

AMERICAN CITIZENS WILL CONTINUE TO ARGUE over where to draw the line between church and state, even as religion will bedevil and enlighten governmental policies and electoral politics for years to come. The ideals of liberty and order will coexist in tension as they have in the nation's womb from the beginning. . . . The founders believed in the United States as a repository for the highest human values. To betray those values was, in each of their eyes, to commit national sacrilege. Their civic agendas arose not only from competing ideologies but also from competing visions of how "America might," as Martin Luther King Jr. dreamed, "rise up and live out the true meaning of its creed."

Forrest Church, *So Help Me God: The Founding Fathers
and the First Great Battle over Church and State*

WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

We are grateful for your presence and invite you to participate in the worship, program, and service life of Fourth Church.

During Today's Worship

Large-print bulletins, Bibles, and hymnals and individual listening devices for improved sound are available in the back of the sanctuary. Worship also can be heard through the "T" setting of hearing aids.

If your infant or small child needs care during the worship service, you may leave the sanctuary and return as you wish. The worship service audio can be heard in Stone Chapel, where you and your child are also welcome. Child care for infants and toddlers is provided in Westminster 14, through the south transept doors and to the right. See an usher for directions.

Worship bags, containing quiet activities and a bulletin designed for children, are available outside the south transept doors, between the sanctuary and Anderson Hall. Children who are attending worship in the sanctuary are invited to borrow one of these bags.

During the Concerns of the Church, please pass the pew information pads, so that all worshipers have an opportunity to provide updated information and to greet one another by name following the service.

Please turn off all cell phones when in the sanctuary.

If You Are New to Fourth Church

Please wear a lapel pin, found in the pew racks, so we might greet you after worship.

We invite you to stop by Coffee Hour after worship for fellowship, conversation, and information about church programs and volunteer opportunities.

A church tour begins at 12:15 p.m., starting at the back of the sanctuary.

Parking is available Sundays at the John Hancock Center, 875 North Michigan Avenue (access Chestnut Street), at the rate of \$7.00 for three hours and at 900 North Michigan (access from Rush or Walton Street) at the rate of \$7.75 to 4:00 p.m. and \$6.00 after 5:00 p.m. Validation tickets for 900 parking must be picked up during Coffee Hour or from the Chestnut Street reception desk. Hancock tickets must be validated in the Narthex, at the back of the sanctuary.

Inquirers' Class explores Presbyterian history and beliefs. This one-session class is also a prerequisite for membership. Attend Monday, July 7 from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.; Saturday, July 19 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon; or Sunday, July 27 from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. For information about membership, contact Calum MacLeod, Associate Pastor, at 312.981.4025 (cmacleod@fourthchurch.org).

Fourth Church Cares

For pastoral care; to notify the church of illnesses, hospitalizations, or deaths; to pass along a prayer request to be remembered in Morning Prayer; or to arrange homebound Communion, contact Ali Trowbridge, Associate Pastor for Congregational Care, at 312.573.3360 (atrowbridge@fourthchurch.org).

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MORNING WORSHIP

8:00, 9:30, and 11:00

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

PRELUDE Carillon *Leo Sowerby*
(8:00)

PRELUDE Carillon *Leo Sowerby*
(9:30 and 11:00) Variations on "America" *Charles Ives*

INTROIT "O Thou That Hearest Prayer" *Eric DeLamarter*
O thou that hearest prayer, attend our humble cry
and let thy servants share thy blessing from on high.
We plead the promise of thy word,
grant us thy Holy Spirit, Lord. Amen.

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

***HYMN 262** "God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand"
Tune: NATIONAL HYMN

PRAYER OF CONFESSION
(unison)

**God of all nations: You led men and women to this land,
and out of our conflicts you have
created in us a love for peace and liberty.
When we neglect rights and restrict freedoms,
we fail you. When we turn away neighbors in need
and refuse to extend the opportunities of this land
to all, we offend your justice and your love.
Forgive us. Forgive pride that will not acknowledge
national wrong and that justifies injustice.
Forgive our divisions of race and class.
Make us compassionate, fair, and helpful to each other
and to all people. Raise up in us a right patriotism
that seeks our nation's good and the world's peace
and hope. Through Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.**

DECLARATION OF PARDON

Minister: Friends, believe the good news.
People: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

ANTHEM "Gloria" *John W. W. Sherer*
Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth. Lord
God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you
take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us.
You are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For
you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

PSALTER Psalm 46 (*responsively*) (page 489, O.T.)

