the church regardless of gender, age, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, physical limitation, educational background, or economic situation.

Call to Worship

Leader: Holy One, open us to the movement of your Spirit.

People: **Free our dreams; open our eyes, ears, minds, and hearts to the glory of life.**

Leader: Holy One, open us to the movement of your Spirit.

People: **Help us to grow! Open our senses!**

Leader: Holy One, open us to the movement of your Spirit.

People: **Open our hearts in a rebirth of wonder; open our defenses and delight us in our diversities.**

Leader: Holy One, open us to the movement of your Spirit. Open our futures and deepen our faith, and make us a family in your Spirit.

People: **We gather expecting the winds of love to blow through us and call us to new life.**

***Song** “We Have Come at Christ’s Own Bidding”

Prayer of Confession (*unison*)

**O God, our reconciler, we confess that Christ has called us,
but we have not heard. We have been so dead to miracles
that we have missed the world’s rebirth. We have preoccupied
ourselves with pleasures and have overlooked the joy you offer us.
We have been so concerned with making a living that we have
missed the life you set among us. Forgive us, gracious God.
Help us to hear your call, to drop everything and to follow you.
Hear now our silent prayers . . .**

Silence

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: Friends, believe the good news.

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

***Passing of the Peace**

Leader: As God’s forgiven people, let us greet one another with the peace of Christ.
The peace of Christ be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

All are invited to stand and share the peace of Christ with one another.

Hearing and Proclaiming the Word

Gloria (*sing two times*)

Scripture Lesson Luke 5:1–11 (page 58, N.T.)

Sermon by Joann H. Lee
“Gone Fishin’”

***Song** “The Summons”

Sealing the Word

Sharing of Gifts

Please place gifts and prayer cards in the plate as it is passed.

Offertory Anthem "Immortal, Invisible"

Eric H. Thiman

Immortal, invisible, God only wise, in light inaccessible hid from our eyes, most blessed, most glorious, the ancient of days, almighty, victorious, thy great name we praise. Unresting, unhasting, and silent as night, nor wanting, nor wasting, thou rulest in might. Thy justice like mountains high soaring above thy clouds which are fountains of goodness and love. To all life thou givest, to both great and small; in all life thou livest, the true life of all. We blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree, and wither and perish, but nought changeth thee. Great Father of glory, pure Father of light, thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight. All laud we would render, O help us to see, 'tis only the splendor of light hideth thee. Amen.

*Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heav'nly host;
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

The Great Thanksgiving

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!**

Sanctus

Prayers of the People

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.

The Communion

Communion Music "Jesu, Lover of My Soul"

Henry Coleman

Jesu, lover of my soul, let me to thy bosom fly, while the nearer waters roll, while the tempest still is high. Hide me, O my Savior, till the storm of life is past; safe into the heaven guide, O receive my soul at last. Other refuge have I none, hangs my helpless soul on thee. Leave, ah, leave me not alone, still support and comfort me. All my trust on thee is stayed; all my help from thee I bring; cover my defenseless head with the shadow of thy wing. Plenteous grace with thee is found, grace to cover all my sin. Let the healing streams abound; make and keep me pure within. Thou of life the fountain art, freely let me take of thee; spring thou up within my heart, rise to all eternity.

Prayer after Communion *(unison)*

**O God, you have bound us together in common life,
which we have celebrated at your holy table.
Help us, in the midst of our busy lives,
to hear and to answer Christ's call to come and follow.
Empower us to stand together, to walk together,
and to work together for justice and truth.
Teach us to abide in your love. Amen.**

Sending

*Sending Song

"Song of Hope" *(sing two times)*

***Benediction**

Sending Music

A note on inclusive language

Incorporating ancient and contemporary traditions in this service, God will be named corporately in a variety of ways that are gender neutral. This allows for your personal expressions as you are led to name the Holy in ways meaningful to you.

Worship Leaders

Joann H. Lee Pastoral Resident

Adam Fronczek Associate Pastor

Janet Reed Liturgist

Fourth at Four Ensemble

The Chamber Choir

Thomas E. Gouwens Associate Organist

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Fourth Church Cares

To notify pastoral staff of personal concerns, illnesses, hospitalizations, or deaths; to pass along a prayer request; or to arrange homebound Communion with a Deacon, contact Sarah Johnson, member of the pastoral staff at 312.981.4034 (sjohnson@fourthchurch.org).

