

May 13–19, 2012

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# News and Opportunities

## CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILY

**The Elevation Mother's Day Flower Sale** takes place today during Coffee Hour and will support the junior high mission trip to Indianapolis this summer.

**Sunday School** classes are held at 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. in the Dining Room.

**Fourth Church youth** in Senior Highs meet today at 10:30 a.m. in the Multipurpose Space of the 737 building.

**Youth summer trip registration** forms are due Sunday, May 20 for Elevation's WorkCamp trip to Indianapolis and for Senior Highs' WorkCamp trip to Kentucky, canoe trip in Wisconsin, youth conference at Montreat, and ladies camping trip. For details, call Kimberlee Frost at 312.981.4035.

**Family camp** will be held June 1–3 in Saugatuck, Michigan. Registration forms are available in Anderson Hall and online at [www.fourthchurch.org](http://www.fourthchurch.org).

Those graduating from eighth grade, high school, college, or a graduate or professional program in 2012 are asked to contact Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364 ([dfedaj@fourthchurch.org](mailto:dfedaj@fourthchurch.org)) by Sunday, June 10 so that they can be included in the bulletin on Sunday, June 17, which is Baccalaureate Sunday.

## NEWS AND RESOURCES

**Today's Coffee Hour** is sponsored by Marion, Irene, Ken, Bonnie, and Robert Gerrans in memory of Ruth Gerrans and all mothers this Mother's Day. For details about sponsoring Coffee Hour, contact Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364 ([dfedaj@fourthchurch.org](mailto:dfedaj@fourthchurch.org)).

**Parking on Sunday, May 20** in this neighborhood is not anticipated to be affected by the NATO Summit. This could change at the last minute, however, so please watch the Fourth Church website and Facebook page and local news that weekend for any possible parking restrictions.

**Have you "liked" Fourth Church on Facebook?**

It's easy to do (visit [facebook.com/fourthchurch](http://facebook.com/fourthchurch) or scan the QR code here with any smartphone), and it ensures you won't miss photos of congregational life as well as glimpses into our history. You'll also find reflections on our journey through the entire Bible, excerpts from sermons, and details about upcoming events. And you can share it all with friends too!



## MISSION AND OUTREACH

An afternoon cycling tour of Michigan's Harbor Country will be held on Monday, June 18 in conjunction with the **Links for Lights Golf Classic**. Both events benefit Chicago Lights, a community outreach organization at Fourth Church. Details are available at Coffee Hour, at [www.chicagolights.org](http://www.chicagolights.org), and by calling Kathi Bates at 312.981.3380.

## PASTOR NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Today is the last day to complete the survey to help with the pastoral search process. The survey can be completed online or downloaded at [www.fourthchurch.org/pnc.html](http://www.fourthchurch.org/pnc.html). Paper copies are available during Coffee Hour. A checklist of the PNC process as well as information about the committee is also available on the PNC webpage. To contact the committee, email [pnc@fourthchurch.org](mailto:pnc@fourthchurch.org).

## WORSHIP

**Lillian Daniel**, Senior Minister of the First Congregational Church of Glen Ellyn, is preaching at the 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. services today. Next Sunday, May 20, Frank Yamada, President of McCormick Theological Seminary, will preach at 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.

**Special prayer requests** are included in intercessory prayer in Stone Chapel on Sundays. Individuals can pray there with a Deacon at 10:30 a.m. or 12:15 p.m.

A **jazz service** is held each Sunday at 4:00 p.m. and includes Communion.

**Morning Prayer** is held on weekdays in the Sanctuary at 9:30 a.m., except on Tuesdays when it is held at 9:00 a.m.

*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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**Chicago Shares voucher booklets** offer a way to give to those in need on the streets while knowing that the \$1 gift will be redeemed at a participating grocery store or restaurant. To purchase a \$5 booklet, stop by the Mission Table during Coffee Hour or contact Nancy Davis at 312.274.3815 ([ndavis@fourthchurch.org](mailto:ndavis@fourthchurch.org)).

**Applications for the Urban Plunge:** Chicago (May 18–20) mission trip are due this Tuesday, May 15. Details and applications are available online and by calling Nancy Davis at 312.274.3815.

**A letter urging Congress** to reject budget cuts for mental health services is available for signing at the Mission Table during Coffee Hour.

**Chicago Lights Tutoring** is looking for businesses to provide summer internships for its students. For details, call Tanya Uyigat at 312.274.3828.

**Hygiene kits** for Presbyterian Disaster Assistance are being collected by Women@Fourth Connect during Coffee Hour on Sundays, May 20 and 27. A list of items to be included is available during Coffee Hour.

**Helping Hands**, a hands-on mission group, will hold a planning meeting on Monday, May 21 at 6:30 p.m. at the 737 building. RSVP to Nancy Davis at 312.274.3815 ([ndavis@fourthchurch.org](mailto:ndavis@fourthchurch.org)).

**GoodFood Mobile**, part of the Chicago Lights Urban Farm, is taking orders; a produce delivery form is available online at [www.chicagolights.org](http://www.chicagolights.org).

**The Chicago Lights Associates Board**, a group of young professionals working to promote the mission of Chicago Lights, will hold an open meeting on Wednesday, May 23 at 7:30 p.m. at the 737 building. All are invited to attend.

**A mission trip to a Children's Defense Fund** conference in Cincinnati will take place July 21–25. Applications are due Friday, June 1. Details and applications are available online and by calling Nancy Davis at 312.274.3815.

