

All Saints' Sunday

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: Revelation means the moment in our history through which we know ourselves to be known from beginning to end, in which we are apprehended by the knower; it means the self-disclosing of that eternal knower.

People: **Revelation means the moment in which we are surprised by the knowledge of someone there in the darkness and void of human life; it means the self-disclosure of light in our darkness.**

Leader: Revelation is the moment in which we find our judging selves to be judged not by ourselves or our neighbors, but by one who knows the final secrets of the heart; revelation means the self-disclosure of the judge.

People: **Revelation means that we find ourselves to be valued rather than valuing, and that all our values are transvaluated by the activity of a universal valuer.**

Leader: When a price is put upon our heads, which is not our price, when the unfairness of all the fair prices we have placed on things is shown up; when the great riches of God reduce our wealth to poverty, that is revelation.

People: **When we find out that we are no longer thinking God, but that God first thought us, that is revelation.**

*Opening Song "Spirit of the Living God"

Prayer of Confession (*unison*)

**God of our understanding and beyond our understanding,
forgive us, when we know not what we do.**

Forgive us, when we do exactly what we meant not to do.

Forgive us, when we do not do as we could or should.

Forgive us, and remind us that in your creation, you called us good. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

Leader: Friends, believe the good news.

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

*Passing of the Peace

Leader: As forgiven children of God, let us not be strangers to one another, but sisters and brothers in Christ. Please stand and 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

Psalter Psalm 139:7–14 (*responsively*)

Leader: Where can I go from your spirit?
Or where can I flee from your presence?

People: **If I ascend into heaven, you are there;
if I make my bed in hell, behold, you are there.**

Leader: If I take the wings of the morning,
and settle at the farthest limits of the sea,

People: **even there your hand shall lead me,
and your right hand shall hold me.**

Leader: If I say, “Surely the darkness shall cover me,
and the light around me become night,”

People: **even the darkness is not dark to you;
the night is as bright as the day,
for darkness is as light to you.**

Leader: For it was you who formed my inward parts;
you covered me in my mother’s womb.

People: **I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made.
Wonderful are your works,
that my soul knows very well.**

Scripture Deuteronomy 6:1–9

(page 157, O.T.)

Sermon Presence

Edwin Estevez

Song for Reflection “You Have Me”

Gungor

Sealing the Word

Sharing of Gifts

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

Offertory Music “Every Time I Feel the Spirit”

African American spiritual

*Doxology

Lucy Smith

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

Lucy Smith

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 "Of the Spirit, Born of Spirit"

J.B.O. Clemm

Prayer after Communion (*unison*)

**God, the source of delight,
at your table we have been gracious guests, but also much more.
Children at your feet, but still more.
No longer enemies, but friends of God.
No longer servants, but brothers and sisters of Christ.
In this spirit then, help us to welcome friends and those we call foes,
neighbors and those who we make enemies,
and to welcome even our whole self into your love, your abiding presence.
Amen.**

Sending

***Closing Song** "I Want Jesus to Walk with Me"

***Benediction**

Sending Music

All Saints' Sunday

On All Saints' Sunday, we both remember the faithful who have gone before us
and honor departed loved ones.

As part of that observance, the names of Fourth Church members
who have entered the Church Triumphant since last All Saints' Sunday,
November 6, 2011, are read during worship.

H. R. (Lad) Anderson Jr.	Grant Munski
Robert "Tubby" Bacon	Susan I. Pellowe
Beverly J. Blettner	Rebecca Mai Poynton
Bonnie Cipar	George B. Rome
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Pearl A. "Sandy" Galloway	Douglas Voyles
Marianne Jahn	Clifford M. Wilk
Wayne E. Jones	Philip C. Williams
Janet Kinzler	Nancy Wolters
Ross R. Lober	

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

Edwin Estevez Pastoral Resident
Adam H. Fronczek Associate Pastor
Lesley Conzelman Lay Liturgist
Lucy Smith Quartet

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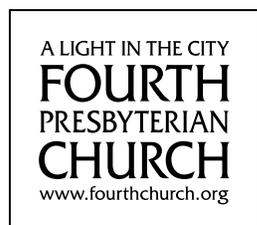
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News and Opportunities

Worship

Today is All Saints' Sunday, a day when we remember the faithful who have gone before us and honor departed loved ones. As part of that observance, the names of all Fourth Church members who have entered the Church Triumphant in 2012 will be read during today's worship service. Fauré's *Requiem* will be sung by the new Fourth Church Choral Society during a special Communion service of remembrance at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

"Tailgate Church," an experiment in taking church beyond the walls of our Sanctuary, will happen next Sunday, November 11 on the upper level of the Waldron Parking Deck at Soldier Field. Tailgating and fellowship will begin at 4:00 p.m., with John Vest and Hardy Kim leading a worship service with Communion at 6:00 p.m. All youth and adults are invited, whether they are attending the 7:20 p.m. Bears game or not. Tickets are not required for tailgating. For details, call John Vest at 312.981.4037 or Hardy Kim at 312.981.3399.

Reflecting the Love of God

Thank you to all who made a 2013 Annual Appeal pledge on or before Commitment Sunday. If you have not yet made your pledge, please take a moment to do so in the days ahead using the cards available in the pew racks or online at www.fourthchurch.org/giving/appeal.

News and Resources

On this All Saints' Sunday we also remember with gratitude those who have gone before us and remembered in their planned giving those who would follow them in ministry here at Fourth Church. For information about including Fourth Church in your planned giving, please call Katy Frey Bever at 312.981.3380.