***GLORIA PATRI** (The Hymnal, 579)

SCRIPTURE LESSON Matthew 22:15–17 (page 23, N.T.)
Minister: The Word of the Lord.
People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON by John M. Buchanan
THE FIRST FREEDOM
"Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the
emperor's, and to God the things that are God's."
Matthew 22:21 (NRSV)

***HYMN 561** "My Country, 'Tis of Thee" *Tune: AMERICA*

***THE APOSTLES' CREED**(*traditional*) (The Hymnal, page 14)

For the remainder of the 8:00 service, please turn to page 6.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER (*traditional*) (The Hymnal, page 16)

PRAYER RESPONSE "Amen" *Anonymous*

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM "A Prayer of Saint Francis" *Ralph Hunter*

***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 up to the Lord.**

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

All: **Great and mighty God, we thank you for this land
so fair and free, for its worthy aims and high hopes.
We are grateful for people who have come with
customs and accents and dreams to enrich our lives.
Lead us into the future as you have led us in the past.
Renew within us our commitment to liberty and
justice for all. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

***HYMN 564**

“O Beautiful for Spacious Skies”

Tune: Materna

BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE

POSTLUDE

American Hymn

Richard Keys Biggs

8:00 service (continued from page 4)

OFFERING

OFFERTORY SOLO

“Simple Gifts”

Shaker Melody

arr. Aaron Copeland

'Tis the gift to be simple; 'tis the gift to be free;
'tis the gift to come down where you ought to be;
and when we find ourselves in the place just right,
'twill be in the valley of love and delight.
When true simplicity is gained, to bow and to bend
we shan't be ashamed. To turn, turn will be our delight
'till by turning, turning we come round right.

*OFFERTORY 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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THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION

GREAT THANKSGIVING

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

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.**

PRAYER

Minister: It is truly right and our greatest joy . . .
. . . who forever sing to the glory of your name:

Ho- ly, ho- ly, ho- ly Lord, God of po- wer and might,
hea- ven and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san-na in the high-est. Bles-sed is the
One who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho- san- na in the high- est.

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Minister: Great is the mystery of faith:

People: **Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

Minister: Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit . . .

THE LORD'S PRAYER (traditional) (The Hymnal, page 16)

THE COMMUNION

COMMUNION ANTHEM "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy" Calvin Hampton

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

(unison)

**Lord God, we praise and worship and adore you
for the food we have received at this table.**

**You have sent your Holy Spirit among us to make our
eating and drinking here a memorial of our Lord Jesus
Christ. May your Spirit help us tomorrow to make our
living and working, our loving and doing and thinking,
a memorial of him, so that in the end, with the great
company of the redeemed, we may eat and drink and be
glad with him in the glory of the eternal kingdom,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

***HYMN 564** "O Beautiful for Spacious Skies" Tune: MATERNA

BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE

POSTLUDE American Hymn Richard Keys Biggs

WORSHIP LEADERS

- 8:00 a.m. Martha Langford, John W. Vest, John M. Buchanan
9:30 a.m. Dana Ferguson, John W. Vest, John M. Buchanan
11:00 a.m. Dana Ferguson, Calum I. MacLeod, John M. Buchanan

THE MUSIC TODAY

- 8:00 a.m. Women of the Morning Choir; Carol Carpenter, soloist/flutist
9:30 a.m. Women of the Morning Choir
11:00 a.m. Women of the Morning Choir
John W. W. Sherer, Organist and Director of Music

WORSHIP NOTES

Contributions to the Chicago Lights Annual Fund allow students from the inner city to participate in Summer Day, a six-week educational camp designed to give children a head start on the fall semester. Through the generosity of an anonymous donor, between now and July 31 every dollar raised through an increased or new gift to the Chicago Lights Annual Fund will result in a matching gift, up to \$50,000, to the programs of Chicago Lights, a nonprofit community service organization at Fourth Presbyterian Church.

The women of the Morning Choir will be singing at morning worship services in July. The men of the Morning Choir will sing during August, and the full choir will return in September.

The textile banners and pulpit parament, “Unweavings” created by Laurie Wohl, were commissioned by Fourth Church for use during the liturgical season of Ordinary Time, the longest season of the church year (the season between Epiphany and Lent and between Pentecost and Advent). Through their combination of scripture texts and image, these banners celebrate and elevate the perception of the sacred in the “ordinary” as we make our faith journey day to day.

On the cover: The bulletin cover shows an architectural detail from the Fourth Church spire. This angel on the Michigan Avenue facade echoes the text of Psalm 150:
“Praise God with trumpet sound. . . . Let everything that breathes praise the Lord!”

PASTORAL STAFF

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