

June 20–26, 2004

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# News and Opportunities

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## WORSHIP

**A Service of Wholeness** will be included in Vespers tonight at 6:30 p.m. During that service, those who wish to do so may participate in the Christian rituals of laying on of hands and anointing with oil, signs that God's healing presence is always with us. In the Presbyterian tradition, worshipers do not claim cures for themselves during a Service for Wholeness, but rather wait together on God, opening themselves to the gifts of God's grace.

## MUSIC AND THE ARTS

**Fourth Acts**, a liturgical drama group, meets today at 12:15 p.m. in the Randolph Room.

**Organist Douglas Leightenheimer** will perform Friday's free Noonday Concert at 12:10 p.m. in the sanctuary.

**The "Bold Faithfulness" exhibit** in Anderson Hall celebrates the 90 years that Fourth Church has been on Michigan Avenue and includes photographs of the historic stained glass windows, which will be released as part of Project Light.

**Outdoor concerts in the Garth** take place every Friday at 12:10 p.m. in July and August.

## CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILY

**Children's Corner**, a time of storytelling, takes place in the Garth following 9:30 and 11:00 worship.

**Sunday school** meets today at 9:30 a.m. in Westminster House.

**Junior Highs** (grades 6–8) meets today in the Crow's Nest at 10:45 a.m. to share stories and pictures from their Work Camp experience. All are welcome.

## FELLOWSHIP

**Venture Fourth** (singles) meets today for reflection and fellowship at 11:00 a.m. in the Page Smith Room.

**Young adults** (20s and 30s) are invited to play volleyball at Oak Street Beach each summer Monday at 6:30 p.m. All skill levels are welcome.

## ENRICHMENT

**Bible Study** opportunities this week:  
*John Knox*, Sundays at 9:30 a.m.  
*Noonday*, Wednesdays at 12:10 p.m.

**The John Knox Bible Study Class**, now in its eightieth year, is the oldest continuous Bible study in the city of Chicago. Led by Fourth Church member Tassos Malliaris and combining lecture and discussion, it meets each Sunday at 9:30 a.m. in the Page Smith Room. Newcomers are always welcome.

**“Navigating Career Transition”** is the topic of a weekly series on practical tools, tips, and motivation for employment. Offered by Fourth Church and the Career Transitions Center of Chicago, it is held on Wednesdays at 7:45 a.m. in the Dining Room. This week’s presentation is “The Value of Struggling with Your Resume.” For more information, contact Carol Allen at the church at 640.5398.

**The Summer Art Sale** presented by the Center for Older Adults will be held on Sunday, June 27, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Cloisters and Garth. For more information, call Patty Jenkins in the COA at 981.3385.

**“Alzheimer’s Disease”** is the topic of a luncheon presentation to be given by the Center for Whole Health on Sunday, June 27 from 12:15 to 1:45 p.m. in the Randolph Room. For lunch reservations call 312.981.2729, ext. 375.

## NEWS AND RESOURCES

**The joint development and air rights proposal** presented for congregational consideration was approved by the congregation at last Sunday’s meeting.

**Recent privacy laws** make it more difficult for congregations to inquire of some hospitals regarding members who are patients. Fourth Church pastors want to be available to members and their loved ones at such times. To notify the church of hospitalizations, please contact Carol Allen, Associate Pastor, at 640.5398.

**Keeping membership records up to date** is an ongoing process at Fourth Church. Please notify the church office of address, telephone number, name, and e-mail address changes by contacting Alfred Kemp at 981.3599 ([databasechanges@fourthchurch.org](mailto:databasechanges@fourthchurch.org)).

### **Come Garden at the Chicago Avenue Site!**

The Chicago Avenue site is unlocked and open for gardening during the following hours each week:

*Weekdays:* 7:00 to 9:00 a.m.

and 4:00 to 8:00 p.m.

*Saturdays:* 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

*Sundays:* 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

During these hours, an intern from Growing Power is present to provide basic tools and answer questions. For information about the community gardens, contact Anne Crow at the church at 312.573.3369 or visit [www.fourthchurch.org](http://www.fourthchurch.org).

*News and Opportunities*, which is distributed during Sunday worship, is also available in the church literature racks and at [www.fourthchurch.org](http://www.fourthchurch.org).

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**Printed copies of recent Sunday morning sermons** are available in the literature racks in the narthex, at the back of the sanctuary. Sermons are also available at [www.fourthchurch.org](http://www.fourthchurch.org).

**The Fourth Church website,** [www.fourthchurch.org](http://www.fourthchurch.org), makes available audio of the previous Sunday morning's worship service, including the sermon; the text of worship bulletins, "News and Opportunities," and the newsletter *Fourth Press*; programming information; and more. Visit the website regularly for updated information.

