

May 12–18, 2013

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News and Opportunities

NEWS AND RESOURCES

Today's Coffee Hour, in memory of Ruth Gerrans and in honor of all mothers this Mother's Day, is sponsored by Ruth's children: Marion, Irene, Kenneth, and Robert Gerrans. To sponsor Coffee Hour, call Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369.

Be sure to bookmark the Fourth Church website—www.fourthchurch.org—for easy access to the Fourth Church calendar, upcoming events, and more.

Follow Fourth Church on Twitter: (@FourthChicago).

The Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC) continues its work to identify a candidate to recommend as the next Pastor of Fourth Church: fourthchurch.org/pnc.

FELLOWSHIP

Books by Women will discuss *Still Alice* by Lisa Genova this Tuesday, May 14 at 6:00 p.m. in the Bumpus Room.

A Young Adults Open House will be held today at 12:30 p.m. in Room 5A.

MISSION AND OUTREACH

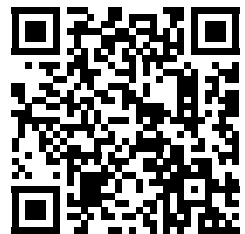
The "Urban Regeneration: Chicago" mission trip, taking place this Friday–Sunday, May 17–19, still has room for participants. Registration forms are available by contacting Nancy Davis at 312.274.3815 (ndavis@fourthchurch.org).

Advocacy information about the Illinois bills dealing with expanding the sealing of felony records and increasing Medicaid coverage for low-income people, along with details about the federal Farm Bill, is available at the Mission table at Coffee Hour.

The Mission Committee is looking for individuals to join one of three mission project teams, focusing on antiviolenence, hunger and poverty, or global mission. For more information, contact Vicky Curtiss at 312.981.3598 (vcurtiss@fourthchurch.org).

Did you know that only 14 percent of people who follow an organization's page on Facebook typically receive that organization's posts in their News Feed? That means you're likely missing some of the photos and news from Fourth Church. How can you change that?

The more you visit our page and like or comment on our posts, the more likely Facebook will include our posts in your News Feed!



Hygiene kits for Presbyterian Disaster Assistance will be assembled next Sunday, May 19. To volunteer to help, call Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369.

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

New volunteers for the Chicago Lights Summer Day program are asked to attend one of the following orientation sessions: Tuesday, June 11 at 3:00 p.m. or Thursday, June 20 at 6:00 p.m.

The annual Hunger Walk is Saturday, June 29. To join the Chicago Lights Elam Davies Social Service Center team, call Abby Farnham at 312.274.3826.

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 Detroit this summer.

Fourth Church Senior Highs meets today at 10:30 a.m. in the Bumpus Room.

The Fourth Church Day School preschool is now accepting applications for the fall. For details, call Ruthie Hornaday at 312.640.2579.

May Family Night, with an Olympic theme, will take place this Friday, May 17 at 5:30 p.m. For details, visit www.fourthchurch.org/children.

Senior Highs will meet for a lock-in this Friday, May 17 in the Gratz Center. For details, contact Kimberlee Frost at kfrost@fourthchurch.org.

Volunteers are needed to help with Sunday School this summer (June 9–August 4) and next school year (September 8–May 18). For details, contact Josie Phelps (jphelps@fourthchurch.org) or Matt Helms (mhelms@fourthchurch.org).

Registration forms for Spring Family Camp, which will be held Friday, May 31–Sunday, June 2 at Presbyterian Camps in Saugatuck, Michigan, are available on the fourth floor of the Gratz Center as well as online or by calling Daniel Holladay at 312.640.2578.

Sunday School will not meet on Memorial Day weekend (May 26) or Family Camp weekend (June 2). Summer Sunday School, with classes meeting at 9:30 a.m. only, will begin on Sunday, June 9.

A Great Expectations Baby Shower for new or expecting parents will be held on Sunday, June 2 at 12:15 p.m. in the Randolph Room. RSVP to Liz Nickerson at lnickerson@fourthchurch.org.

Those graduating from eighth grade, high school, college, or a graduate or professional program in 2013 are asked to contact Daniel Holladay at 312.640.2578 (dholladay@fourthchurch.org) so that they can be included in the bulletin on Sunday, June 23, which is Baccalaureate Sunday.

MUSIC AND THE ARTS

Today the Annual Mother's Day Concert, featuring the Chicago Chamber Orchestra, will take place at 2:00 p.m. in Buchanan Chapel. The suggested donation is \$20 at the door.

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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Axiom Brass will perform a free concert this Tuesday, May 14 at 7:30 p.m. in Buchanan Chapel.

Violinist Matthew Cataldi will perform this Friday's free Noonday concert at 12:10 p.m. in Buchanan Chapel.

The Dave Brubeck Tribute Concert, featuring the Fourth Church Choral Society and the Lucy Smith Jazz Ensemble, will be held on Sunday, May 19 at 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Tickets are available during Coffee Hour and online at <http://brubeck.bpt.me>.

ENRICHMENT

Writers' Workshop meets today at 12:00 noon in Rooms 5D and 5E.

Christian Century study groups will meet this Wednesday, May 15 at 6:00 p.m. in the Randolph Room.

