

July 15–21, 2012

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News and Opportunities

WORSHIP

Next Sunday, Otis Moss III, Pastor of Trinity United Church of Christ, the South Side congregation that is the largest church in the UCC, will preach at the 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. services.

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

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

A service in the style of Taizé is held at 7:30 p.m. each fourth Friday of the month. The next Taizé service will be Friday, July 27 in the Sanctuary.

CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILY

Summer Sunday School for preschool through fifth grade children meets today at 9:30 a.m.

Senior Highs will gather for a movie night this Wednesday, July 18 at 8:30 p.m. in the Garth courtyard. For details, contact Kimberlee Frost at 312.981.4035 (kfrost@fourthchurch.org).

New Moms' Groups are forming in Oak Park, Lakeview, and Bucktown. Call Liz Nickerson at 312.573.3366 for details.

Vacation Bible School will be held August 13–17 for children in preschool through fifth grade. Registration forms are available at www.fourthchurch.org/children/vbs.html or by contacting Daniel Holladay at 312.640.2578 (dholladay@fourthchurch.org).

FELLOWSHIP

Young Adults meet today at Coffee Hour following 11:00 a.m. worship. They will then walk to a nearby park for fellowship, refreshments, and “sermon chat.” They also play beach volleyball on Mondays through the summer at Oak Street Beach at 6:30 p.m.

We've got photos! Lots of photos—

from the demolition of Westminster House to the construction of the Gratz Center, from Christmas festivities to summer Family Camp. And we're adding more all the time. So be sure to check out the Photo Albums page on the new Fourth Church website, www.fourthchurch.org (or scan this QR code with a smartphone), and enjoy pictures of life at Fourth Church!



NEWS AND RESOURCES

A summary of the 220th General Assembly has been provided by the Presbytery of Chicago and the *Presbyterian Outlook* and is available in the literature racks.

We are halfway to our goal of raising \$3 million to rebuild the Fourth Church organ! To those who have already made a gift or pledge to this project, thank you so very much! To make a gift or pledge that will be matched \$1 for every \$2, through the generosity of the Elizabeth Morse Charitable Trust, you can use the pledge card in the pew racks; visit www.fourthchurchorgan.org, where you can also learn more about the Fourth Church organ and the rebuilding project; or call Katy Frey Bever at 312.981.3380.

Today's Coffee Hour is sponsored by Karen Lamb and John Rogers in celebration of their marriage in Mikkeli, Finland, on June 29, 2012. To sponsor Coffee Hour, contact Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364 (dfedaj@fourthchurch.org).

Nominating forms for the offices of Elder, Deacon, Trustee, and Chicago Lights Board are available in the pew racks and also online. Please use the forms to recommend Fourth Church members who have demonstrated gifts for leadership and ministry. Completed paper forms may be placed in the offering plate, dropped off at the reception desk, or mailed to the church.

Fourth Church is on Facebook at [facebook.com/fourthchurch](https://www.facebook.com/fourthchurch). Be sure to "like" Fourth Church to keep up to date on Fourth Church news, events, resources, and photos this summer.

The Church Information Form for the pastoral search has been posted with the denomination and on the Fourth Church website, and the Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC) is receiving applications for the position of Pastor. For more information about the search, the PNC, and a recent letter from the committee, visit www.fourthchurch.org/pnc.html.

Follow Fourth Church on Twitter at @fourthchicago and @fpcangel.

ENRICHMENT

"Using Mindfulness to Manage Stress" will be the topic of this Tuesday's seminar, offered by the Lorene Replogle Counseling Center, at 7:00 p.m. To register for the seminar, call the Counseling Center at 312.787.8425.

Next Sunday, a Fourth Church Writers' Workshop will hold an organizational meeting for writers of all genres and all abilities, from beginner to professional, at 12:30 p.m. in the Randolph Room. Please register in advance by contacting Deanna Fedaj at 312.573.3364 (dfedaj@fourthchurch.org).

Join the congregation-wide effort to read the entire Bible in a year! Identical Bible studies that offer opportunity to reflect on the assigned texts meet on Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. and on Thursdays at 10:00 a.m., both at the 737 building. The reading list is available online and in the literature racks. Devotions on the texts are available online (www.fourthchurch.org) and via Facebook (www.facebook.com/fourthchurch), Twitter (@fourthchicago), and email (send addresses to devotions@fourthchurch.org).

News and Opportunities, which is distributed during Sunday worship, is also available in the church literature racks and at www.fourthchurch.org.

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“Hungry for Change: Growing Faith, Growing Food,” a two-part workshop sponsored by the Chicago Lights Urban Farm and the Academy for Faith and Life, will be held on August 10–11. Details are available online at www.fourthchurch.org.

