



Fourth Presbyterian Church

Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

July 20, 2025 • 10:00 a.m.

Gathering around the Word

Prelude

Prelude on “St. Elizabeth” Gerre Hancock
Ev’ry Time I Feel the Spirit Spiritual/arr. Harry Burleigh

Introit

It Is a Good Thing to Give Thanks Paul Bouman
It is a good thing to give thanks to the Lord, and to sing praises to your name, O Most High.

***Doxology**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures here below;
praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost.[†] Amen.

***Call to Worship** *(responsively)*

One: *This is the day that God has made.*
All: Let us rejoice and be glad in it!
One: *God’s love and light is more powerful than our imperfect world.*
All: In gratitude and joy we will worship God together!



**Please rise in body or spirit. †Or “Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.”*

***Hymn 81** “Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken”

Glorious things of thee are spoken, Zion, city of our God.
God, whose word cannot be broken, formed thee for a blest abode.
On the rock of ages founded, what can shake thy sure repose?
With salvation’s walls surrounded, thou may’st smile at all thy foes.

Round each habitation hovering, see the cloud and fire appear
for a glory and a covering, showing that the Lord is near.
Thus deriving from their banner light by night and shade by day,
safe they feed upon the manna which God gives them when they pray.

See, the streams of living waters, springing from eternal love,
well supply thy sons and daughters and all fear of want remove.
Who can faint while such a river ever flows, their thirst to assuage?
Grace, so like the Lord the giver, never fails from age to age.

Prayer of Confession (*unison*)

Holy God, we are worried and distracted by many things.
With so many tasks to complete, it’s often easy to give in to constant busyness—
and difficult to discern the work that is uniquely ours to do.
And with so much information coming at us,
it’s simple to distract ourselves with endless news cycles and always-present devices—
and complicated to engage in the reality of relationships.
Forgive us, Lord.
Remind us to breathe and to be.
Help us to sense your presence, see your face,
and experience the richness of a relationship with you
and the vulnerability of relationships with others.
For we ask this in your name. Amen.

Declaration of Pardon

One: *Friends, believe the good news.*
All: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

***Sharing the Peace of Christ**

Leader: *The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.*
People: And also with you.

*We invite you to greet those around you, wishing them “peace” or “the peace of Christ,”
and encourage those online to text or email someone to let them know you are thinking of them.*

Welcome and Announcements

Please take a moment to let us know you are with us today! There are information pads in the pews for those in person and a digital form (use the link or QR code on screen) for those online.

Anthem

“Fairest Lord Jesus” Peter P. Stearns
*Fairest Lord Jesus, Ruler of all nature, O thou of God to earth come down, thee will I cherish,
thee will I honor, thou, my soul’s glory, joy, and crown.*

Listening for the Word

Prayer for Illumination

First Lesson Genesis 18:1–10a

One: *The Word of God for the people of God.*

All: Thanks be to God.

*Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost:[†]
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Second Lesson Luke 10:38–42

One: *Lord, your Word is a lamp unto my feet,*

All: *and a light unto our path.*

Sermon Amy Pagliarella

[†]Or “to the Creator, and to the Christ, and to the Holy Ghost.”

Responding to the Word

***Hymn 324** “For All the Faithful Women”

For all the faithful women who served in days of old,
to you shall thanks be given; to all, their story told.
They served with strength and gladness in tasks your wisdom gave.
To you their lives bore witness, proclaimed your power to save.

We praise your name for Miriam, who sang triumphantly
while Pharaoh’s vaunted army lay drowned beneath the sea;
for Ruth, who left her homeland and ventured forth in faith,
who pledged to serve and worship Naomi’s God till death.

We sing of busy Martha, who toiled with pot and pan
while Mary sat in silence to hear the word again.
We praise the other Mary, who hastened to the tomb
and found her Lord arisen, dispelling doubt and gloom.

Lord, hear our praise of Dorcas, who served the sick and poor.
Her hands were cups of kindness, her heart an open door.
O God, for saints and servants, our fervent prayer we raise,
that, faithful in your service, our lives may sing your praise.