News and Opportunities

Mission and Outreach

Gifts to Presbyterian Disaster Assistance to help with immediate needs and ongoing recovery in Haiti can be made by writing "Disaster Assistance" on the memo line of a check made payable to Fourth Presbyterian Church or online at www.fourthchurch.org. Thank you to all who have helped Fourth Church raise more than \$28,000 for this urgent need.

Reservations for the March 5 Mission Benefit, Carnival, can be made by calling Nancy Davis at 312.274.3815. Drawing tickets for the "Technology Treasures" package are also available as are details about the online auction. For information, visit www.chicagolights.org.

Volunteers and Donations

Current Volunteer Needs

French speakers to assist DCFS with Haitian orphans in Chicago

Volunteers to sort and pack food at the Greater Chicago Food Depository, Saturday, May 1, 1:00 to 4:30 p.m. to assist the Social Service Center in earning food credits

Substitute Tutors, Monday-Thursday evenings

Current Donation Needs

Furniture for an individual living with HIV/AIDS moving into an assisted living shelter; a list of items is available at the Volunteer table

Gently used clothes for a seven-year-old girl who is chronically ill; a list of items and sizes needed is available at the Volunteer table

Men's seasonal sturdy clothes in larger sizes (pants, belts, shoes, etc.)

For details and a list of additional needs, contact Larry Nicholson, Director of Volunteer Ministry, at 312.981.3382 (lnicholson@fourthchurch.org).

Worship

Special prayer requests are included in intercessory prayer in Stone Chapel on Sunday mornings. Individuals can place their prayer requests, written on paper, in one of the prayer boxes, which are located outside Stone Chapel, in the Narthex, and in Anderson Hall.

Morning Prayer is held weekdays at 9:30 a.m., except Tuesdays, when it is held at 9:00 a.m. All are invited to join staff for Morning Prayer, which takes place in Stone Chapel and offers opportunity to pray for Fourth Church members and those in need.

Sunday morning worship services are held at 8:00 (Communion) and at 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.

A prayer service in the style of Taizé is held the fourth Friday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in Blair Chapel. The next service will be Friday, February 26.

Lent

Ash Wednesday services will be held on Wednesday, February 17 at 12:10 and 7:30 p.m., with Communion and the opportunity for imposition of ashes as part of both services.

Daily Lenten devotions written by Fourth Church members and staff will be available beginning Wednesday, February 17 in the church literature racks, by email (simply send email addresses to devotions@fourthchurch.org), and at www.fourthchurch.org.

"Telling Our Faith Stories," this year's Lenten Retreat, will be held at Fourth Church on February 26–27. Lillian Daniel, Senior Minister at First Congregational Church in Glen Ellyn, will lead the retreat. For details, including information about recommended reading, or to register, pick up a brochure in the literature racks or contact Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369 by Wednesday, February 24.

News and Opportunities

Enrichment

Weekly Bible Study opportunities:

Women, Sundays at 9:00 a.m.

John Knox, Sundays at 9:30 a.m.

Noonday, Wednesdays at 12:10 p.m.

Life and Learning, Fridays at 10:30 a.m.

“The Exodus as a Rite of Passage,” led by Tom Dozeman, meets next Sunday at 11:00 a.m. in Anderson Hall South Balcony.

“Integrity in Business,” a new **Academy for Faith and Life** class led by Joyce Shin and clinical psychologist Leslie Pratt, first meets this Thursday, February 11 at 7:30 a.m. in the Loop and will include a light breakfast. For details and to register, contact Anita Bright at 312.573.3364 (abright@fourthchurch.org).

“Food, Mood, and Balance: The Impact of Food and Lifestyle Choices on Well-being” will be the topic of the Midwinter Conference hosted by the Lorene Replogle Counseling Center on Saturday, February 20 at Fourth Church. For details or to register, pick up a brochure from the literature racks or call the Counseling Center at 312.787.8425.

The Community Book Group will meet Tuesday, February 23 at 7:00 p.m. in the Randolph Room for discussion, led by Donna Gray, on *The Thirteen American Arguments* by Howard Fineman.