MISSION AND OUTREACH

Chicago Shares voucher booklets, which offer a way to give to those in need while knowing that the \$1 gift will be redeemed at a participating grocery store or restaurant, are available at Coffee Hour or by calling Nancy Davis at 312.274.3815.

Helping Hands will clean and organize the food pantry at the Chicago Lights Elam Davies Social Service Center this Saturday, July 21 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. To volunteer or for details, call Nancy Davis at 312.274.3815.

The Annual School Supply Drive is underway. Donations can be dropped off at Coffee Hour or during the week at the church reception desk or at the 737 building. For a list of items needed, contact Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369 (aellis@fourthchurch.org) or visit www.fourthchurch.org.

PC(USA) peacemaking travel study seminars will take place in 2013 in the Philippines (February 12–22) and in Northern Ireland (April 1–12). Applications are due by Wednesday, August 1 of this year. Details and applications are available at the Mission Table at Coffee Hour.

MUSIC AND THE ARTS

A tour of the Fourth Church organ begins today at 12:15 p.m., starting at the front of the Sanctuary and continuing up into the choir loft.

Today, Fourth Acts will present a reading of two short scripts celebrating the summer at 12:30 p.m. in the Dining Room. All are invited to attend.

Light, the latest CD featuring the Fourth Church choirs, is available online through iTunes or CDBaby or by calling Ryan Loeckel at 312.640.2570.

The Lucy Smith Jazz Trio will perform at this Friday’s free outdoor concert at 12:10 p.m. in the Garth courtyard as part of the Music by the Fountain series.

The Chestnut Street Players will present the comedic radio play “Fibber McGee and Molly” on Thursday, July 26 at 11:30 a.m. at the 737 building. All are invited to attend this free performance.

VOLUNTEERS AND DONATIONS

Current Volunteer Needs

A shopping aide to assist Social Service Center guests in the food pantry on Wednesdays, 2:00–5:00 p.m.

Assistants to help with Summer Day meals, tutoring, and field trips, weekdays through August 3

Helpers at the CHAMP Summer Farm Camp at the Urban Farm

Personal shoppers to assist Social Service Center guests on Wednesdays or Thursdays

Food truck unloaders on the second and fourth Friday mornings of the month

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

Cooks and servers to prepare a meal at a men’s shelter on Tuesday evenings, 6:30–8:45 p.m., on a rotating schedule

Current Donation Needs

Men’s sturdy clothes in larger sizes

For details, to volunteer, or for information about other opportunities, call Larry Nicholson at 312.981.3382 or visit www.fourthchurch.org.

CALENDAR FOR JULY 15–21, 2012

Sunday, July 15

7:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.	Nursery	Page Smith Room/Anderson Hall S. Balcony
8:00 a.m.	Morning Worship	Hardy H. Kim preaching Sanctuary
9:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour	Garth
9:30 a.m.	Morning Worship	Victoria G. Curtiss preaching Sanctuary
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School	Manse/Crow's Nest
10:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour	Garth
10:30 a.m.	Intercessory Prayer	Stone Chapel
11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship	Victoria G. Curtiss preaching Sanctuary
12:15 p.m.	Church Tour	Sanctuary
12:15 p.m.	Coffee Hour	Garth
12:15 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer	Stone Chapel
12:15 p.m.	Organ Tour	Sanctuary
12:15 p.m.	Young Adults	<i>(see announcement)</i>
12:30 p.m.	Fourth Acts Reading	Dining Room
4:00 p.m.	Jazz Worship	Judith L. Watt preaching Sanctuary
4:00 p.m.	Sunday Night Supper	Anderson Hall

Monday, July 16

9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer <i>(also Wednesday–Friday)</i>	Sanctuary
9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.	Summer Day	Anderson Hall
6:30 p.m.	Young Adults Beach Volleyball	<i>(see announcement)</i>

Tuesday, July 17

9:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Sanctuary
9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.	Summer Day	Anderson Hall
6:00 p.m.	“Reading the Bible in a Year” Bible Study	737 Building
7:00 p.m.	“Using Mindfulness to Manage Stress”	Counseling Center

Wednesday, July 18

9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.	Summer Day	Anderson Hall
8:30 p.m.	Senior Highs Movie Night	Garth

Thursday, July 19

9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.	Summer Day	Anderson Hall
10:00 a.m.	“Reading the Bible in a Year” Bible Study	737 Building

Friday, July 20

9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.	Summer Day	Anderson Hall
12:10 p.m.	Noonday Concert: Lucy Smith Jazz Trio	Garth

Saturday, July 21

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon	Helping Hands Volunteer Work Day	<i>(see announcement)</i>
10:00 a.m.	Urban Farm Volunteer Orientation	444 W. Chicago Ave.

Preaching on Sunday, July 22

John H. Boyle preaching	8:00 a.m.
Otis Moss III 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.