Affirmation of Faith (*unison*) from A Brief Statement of Faith (PCUSA)

In life and in death we belong to God.
Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit,
we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel,
whom alone we worship and serve.

We trust in Jesus Christ,
fully human, fully God.
Jesus proclaimed the reign of God:
preaching good news to the poor and release to the captives,
teaching by word and deed and blessing the children,
healing the sick and binding up the brokenhearted,
eating with outcasts, forgiving sinners,
and calling all to repent and believe the gospel.

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Unjustly condemned for blasphemy and sedition,
Jesus was crucified, suffering the depths of human pain
and giving his life for the sins of the world.
God raised this Jesus from the dead,
vindicating his sinless life, breaking the power of sin and evil,
delivering us from death to life eternal. Amen.

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer *(unison)*

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors;
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Offertory Anthem

"O Come, Every One That Thirsteth" from *Elijah* Felix Mendelssohn
O come everyone that thirsteth, O come to the waters: O come unto him.
O hear, and your souls shall live forever.

***Offertory Response.** Hymn 652, v. 1

A grateful heart is what I bring, a song of praise, my offering.
Among the saints I lift my voice: in you, O God, I will rejoice.

***Prayer of Dedication** *(unison)*

Abundant God, we give thanks for your presence in our lives
and for the invitation to be part of your work in the world.
May these gifts be a tangible expression of our love for our neighbors
as well as a witness to your love for us all. Amen.

Bearing the Word into the World

***Hymn 546** “Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing”

Lord, dismiss us with your blessing; fill our hearts with joy and peace;
let us each, your love possessing, triumph in redeeming grace.
O refresh us, O refresh us, traveling through this wilderness.

Thanks we give and adoration for your gospel’s joyful sound;
may the fruits of your salvation in our hearts and lives abound.
Ever faithful, ever faithful to your truth may we be found.

Savior, when your love shall call us, from our struggling pilgrim way,
let no fear of death appall us, glad your summons to obey.
May we ever, may we ever reign with you in endless day.

***Charge and Benediction**

Postlude

Festival Toccata Percy Fletcher

Worship in the Reformed Tradition

As the headings in our bulletin remind us each week, the center of our worship is **the Word**—by which we mean both Scripture and the Living Word of God, Jesus Christ. Our Scripture witnesses to God and God's activity. When it is read and proclaimed, Jesus Christ the Living Word is present by the inward witness of the Holy Spirit. It is this Living Word that is the center of everything we do in worship.

That worship follows the pattern we see in Isaiah 6 (page 597 of the Old Testament): adoration, confession, absolution, thanksgiving, and service.

Overwhelmed by God's majesty and glory, we **gather** together in **praise** offered through song and prayer.

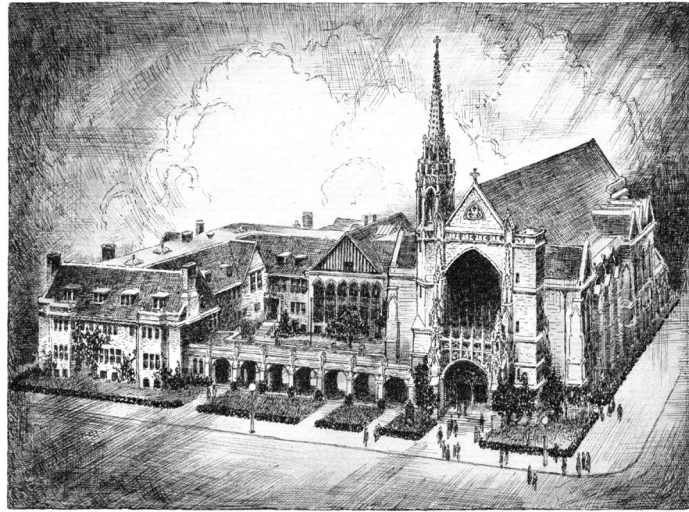
In the face of that great goodness of God, we also see how we fall short of being who we were created to be and so we join in a **prayer of confession**.