"Cuban Voices and Flavor," an all-ages event sponsored by the Center for Life and Learning, will take place this Wednesday, May 15 at 6:00 p.m. in Anderson Hall. To register, call Ashley Elskus at 312.981.3387.

"This Is Your Brain at Peace" will be the topic of a Lorene Replogle Counseling Center workshop, led by Andy Ross and Lauren Philips, this Wednesday, May 15 at 6:30 p.m. in the Third-Floor Conference Room of Parish House. To register (required), call 312.787.8425.

The "Religion in Interfaith Homes" series concludes with the topic "Minority Religions vs. Majority Religions" next Sunday, May 19 at 1:00 p.m. in Room 5G.

The next Fourth Church Trivia Night will be held on Wednesday, May 29 at 6:30 p.m. in Anderson Hall.

A CLL Studebaker National Museum tour will take place on Tuesday, May 21 in South Bend. Adults sixty and more are invited to register with Ashley Elskus at 312.981.3387 (aelskus@fourthchurch.org) by this Monday, May 13.

"Race, White Privilege, and Faithful Engagement" will be the topic of a luncheon workshop, led by David Esterline of McCormick Theological Seminary, on Sunday, June 2 at 12:30 p.m. in the Bumpus Room. To register, contact Nancy Davis at ndavis@fourthchurch.org by Wednesday, May 29.

WORSHIP

Opportunity to walk the labyrinth in Buchanan Chapel is typically available on Mondays and Tuesdays from 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., Wednesdays from 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and Saturdays from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. To confirm the chapel is not being used for another event at that time, please call the church at 312.787.4570.

VOLUNTEERS AND DONATIONS

Current Volunteer Needs

Yard sale helpers on Saturday or

Sunday, June 1 or 2 to raise funds for a chronically ill ten-year-old

Teachers to teach "Intro to Computer Basics" for guests of the Social Service Center on Wednesdays, 2:00–3:30 p.m.

Benevolent Guild volunteers to prepare stuffed animals for hospitalized children on Wednesdays, 9:30 a.m.; no sewing experience is necessary

Dishwashers for Sunday Night Supper

Current Donation Needs

Gently used guitars and keyboards for the Hispanic Ministries Covenant

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

CALENDAR FOR MAY 12–18, 2013

Sunday, May 12

	8:00 a.m.	Morning Worship	Victoria G. Curtiss preaching	Sanctuary
	9:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour		Anderson Hall / Commons
9:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.		Nursery		Gratz Center, First Floor
	9:30 a.m.	Morning Worship	Judith L. Watt preaching	Sanctuary
	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School		Gratz Center, Fourth Floor
	10:30 a.m.	Cherub Choir Rehearsal		Bumpus Room
	10:30 a.m.	Coffee Hour		Anderson Hall / Commons
	10:30 a.m.	Senior Highs Gathering		Bumpus Room
	10:30 a.m.	Intercessory Prayer		Stone Chapel
	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship	Judith L. Watt preaching	Sanctuary
	11:00 a.m.	Children's Choir Rehearsal		Room 5B
	11:00 a.m.	Sunday School		Gratz Center, Fourth Floor
	12:00 noon	Writers' Workshop		Rooms 5D and 5E
	12:15 p.m.	Coffee Hour		Anderson Hall / Commons
	12:15 p.m.	Intercessory Prayer		Stone Chapel
	12:30 p.m.	Young Adults Open House		Room 5A
	2:00 p.m.	Chicago Chamber Orchestra Concert		Buchanan Chapel
	4:00 p.m.	Jazz Worship	Hardy H. Kim preaching	Sanctuary
	4:00 p.m.	Sunday Night Supper		Anderson Hall

Monday, May 13

7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.	Labyrinth Walk (<i>also Tuesday</i>)	Buchanan Chapel
9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer (<i>also Wednesday–Friday</i>)	Sanctuary

Tuesday, May 14

9:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Sanctuary
6:00 p.m.	Books by Women	Bumpus Room
7:30 p.m.	Axiom Brass Concert	Buchanan Chapel

Wednesday, May 15

7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.	Labyrinth Walk	Buchanan Chapel
6:00 p.m.	<i>Christian Century</i> Study Groups	Randolph Room
6:00 p.m.	Cuban Voices and Flavor	Anderson Hall
6:30 p.m.	"This Is Your Brain at Peace"	Counseling Center

Thursday, May 16

7:00 p.m.	Choral Society Rehearsal	Sanctuary
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Friday, May 17

12:10 p.m.	Noonday Concert: Matthew Cataldi	Buchanan Chapel
5:30 p.m.	Olympics Family Night	Borwell Dining Room / Anderson Hall
6:00 p.m.	Urban Regeneration Mission Trip	First Presbyterian Church
7:00 p.m.	Senior Highs Lock-In	Gratz Center

Saturday, May 18

9:00 a.m.	Inquirers' Class	Room 4F
9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon	Labyrinth Walk	Buchanan Chapel

Worship on Sunday, May 19

8:00 a.m.	Calum I. MacLeod preaching
9:30 and 11:00 a.m.	Calum I. MacLeod preaching
4:00 p.m.	Adam H. Fronczek preaching

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.