**Is Fourth Church in your estate plans?** If it is, or if you would like information about including the church in your estate plans, please contact Patrick Quinn, Director of Giving Ministries, at 787.1271 ([pquinn@fourthchurch.org](mailto:pquinn@fourthchurch.org)).

## VOLUNTEERS AND DONATIONS

**Support Partners in Education (PIE),** a program of Chicago Lights at Fourth Church, by volunteering for "Hoop It Up," the three-on-three basketball tour of the NBA. "Hoop It Up" takes place on Saturday-Sunday, July 10-11 at Soldier Field. A portion of proceeds from this event will be donated to PIE. For information, contact Tracey Althans of Chicago Lights at 312.274.3816.

**Celebrate the 21st birthday of the Elam Davies Social Service Center**, a program of Chicago Lights at Fourth Church. Throughout the month of June, the Social Service Center is receiving birthday gifts during Coffee Hour. Items needed include measuring spoons, dry and liquid quart-size measuring cups, large salad spinners, can openers, rubber spatulas, and a knife-sharpening device.

## Deacons' 2004 Tennis Camp

The Fourth Church Deacons' 2004 Tennis Camp is this week's Volunteer Spotlight. The camp runs on Mondays and Wednesdays from July 12 to August 4 at the University of Illinois-Chicago. Information about opportunities to serve is available at the Volunteer Table during Coffee Hour.

## Current Donation Needs

**125 hot meals** to be served at the Fourth Church-sponsored Monday night supper. Donations may be made in memory or honor of loved ones.

*For more information, stop by the Volunteer Table during Coffee Hour or call Larry Nicholson, Director of Volunteer Ministry, at 981.3382.*

## MISSION AND OUTREACH

**Information about the ASK Campaign for firearm safety** is available at the Advocacy Table during Coffee Hour. The ASK Campaign is sponsored by the Advocacy Committee and the Center for Whole Health, a program of Chicago Lights at Fourth Church.

**"Pies for PIE"** are available during Coffee Hour. Donations for pies support Partners in Education, a program of Chicago Lights at Fourth Church.

**A Blood Donor Drive** sponsored by the Center for Whole Health will be held at Fourth Church on Sunday, July 25 from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

## CALENDAR FOR JUNE 20–26, 2004

### Sunday, June 20

7:50 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.	Nursery		Westminister 14
<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>Deborah Mullen preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
9:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour		Garth
<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>Deborah Mullen preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School		Westminster House
9:30 a.m.	John Knox Bible Study		Page Smith Room
10:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour		Garth
10:30 a.m.	Children's Corner		Garth
10:45 a.m.	Junior Highs		Crow's Nest
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>Deborah Mullen preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
11:00 a.m.	Venture Fourth		Page Smith Room
12:00 p.m.	Coffee Hour		Garth
12:15 p.m.	New Member Brunch		Dining Room
12:15 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer		Stone Chapel
12:15 p.m.	Church Tour		Sanctuary
12:15 p.m.	Fourth Acts		Randolph Room
2:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.	Cabrini Garden Hours		Chicago Avenue Site
5:30 p.m.	Vespers Choir Rehearsal		Sanctuary
<b>6:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Vespers Service</b>	<b>Wendy Mathewson preaching</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
7:30 p.m.	Coffee Reception		Loggia
7:30 p.m.	Young Adults Open House		Manse

### Monday, June 21

7:00 to 9:00 a.m.	Cabrini Garden Hours (Monday–Friday)		Chicago Avenue Site
9:00 a.m.	Daily Prayer (Monday–Friday)		Stone Chapel
4:00 to 8:00 p.m.	Cabrini Garden Hours (Monday–Friday)		Chicago Avenue Site
6:30 p.m.	Young Adults Volleyball		Oak Street Beach

### Wednesday, June 23

7:45 a.m.	“Navigating Career Transitions”		Dining Room
12:10 p.m.	Noonday Bible Study		Large Conference Room

### Friday, June 25

12:10 p.m.	Free Noonday Concert: Douglas Leightenheimer, organ		Sanctuary
<b>7:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Taize Service</b>		<b>Blair Chapel</b>

### Saturday, June 26

8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.	Cabrini Garden Hours		Chicago Avenue Site
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### *Preaching on Sunday, June 27*

Calum I. MacLeod	8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m.
John H. Boyle	6:30 p.m.

Parking is available Sundays at 900 North Michigan (access from Rush or Walton Street) at the rate of \$5.50 to 4:00 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 \$6.00 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.