We then proclaim the **forgiveness** that we know in Jesus Christ. We live our lives in this cycle of realizing where we fall short, being honest to God about that, and then recognizing that God always forgives us, even before the words are on our lips, and lets us start new.

As we listen for the Word of God, **Scripture** is read. The **sermon** is proclaimed. We respond to the Word with thanksgiving, joining in **song** and **affirming our faith**, using the Apostles' Creed, a Brief Statement of Faith, or another profession of faith or words taken directly from Scripture.

Following Jesus' instruction to pray, in the **Prayers of the People** we bring human need before God in hope, trust, and thanksgiving for God's faithfulness, concluding with the **Lord's Prayer**. Our response of thanksgiving also includes the giving of our material goods, bringing to God the **offerings** of our work as symbols of our gratitude and our acknowledgment that everything we have comes from God. In prayer we **dedicate** these gifts and our lives to the work of the church and God's mission.

God then **sends** us, like Isaiah, back out into the world in service. Our final **hymn** of grateful praise moves directly into a **charge and blessing** to take what we have heard, to take what we have learned, and to actively live it out in the world, looking for God's work all around us.



You belong here!

This may be your first time in worship at Fourth Presbyterian Church, or perhaps you worship here so often you call Fourth Church “home”; in either case, **we are grateful for your presence** today. Inspired by the radical hospitality of Jesus Christ, we welcome everyone — without exception—into the life of this congregation. No matter where you may be in your faith journey, no matter what questions or burdens you may bring to this place, we take seriously that God loves everyone, so you belong here.

Every Sunday we read the old biblical stories and sing hymns (some of which our grandparents sang), while also engaging the world we live in this minute through liturgy, prayers, and sermons. **By connecting the story of our lives to the story of Christ’s life, we discover hope and even joy,** and are inspired to reflect the light of Christ to the city **as we live out our calling to love God and love one another.**

If you are new to us, stick around after worship. Join us for Coffee Hour, or speak to one of our pastors. We have many programs to expand your spirit and enrich your life. We would love to tell you more. **Give us a try; soon you too might be calling Fourth Church “home.”**

Worshipping in Person at Fourth Church

Each summer Sunday our worshipping body—which is a wonderful mix of those online, on the phone, and in the pews—gathers at 10:00 a.m.

Entering the building

The doors open at 9:30 a.m. There is an entrance without steps that leads to the Sanctuary on Michigan Avenue, through the glass Loggia doors (*next to the courtyard*). There are also two fully accessible entrances: one at 126 E. Chestnut—where the reception desk is located—and one at 115 E. Delaware.

Sound

- Worship can be heard through “T” or “T-coil” settings of hearing aids.
- Please silence electronic devices during worship.

Parking

Sunday parking is available at 900 N. Michigan (*access from Rush or Walton*) at the rate of \$10 for 6 hours (*and \$20 for up to 12 hours*) and at the Hancock garage (*875 N. Michigan, enter from Delaware or Chestnut*) for \$10 between 8:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Validation tickets for the garages must be picked up from ushers.

Worshipping Online

Livestream

We livestream the worship service each Sunday on our YouTube channel—bit.ly/fpcvideos—which is also accessible from the home page of our website: fourthchurch.org

Worship can be viewed anytime after the service has begun. For tips on how to watch—from the beginning—a service that is already in progress, see fourthchurch.org/watch-from-the-beginning

Online extras

Links to make an online offering gift, view or print the worship bulletin, and more can be found in the descriptive text below the worship video (*after exiting full screen*) as well as on our website.

For those without Internet

Those without Internet access are invited to listen via phone by calling 888.916.9166 at 9:30 a.m.

Podcast

Podcast offerings from Fourth Church—available on multiple platforms and at fourthchurch.org/podcasts—include the Sunday worship service and sermon; weekly “Rhythm and Word” reflections; and “Bible Top Ten.”