## MUSIC AND THE ARTS

**Today the Chicago Chamber Orchestra** will perform a free concert at 2:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

**To help rebuild the Fourth Church organ**, which is rapidly deteriorating, please use the gift intention card found in the pew racks, mailed to member homes, and also available online. To learn more about the organ, visit [www.fourthchurchorgan.org](http://www.fourthchurchorgan.org). Additional information is also available by calling Anita Bright at 312.274.3822.

**Soprano Juliet Petrus** will perform this Friday's free Noonday concert at 12:10 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

## FELLOWSHIP

**ThirtiesForties** will "break bread" today at 12:30 p.m. at Go Roma (848 N. State).

**Young Adults** will meet today for fellowship and discussion at 12:30 p.m. at the 737 building.

## ENRICHMENT

**Reinhold Niebuhr's *The Nature and Destiny of Man***, an Academy for Faith and Life class, meets at 9:30 a.m. today at the Clare (corner of Rush and Pearson).

**Join the congregation-wide effort** to read the entire Bible in a year! Identical Bible studies meet on Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. and on Thursdays at 10:00 a.m., both at the 737 building. (Those interested in a Sunday Bible study are asked to contact Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364. Registrants will be notified if there is sufficient interest to start a Sunday session.) The reading list is online and in the literature racks. Devotions on the texts are available via Facebook, Twitter, and email (send addresses to [devotions@fourthchurch.org](mailto:devotions@fourthchurch.org)).

**Men's Bible Study** will gather this Tuesday, May 15 at 7:30 a.m. in the Loop. For details, contact Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364 ([dfedaj@fourthchurch.org](mailto:dfedaj@fourthchurch.org)).

**"Insights and Hope through Times of Change,"** led by Joyce Shin and Rabbi David Levinsky, will be held Tuesday, May 15 at 12:30 p.m. at the Career Transitions Center (703 W. Monroe).

**Cornerstones** will gather for an architectural boat tour and dinner on the Chicago River on Friday, June 1 at 5:45 p.m. To register (required), call the Cornerstones Infoline at 312.787.2729, ext. 454 by Monday, May 21.

## VOLUNTEERS AND DONATIONS

### *Current Volunteer Needs*

**Dishwashers** following Sunday Night Supper, 5:00–7:00 p.m.

**Sorters** to go through donated clothes on Mondays or Thursdays

**Food truck unloaders** on the second and fourth Friday mornings of the month  
**Helpers** at the Chicago Lights Urban Farm on Saturdays at 10:00 a.m.

### *Current Donation Needs*

**Men's sturdy clothes** in larger sizes

*For details or to volunteer, call Larry Nicholson at 312.981.3382.*

## CALENDAR FOR MAY 13–19, 2012

### Sunday, May 13

7:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.	Nursery	Page Smith Room/Anderson Hall S. Balcony
<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>Hardy H. Kim preaching</b> <b>Sanctuary</b>
9:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour	Anderson Hall
<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>Lillian Daniel preaching</b> <b>Sanctuary</b>
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School	Dining Room
9:30 a.m.	Academy for Faith and Life Class	The Clare
10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.	Elevation Mother's Day Flower Sale	Anderson Hall
10:30 a.m.	Senior Highs	737 Building
10:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour	Anderson Hall
10:30 a.m.	Intercessory Prayer	Stone Chapel
<b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Morning Worship</b>	<b>Lillian Daniel preaching</b> <b>Sanctuary</b>
11:00 a.m.	Sunday School	Dining Room
12:15 p.m.	Coffee Hour	Anderson Hall
12:15 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer	Stone Chapel
12:15 p.m.	Church Tour	Sanctuary
12:30 p.m.	Inquirers' Class	Randolph Room
12:30 p.m.	ThirtiesForties "Break Bread"	<i>(see announcement)</i>
12:30 p.m.	Young Adults Gathering	737 Building
2:00 p.m.	Chicago Chamber Orchestra Concert	Sanctuary
<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Jazz Worship</b>	<b>John W. Vest preaching</b> <b>Sanctuary</b>
4:00 p.m.	Sunday Night Supper	Anderson Hall

### Monday, May 14

9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Sanctuary
6:00 p.m.	Tutoring <i>(also Tuesday–Thursday)</i>	Anderson Hall

### Tuesday, May 15

7:30 a.m.	Men's Bible Study	<i>(see announcement)</i>
9:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Sanctuary
6:00 p.m.	"Reading the Bible in a Year" Bible Study	737 Building

### Wednesday, May 16

9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Sanctuary
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### Thursday, May 17

9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Sanctuary
10:00 a.m.	"Reading the Bible in a Year" Bible Study	737 Building

### Friday, May 18

9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Sanctuary
10:30 a.m.	CLL Bible Study	737 Building
12:10 p.m.	Noonday Concert: Juliet Petrus	Sanctuary

### Saturday, May 19

10:00 a.m.	Urban Farm Volunteer Orientation	444 W. Chicago Ave.
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### *Preaching on Sunday, May 20*

Matthew J. Helms preaching	8:00 a.m.
Frank Yamada preaching	9:30 and 11:00 a.m.
Adam H. Fronczek preaching	4:00 p.m.

Parking is available on Sundays at 900 North Michigan (access from Rush or Walton Street) at the rate of \$8. Validation tickets for the 900 garage must be picked up during morning Coffee Hour or from the Chestnut Street reception desk. Discounted parking at the John Hancock Center, 875 North Michigan Avenue, is available at the rate of \$6 on Sunday mornings only for three hours. Hancock tickets must be validated in the Narthex.