Books by Women will discuss *Read My Pins: Stories from a Diplomat's Jewelbox* by Madeleine Albright Tuesday, March 2 at 6:00 p.m. in the Manse.

There are a variety of upcoming Academy for Faith and Life adult education offerings beginning Sunday, February 28; course topics include Presbyterianism and Catholicism, vocation, the Song of Songs, and the Q'uran. To learn more, visit www.fourthchurch.org/academywinter.html or contact Anita Bright at 312.573.3364.

Fellowship

Today the ThirtiesForties and Young Adults fellowship groups are gathering for a joint Super Bowl party at 6:00 p.m. in the Manse. Guests are invited to bring a dish or beverage to share.

Fourth Dimension, a fellowship group for individual adults forty-seven and older, will gather this Friday, February 12 at 6:00 p.m. in Anderson Hall. Movie critic Hank Sartin will speak on “Romance in the Movies.” For details or to preregister, contact Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369.

The Gathering, a fellowship opportunity for those age twenty-two to thirty-five, meets on Sundays at 12:15 p.m. in the Randolph Room. For details, contact Liz Nickerson at 312.573.3366 (enickerson@fourthchurch.org)

Children, Youth, and Family

Sunday school classes for children meet Sunday mornings at 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.

Fourth Church youth meet each Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m.: Elevation (grades 6–7) meets in the Manse basement, Fourth Church Rising (grade 8) meets in the Page Smith Room, and Senior Highs (grades 9–12) meets in the Crow's Nest.

Families are invited to an ice skating party on Saturday, February 13 at the Daley Bicentennial Rink (337 E. Randolph), which will be rented for Fourth Church families from 1:15 to 3:15 p.m. Skate rental, admission, and beverages will be provided.

Musician Jim Gill will return for the annual Day School Benefit on Saturday, February 20. A time for fellowship will begin at 9:30 a.m. in Westminster House; Jim will perform from 10:30 to 11:15 a.m. For more information, contact Melissa Scanlan at 312.640.2578 (mscanlan@fourthchurch.org)

News and Opportunities

News and Resources

The 140th Annual Meeting of the Congregation will be held Sunday, February 21 following 11:00 worship. All members are encouraged to attend; child care will be provided during the meeting. Afterwards, all are invited to an intergenerational congregational lunch in Anderson Hall. Tickets for this meal are available during Coffee Hour and at reception during the week.

Project Second Century update: The architectural firm of Gensler has been selected to design the new building and is currently working on a detailed analysis of space wants and needs. Quimby Pipe Organs has been chosen to rebuild the sanctuary organ.

The ordination service for Jane Tuma, a ministry candidate under the care of the Fourth Church Session, will be held on Saturday, February 13 at 3:00 p.m. at Second Presbyterian Church (1936 S. Michigan Ave.). All are invited.

“Three stories. Three faiths. One God” will be the topic of discussion by Eboo Patel, Christine Chakoian, and Sherre Hirsch on *30 Good Minutes* on WTTW on February 14, 21, and 28 at 5:00 p.m.

Fourth Presbyterian Church, a member congregation of the Covenant Network of Presbyterians, is committed to being a fully inclusive community. To learn more about Covenant Network, visit www.covenantnetwork.org.

The Fourth Church website, www.fourthchurch.org, makes available sermon transcripts from all worship services; audio (including podcasts) of the 11:00 a.m. services; the text of worship bulletins and News and Opportunities; devotional resources; and programming information.

For a preview of next Sunday’s worship and news from Fourth Church, subscribe to the weekly email newsletter News@FourthChurch by sending email addresses to news@fourthchurch.org.

Music and the Arts

“Fourth Church Artists Shine Their Light in the City” is on exhibition in the Loggia and Gallery and features artwork by members.

Cole Seaton, a member of the Morning Choir, will be the featured artist at the free Friday, February 12 Noonday Concert at 12:10 p.m. in the sanctuary.

The inner workings and versatility of the sanctuary pipe organ will be the topic of a presentation by John Sherer at the Fourth Church Men’s Group meeting on Saturday, February 13 at 8:00 a.m. For details or to RSVP for breakfast, call the church office at 312.787.4570 by 12:00 noon on Friday, February 12. All are welcome.