Restoring the 1914 Murals

The scaffolding in the South Balcony is to facilitate the restoration work on the 1914 Frederic Clay Bartlett ceiling murals. A series of the Bartlett panels can be seen on the wall at the north end of the Commons.

Realtor to Represent Fourth Church

Because our new pastor’s family will not be living in the Fourth Church-owned Walton Manse at 220 E. Walton, the Board of Trustees is investigating selling that property. If you are a licensed Realtor and would like to be considered to represent the church in this matter, please email a brief bio to Allison MacDonna (amacdonna@fourthchurch.org) by the end of today, Sunday, July 20. The three most-qualified candidates will be selected to present to the Manse Disposition Task Force, which will select one to represent the church.

Let Us Know You’re Here!

We are grateful to be worshipping with you today and would welcome knowing you are here. Please take a moment to fill out an information form.

In person

Those worshipping with us in person are asked to add their names to the pads in the pews, passing the pads to the center of the row and then back again so worshipers have opportunity to greet one another by name following worship.

Online

Those worshipping via livestream will find a link to the online form in the text below the video (after *exiting full-screen view*); a QR code is also displayed during the “Welcome” that can be scanned with a phone camera to take you to the form.

Joining the Fourth Church Family

If you are interested in becoming a member of Fourth Church, please join us for a one-session Inquirers’ Class on either Wednesday, August 7 at 6:30 p.m. via Zoom (register at bit.ly/inquirers82025) or in person on Sunday, September 21 at 12:15 p.m. in Room 5F (register at bit.ly/inquirers92025).

For more information, contact Rocky Supinger (rsupinger@fourthchurch.org), Senior Associate Pastor, who would welcome hearing from you!

Welcoming Camille Cook Howe: Sept. 21

Be sure to mark Sunday, September 21 on your calendar, as that will be the day when the Reverend Dr. Camille Cook Howe, our next Pastor, preaches and leads us in worship for the first time.

Sunday, October 19 will also be a special day in our relationship with Camille: she will be officially installed as Pastor of the Fourth Presbyterian Church of Chicago during the 9:30 a.m. service that morning. Please plan to be with us to celebrate this exciting new chapter in the life of our congregation!



Connections and Belonging

Come connect with others as we foster a welcoming and inclusive community where everyone feels supported in building meaningful relationships

In-Person Coffee Hour

If you are worshipping with us in person, we invite you to stop by Anderson Hall and the Commons after the service for our weekly Coffee Hour, an opportunity to greet each other and learn about ways to connect with one another and Fourth Church.

Online Coffee Hour

If you are worshipping with us via livestream, we would be delighted if you would also join us for opportunity to connect with one another in our online Coffee Hour. We gather via Zoom at 11:00 a.m., following the livestream of worship, for a time of fellowship.

Zoom link: bit.ly/coffeehourfpc; passcode: 676359

Connecting Online

Whether you are traveling this summer, live out of town, or have difficulty getting to Fourth Church, we invite you to explore our wide variety of ways to connect online with one another and Fourth Church, many of which are details in these pages. Browse fourthchurch.org/online/connections to learn more.

Summer with Center for Life and Learning

The summer session of the Center for Life and Learning has a wide variety of programming for adults sixty and over. The July and August offerings include exercise classes, meditation, improv, current events, movies, and more. See fourthchurch.org/cll for details about the wide variety of offerings and sign-up information.

News, Updates, and Snapshots

Look for information, updates, and snapshots of life at Fourth Church in our weekly email newsletter. Subscribe at bit.ly/newsfromfpc and visit our news archive at fourthchurch.org/news

Get Connected

We're having another picnic!

We had such fun at our congregational picnic last weekend that we're having another one!

Mark Sunday, August 10 on your calendar and plan to join us in Anderson Hall, Borwell Dining Room, and the Commons for a festive time of summer fellowship and connection over a shared meal.