The Dedication and Official Opening of the Gratz Center will take place on Sunday, November 18 at 12:15 p.m. The event will also include celebrating with John and Sue Buchanan the dedication of the Buchanan Chapel.

The Pastor Nominating Committee's October update is posted at www.fourthchurch.org/pnc.

Docent-led tours of the Gratz Center will be available on the following dates. They will be offered on Sundays, November 25 and December 2 and 9 at 9:15 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 12:15 p.m., and 3:00 p.m. They will also be offered on Saturday, December 1 between 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. and on Saturday, December 8 between 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon.

Children, Youth, and Family

A Gratz Center Family Night, complete with a scavenger hunt, will take place on Friday evening, November 16. Details are available online. RSVP to Daniel Holladay at 312.640.2578.

Two weeks from today we dedicate the Gratz Center and begin using our wonderful new space. Online you can see photos of the building as it's progressed from ground-breaking to a nearly finished five-story home for the varied and vibrant programming going on here at the church. To view these photos and read about Fourth Church program opportunities, visit www.fourthchurch.org.



News and Opportunities

Thanksgiving

The annual Thanksgiving Day Gospelfest, sponsored by the Near North Ministry Alliance, of which Fourth Church is a participant, will be held Sunday, November 18 at 3:30 p.m. at St. Matthew United Methodist Church at 1000 N. Orleans.

Community Interfaith Thanksgiving Worship will be held Tuesday, November 20 at 7:30 p.m. at Holy Name Cathedral (State and Superior). Chicago Sinai, Holy Name Cathedral, and Fourth Church will be participating, and Rabbi David Levinsky will preach.

Thanksgiving Day Worship at Fourth Church will be held at 11:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary on Thursday, November 22.

Thanksgiving Day Dinner tickets are available today and during the week at the reception desk. This traditional dinner will be served in Anderson Hall at 12:15 p.m. on Thursday, November 22.

Mission and Outreach

This Saturday, Cuba trip applications are due. The application form and information about this early February trip are available online. Information is also available about other 2013 trips, including the March trip to the Dominican Republic.

A screening of the documentary *Trigger: The Ripple Effect of Gun Violence* will be held this Wednesday, November 7 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

Enrichment

Men's Group will gather for a talk, led by Rabbi Ruth Durchslag, on Saturday, November 10 at 8:00 a.m. in the Dining Room. To RSVP, call 312.787.4570 by Wednesday, November 7.

Music and the Arts

"A Chanticleer Christmas" concert will take place on Tuesday and Wednesday, December 4 and 5 at 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Tickets are only available at www.cso.org.

Advent

The "Christmas Wishes" gift project collects gifts for more than 700 children who might not otherwise receive them. Wish lists are available by calling Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369.

"The Music and Meaning of Advent" will be held on Wednesday, November 28 at 5:30 p.m. in the Gratz Center.

The annual Fair Trade Gift Bazaar will be held on Saturday and Sunday, December 1 and 2 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in Anderson Hall and the Commons.

"Center Yourself for the Holidays," a mini retreat, will take place on Saturday, December 1 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. To register (required), call 312.787.8425.

An Advent contemplative retreat will be held on Friday and Saturday, December 7–8 at The Well in La Grange Park. To register, contact Nancy Davis at 312.274.3815 (ndavis@fourthchurch.org).

Volunteers and Donations

Current Volunteer Needs

Workers to set up and take down the Fair Trade Bazaar

Sewers with machines to hem panels to be used for the Gratz Center Community Grand Opening

To volunteer, call Larry Nicholson at 312.981.3382.

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 Judy Watt, Associate Pastor for Pastoral Care.

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.

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.

Please turn off all cell phones when in the Sanctuary.

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. There is also an area in the side aisle where your child can play quietly.

Worship folders, containing quiet activities and a bulletin for children, are available from a greeter.

Printed copies of sermons recently preached at Fourth Church are available in the literature racks outside the South Transept doors (leading to Anderson Hall) and in the Narthex, at the back of the Sanctuary. They are also available at www.fourthchurch.org/sermons/index.html.

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 Judy Watt, Associate Pastor for Pastoral Care, at 312.573.3360 (jwatt@fourthchurch.org).

If You Are New to Fourth Church

Inquirers' Class explores Presbyterian history and beliefs. This one-session class is also a prerequisite for membership and includes a light meal. Attend Monday, November 5 from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.; Saturday, November 17 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon; or Monday, December 3 from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. For membership information, contact Hardy Kim, Associate Pastor for Evangelism, at 312.981.3399 (hkim@fourthchurch.org).

Information about opportunities and resources available to you here at Fourth Church is available in the literature racks as you're leaving the church. You can also find information on our website (www.fourthchurch.org), our page on Facebook (facebook.com/fourthchurch), and in our weekly email newsletter (send addresses to news@fourthchurch.org).

Interested in Baptism or Membership? Time is set aside in the 4:00 service on a regular basis for the purpose of offering opportunities for persons to be baptized and to become members of Fourth Presbyterian Church. If you are interested in discussing baptism and membership for yourself or for your child, you are encouraged to mention that to one of the ministers present at today's service or to contact one of us during the week.

Sunday parking is available at 900 North Michigan (access from Rush or Walton Street) at the rate of \$8. Validation tickets must be picked up from the 126 E. Chestnut St. reception desk. There is no discounted afternoon parking at the Hancock garage.