

## MORNING WORSHIP

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

**PRELUDE**

Forty Days	<i>Dave Brubeck</i>
I Want Jesus to Walk with Me	<i>African American spiritual arr. Richard Billingham</i>
Forty Days and Forty Nights	<i>Kenneth Leighton</i>
I Want Jesus to Walk with Me	<i>African American spiritual arr. Calvin Taylor</i>

**INTROIT**

“Forty Days and Forty Nights” *Martin Herbst*

Forty days and forty nights you were fasting in the wild;  
forty days and forty nights tempted, and yet undefiled.  
Keep, O keep us, Savior dear, ever constant by your side;  
that with you we may appear at the eternal Eastertide.

**\*DOXOLOGY AND INVOCATION** (The Hymnal, 592)

**\*HYMN 488** “The God of Abraham Praise” *Tune: LEONI*

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION** (*unison*)

**If you, O Lord, kept a record of sins,  
O Lord, who could stand?  
But with you there is forgiveness;  
therefore you are feared.  
I wait for the Lord, my soul waits,  
and in his word I put my hope.  
My soul waits for the Lord  
more than those who watch for the morning,  
more than those who watch for the morning.**

**Almighty God, our Redeemer,  
in our weakness we have failed to be your messengers  
of forgiveness and hope.  
Renew us by your Holy Spirit,  
that we may follow your commands  
and proclaim your reign of love,  
through Jesus Christ, our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and forever. Amen.**



## 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.**

### PRAYER RESPONSE "Hear Our Prayer, O Lord"

*Edwin Fissinger*

Hear our prayer, O Lord; incline thine ear to us and grant us thy peace. Amen.

### OFFERING

### OFFERTORY ANTHEM "Kyrie"

*Michael Allen*

Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

### \*PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND RESPONSE

For the life that you have giv- en, for the love in Christ made known,  
with these fruits of time and la - bor, with these gifts that are your own:  
here we of - fer, Lord, our prai-ses; heart and mind and strength we bring.  
Give us grace to love and serve you, liv - ing what we pray and sing.

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**\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION**

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.**

All: **God of compassion,**

**we praise you that you look upon our frail lives**

**with love and understanding**

**and that you desire for us all new life in Jesus Christ.**

**We are overwhelmed by your love,**

**which goes to the cross for us,**

**endures the grave,**

**and leads us to new life.**

**By your Spirit,**

**strengthen our souls to be brave and bold in Christ's service.**

**Take our offerings,**

**and use them and us for your purposes,**

**in the name of Jesus Christ,**

**our crucified and risen Lord.**

**Amen.**

**\*HYMN 83**

“O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High”

*Tune: DEO GRACIAS*

**BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE**

**POSTLUDE**

Symphony VI in G Minor  
Finale

*Charles-Marie Widor*

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## Welcoming Guest Preachers—this Lent

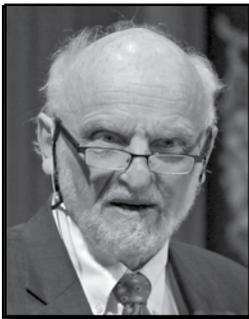
This year, we are honored to be able to welcome to the Fourth Church pulpit several highly regarded theologians and preachers. We are particularly pleased that Lauren Artress and Walter Brueggemann will be sharing the Word with us this Lent.



### **Lauren Artress**

**TODAY AT 9:30 AND 11:00 A.M.**

Lauren Artress, an Episcopal priest, spiritual director, and psychotherapist, is considered responsible for sparking the reemergence of labyrinth awareness. She has written several books and articles on the subject—including *Walking a Sacred Path: Rediscovering the Labyrinth as a Spiritual Tool*—and travels extensively offering workshops and lectures on the use of the labyrinth, including a pilgrimage held annually at Chartres Cathedral in France. Yesterday she led our Midwinter Lenten Retreat using the new labyrinth in Buchanan Chapel, which will be available for walking after the 11:00 service today.



### **Walter Brueggemann**

**MARCH 3 AT 9:30 AND 11:00 A.M.**

Professor Emeritus of Old Testament at Columbia Theological Seminary in Decatur, Georgia (a seminary of the Presbyterian Church USA), Dr. Brueggemann is a noted scholar and prolific author of more than fifty-eight books, including *Awed to Heaven, Rooted in Earth*; *The Prophetic Imagination*; and the award-winning *Theology of the Old Testament*, which has become a foundational and classic work in the field. Dr. Brueggemann, who is also an ordained minister in the United Church of Christ, is widely sought after as preacher, teacher, and lecturer.

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## WORSHIP LEADERS

9:30 a.m. Joyce Shin, Adam H. Fronczek, Lauren Artress

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## THE MUSIC TODAY

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John W. W. Sherer, Organist and Director of Music

## WORSHIP NOTES

**The first anthem**, “I Want Jesus to Walk with Me,” was arranged by Fourth Church and Morning Choir member Jerry Johnson, and this morning it is being performed for the first time.

**The One Great Hour of Sharing Offering** is being received throughout Lent. Gifts to this offering support Chicago Lights Tutoring and the Social Service Center as well as the work of Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, the Presbyterian Hunger Program, and the Presbyterian Self-Development of People Program. To make a “One Great Hour of Sharing” gift, you can use the envelopes in the pew racks or write “Lenten Offering” on the memo line of a check made payable to Fourth Presbyterian Church.

**Fourth Church offers a variety of worship opportunities** in addition to Sunday morning services. A jazz service with Communion is held each Sunday at 4:00 p.m. Each weekday morning, Morning Prayer is held in the Sanctuary as a time to remember in prayer members of the Fourth Church congregation and those in need (9:30 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday; 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday).

**The bulletin cover** photo depicts the labyrinth in Buchanan Chapel.

## PASTORAL STAFF

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