Caring for One Another

Pastoral care

If you would like to talk to a pastor or notify pastoral staff of personal concerns, illnesses, hospitalizations, or deaths, please email Gloria Fleming (gffleming@fourthchurch.org). If the situation requires immediate attention, please call the church at 312.787.4570 to be connected to the Minister on Call.

Stephen Ministry

For a one-to-one listening presence through life challenges, we invite you to consider being paired with a Stephen Minister. To learn more about this resource, contact Associate Pastor Nancy Benson-Nicol (nbenson-nicol@fourthchurch.org), or to request support from a Stephen Minister, please leave a confidential message at 312.573.3365.



Faith Formation

Join us on our journey to grow spiritually through worship, educational opportunities, and programs that nurture faith across all ages

Children, Youth, and Family

Children in worship

Children are always welcome in worship! If you need to step out to comfort your child, the Hospitality Suite, on the second floor of the Gratz Center, is a quiet space for families where worship is livestreamed.

Also during morning worship, nursery care is available on the fourth floor of the Gratz Center for infants through two-year-olds.

Summer Sunday School

Summer Sunday School takes place throughout July at 10:00 a.m. on the fourth floor of the Gratz Center.

Montreat Youth Conference

This Saturday, July 26 youth from Fourth Church, and their adult leaders, will head to North Carolina to join youth from around the country for the weeklong Montreat Youth Conference, this year around the theme “Light My Path.” Please keep these travelers in your prayers as they journey and grow together in faith.

Bible Studies via Zoom

Men’s Bible Study

Men’s Bible Study—which focuses on recent or upcoming scripture readings from the pulpit—welcomes new participants to join them for their weekly gathering via Zoom on Tuesday mornings at 7:30 a.m. For details, email Katie Patterson (kpatterson@fourthchurch.org).

Women’s Summer Bible Studies

Women’s Bible Studies meet via Zoom on the second and fourth Wednesdays of the month, with the next study this Wednesday, July 23, at 12:00 and 6:30 p.m.

The noon gathering is studying the *Horizons* Bible Study “Dispatches to God’s Household: The General Epistles” by Associate Pastor Nancy Benson-Nicol.

The evening gathering is studying the Sunday lectionary readings, including Old Testament and New Testament texts.

For Zoom details for either group, contact Katie Patterson (kpatterson@fourthchurch.org).

April Ajoy on Christian Nationalism

Today we welcome April Ajoy to Fourth Church as our featured speaker at the 11:00 a.m. Adult Education class. A noted author and podcaster, April will talk with Matt Helms about her book *Star-Spangled Jesus: Leaving Christian Nationalism and Finding a True Faith*.

Part memoir, part guidebook, part call to action, *Star-Spangled Jesus* recounts April’s journey from growing up in an Evangelical church to finding her views of faith challenged and the world widened from a variety of personal experiences.

Today April is a voice for inclusivity and tolerance in the church, and her book offers a way for us to reflect on what “the intersection between faith and life” might look like for Fourth Church in a time when Christian Nationalism has been on the rise.

Join us for this conversation in Borwell Dining Room and via Zoom at bit.ly/adultedzoom

Prayer

Sunday Morning Prayer with Deacons

If you would like to offer individual prayers of praise or concern with a Deacon, you are invited to do so in Stone Chapel (through the door to the right of the pulpit) following worship.

Wednesday Morning Prayer

On Wednesdays we gather for Morning Prayer via Zoom at 9:30 a.m. to remember in prayer members of the congregation, all those who are in need, and mission partners around the world. Email Nancy Benson-Nicol (nbenson-nicol@fourthchurch.org) for details.

Prayer requests

If you would like to submit a prayer request to our Deacon and Morning Prayer Ministries, please email Gloria Fleming (gffleming@fourthchurch.org).

Daily Devotions

Daily devotions

We invite you to use our daily devotions—written by Fourth Church members and staff—for your personal reflection. To receive them by email, subscribe at bit.ly/fpcdevotions; you can also find them online at fourthchurch.org/devotions as well as on Facebook.