The Newberry Consort, an early music ensemble, will be in concert on Friday, February 19 at 8:00 p.m. in the sanctuary. Tickets are available online at www.newberry.org or by calling 312.255.3610.

The Swedish Radio Choir will perform at Fourth Church on Tuesday, February 23 at 7:30 p.m. in the sanctuary. For tickets, call 312.294.3000 or visit www.cso.org.

The Chicago Ensemble, a mixed group of musicians, will be in concert at Fourth Church on Tuesday, February 23 at 7:30 p.m. in Blair Chapel. Tickets are available online at www.chicagoensemble.org or by calling 773.889.4206.

The Chamber Choir invites additional voices to join them in singing during 4:00 p.m. worship. Practices for the Chamber Choir are held at 3:00 p.m. in the sanctuary prior to this service. For details, contact John Sherer at 312.981.3592.

Those who would like to receive *Music Notes*, a weekly email newsletter about concerts at Fourth Church, are invited to subscribe by sending email addresses to music@fourthchurch.org.

During Today's Worship

All are encouraged to use the prayer card, found in this worship bulletin, to offer joys and/or concerns. The cards will be collected during the Sharing of Gifts (simply place the card in the offering plate as it is passed). The prayers will then be incorporated into this afternoon's Prayers of the People.

If you have a prayer you would rather not share during worship, you are invited to complete a prayer card found by one of the prayer boxes in the Narthex, at the back of the sanctuary, and it will be passed on to Sarah Johnson of the pastoral staff.

All, including children, are invited to the Lord's Table to receive Communion, which is served by intinction. The congregation will come forward by the center aisle to receive the bread (gluten-free bread is available in the paper "cup" within the basket of bread), which they will then dip into the chalice of nonalcoholic grape juice. Worshipers will return to their pews by the side aisles.

Pastoral Staff for 4:00 Worship

Victoria G. Curtiss, Associate Pastor for Mission
Adam Fronczek, Associate Pastor for
Adult Education and Worship
Linda C. Loving, Minister for Evangelism
John W. Vest, Associate Pastor for Youth Ministry
Jocelyn C. Cadwallader, Pastoral Resident
Sarah A. Johnson, Pastoral Resident
Joann H. Lee, Pastoral Resident

During the Concerns of the Church, please pass the pew information pads, so that all worshipers have an opportunity to provide updated information and to greet one another by name following the service.

The large banners hanging in the middle of the Sanctuary were created by liturgical artist Shawna Bowman during the 4:00 worship service and are artistic representations of our worship experience.

The textile banners and pulpit parament, "Unweavings" created by Laurie Wohl, were commissioned by Fourth Church for use during the liturgical season of Ordinary Time, the longest season of the church year (the season between Epiphany and Lent and between Pentecost and Advent).

Large-print Bibles and individual listening devices for improved sound are available in the back of the sanctuary. Worship also can be heard through the "T" setting of hearing aids.

If your infant or small child needs care during the worship service, you may leave the sanctuary and return as you wish. The worship service audio can be heard in Stone Chapel, where you and your child are also welcome. There is also an area in the side aisle where your child can play quietly.

Worship folders, containing quiet activities and a bulletin designed for children, are available from an usher.

Please turn off all cell phones when in the sanctuary.

If You Are New to Fourth Church

Please wear a lapel pin, found in the pew racks, so we might greet you after worship. We invite you to stop by the community meal or the Loggia (through the doors to your left as you face the front of the sanctuary) after worship for fellowship, conversation, and information about church programs and volunteer opportunities.

Sunday parking is available at 900 North Michigan (access from Rush or Walton Streets) at the rate of \$7.75. Validation tickets must be picked up from

the 126 E. Chestnut St. reception desk. There is no discounted afternoon parking at the Hancock garage.

Inquirers' Class explores Presbyterian history and beliefs. This one-session class is also a prerequisite for membership. Attend Saturday, February 20 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon; Sunday, February 28 from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m.; or Monday, March 1 from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. For membership information, contact Linda Loving, Minister for Evangelism, at 312.981.3399 (lloving@fourthchurch.org).