“Rhythm and Word” Videos and Podcast

Each week we share a five-minute video and podcast reflection by one of the pastors. This month Joe Morrow invites us into an exploration of the writings of Dorothy Day, Thomas Merton, and other mystics. Sign up at bit.ly/rhythmword to have the videos sent to your inbox on Wednesdays or subscribe to our YouTube channel (bit.ly/fpcvideos). You can also listen to these reflections via podcast (fourthchurch.org/podcasts).



Community Engagements and Partnerships

Come alongside us as together, through programs and collaboration with partners, we advocate for social and community needs

School Supply Drive

We still need more items for our School Supply Drive to fill backpacks for students of the Chicago Lights Urban Farm and Summer Day programs. We'll be filling those backpacks next Sunday, July 27 for distribution the following week.

You can find a list of needed supplies for ordering online at bit.ly/schoolsupplydrivefpc; you can also make a monetary gift at fourthchurch.org/give to help with our purchase of needed items (please note “School Supplies” in the giving comments section).

For more information about the drive, contact Katie Patterson (kpatterson@fourthchurch.org).

Volunteering with Meals Ministry

Fourth Church Meals Ministry has openings for volunteers to serve between now and September 30. You can sign up for them at bit.ly/fpcvolunteers; please sign up for no more than two roles per program per month so as to allow opportunities for all who want to support Meals Ministry in this way.

For more information, contact Mike Usiak (musiak@fourthchurch.org), Meals Ministry Manager.

Peace Walks with St. Sabina

The Mission and Justice Committee invites you to join them in walking in the Friday evening St. Sabina Parish Peace Walks in the Auburn Gresham neighborhood on August 1 and 15 at 7:00 p.m.

To take part, sign up at bit.ly/peacewalks2025 or, for details, email Nancy Davis (ndavis@fourthchurch.org).

Art Exhibition in the Loggia

The summer art exhibition in our Loggia Gallery features works by Charlene Moy, a Chicago-based Chinese American artist who assembles and weaves artificial materials with artist media to draw attention to the impact plastics have on our environment.

Upcoming Opportunities



Looking to explore upcoming opportunities and events at Fourth Church? Visit our Events page—fourthchurch.org/events—and bookmark it for future reference.

Calendar for July 20–26, 2025

Sunday	10:00 a.m.	Worship	Sanctuary / Online
July 20	10:00 a.m.	Infants/Parents Comfort Room.	Hospitality Suite
	10:00 a.m.	Nursery.	Room 4A
	10:00 a.m.	Summer Sunday School	Room 4D
	11:00 a.m.	A Time of Prayer	Stone Chapel
	11:00 a.m.	April Ajoy on Christian Nationalism	Borwell Dining Room
	11:00 a.m.	Coffee Hour	Anderson Hall
	11:00 a.m.	Online Coffee Hour.	Zoom
	11:15 a.m.	Mission and Justice Committee.	Room 5E
	4:00 p.m.	Sunday Night Supper (until 5:30).	Anderson Hall

Monday	8:30 a.m.	Summer Day.	Fifth Floor
July 21	10:30 a.m.	CLL: Stronger Seniors	Zoom
	11:30 a.m.	CLL: Sit Down and Tap!	Zoom
	2:30 p.m.	CLL: Yoga	Room 4F / Zoom

Tuesday	7:30 a.m.	Men's Bible Study	Zoom
July 22	8:30 a.m.	Summer Day.	Fifth Floor
	9:00 a.m.	Heartland Alliance Medical Clinic.	Randolph Room
	9:00 a.m.	CLL: Bingocize	Room 4E
	9:30 a.m.	CLL: Stronger Seniors	Zoom
	9:30 a.m.	SSC: Drop-In Program.	Morse Lounge
	9:30 a.m.	Together We Play	Classroom A
	11:30 a.m.	Meals Ministry Bag Lunch.	Anderson Hall
	1:00 p.m.	Labyrinth Available to Walk (until 3:00)	Buchanan Chapel
	1:00 p.m.	Shower Ministry	Showers
	1:00 p.m.	CLL: Improv.	Room 4D
	1:00 p.m.	CLL: Walk with Ease	Room 4C
	2:30 p.m.	CLL: Intermediate Tai Chi.	Anderson Hall / Zoom

Wednesday	7:30 a.m.	Men's Faith Study	Offsite
July 23	8:30 a.m.	Summer Day.	Fifth Floor
	9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Zoom
	9:30 a.m.	SSC: Drop-In Program.	Morse Lounge
	9:30 a.m.	CLL: Yoga for Osteoporosis	Zoom
	10:30 a.m.	CLL: Zing	Zoom
	11:00 a.m.	CLL: Midweek Meditation.	Room 4F
	11:30 a.m.	Meals Ministry Bag Lunch.	Anderson Hall
	12:00 p.m.	Women's <i>Horizons</i> Bible Study	Zoom

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12:00 p.m. CLL: Current Events Room 4G
 1:00 p.m. CLL: Walk with Ease Room 4C
 1:00 p.m. Labyrinth Available to Walk (until 3:00) Buchanan Chapel
 6:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study Zoom

Thursday 8:30 a.m. Summer Day Fifth Floor
 July 24 9:00 a.m. CLL: Bingocize Room 4E
 9:00 a.m. Meals Ministry Sandwich-Making Parish House Kitchen
 9:30 a.m. SSC: Drop-In Program Morse Lounge
 9:30 a.m. CLL: Chair-Based Ballet Zoom
 10:00 a.m. CLL: Supreme Court Decisions Room 4D
 10:30 a.m. CLL: Golden Grooves Zoom
 11:00 a.m. CLL: The Art of Conversation Room 4K
 11:30 a.m. Meals Ministry Bag Lunch Anderson Hall
 12:00 p.m. CLL: July Lunch Meetup Offsite
 12:15 p.m. AA Meeting Room 4F
 1:00 p.m. CLL: Caillebotte Room 4G
 1:00 p.m. Labyrinth Available to Walk (until 3:00) Buchanan Chapel
 2:00 p.m. Good Memories Choir Concert Sanctuary
 2:30 p.m. CLL: Intermediate Tai Chi Anderson Hall Zoom
 6:00 p.m. AA Meeting Room 4F

Friday 8:30 a.m. Summer Day Fifth Floor
 July 25 9:30 a.m. SSC: Drop-In Program Morse Lounge
 10:30 a.m. CLL: Nia Zoom
 12:10 p.m. Music by the Fountain Michigan Avenue Courtyard
 1:00 p.m. CLL: Walk with Ease Room 4C
 2:00 p.m. Mary Durham Memorial Service Sanctuary

Saturday All day Montreat Youth Conference North Carolina
 July 26 *(No other events are scheduled for Saturday)*

Sunday, July 27 • 10:00 a.m. • Joseph L. Morrow preaching

Worship Leaders

Nancy Benson-Nicol, Greg Schwem, Amy Pagliarella

The Music Today

The Summer Choir and Quartet; Cole Seaton, soloist
Doug Cleveland, Interim Organist and Director of Music

Worship Notes

GIFTS TO SUPPORT THE MINISTRY AND MISSION of Fourth Church can be placed in the plates passed during the service, or, afterwards, in an offering box at the exit from the Sanctuary. They also can be given via Venmo (@Fourth-Church) or online at fourthchurch.org/give

OUR CLOSING HYMN OF CORPORATE BENEDICTION, “Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing,” shares its first line with several other hymns. This particular hymn was written by the Baptist pastor John Fawcett, who served a church in rural Yorkshire, England, for the entirety of his ministry and is best known for writing the words for the hymn “Blest Be the Tie that Binds.” The tune we sing today was transcribed in the late-eighteenth century from Sicilian sailors.

Rocky Supinger Senior Associate Pastor

Nancy Benson-Nicol Associate Pastor

Matt Helms Associate Pastor

Joseph L. Morrow Associate Pastor

Nanette Sawyer Associate Pastor

Amy Pagliarella Parish Associate for Caring Ministries

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