

# News and Opportunities

## **NEWS AND RESOURCES**

Inquirers' Class offers opportunity to learn more about Fourth Church as well as Presbyterian history and beliefs. This one-session class, which will next meet Saturday, July 20 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon in Room 4F, is also a prerequisite for membership.

Stephen Ministry training, which is a fifty-hour program, will begin this October to prepare new Stephen Ministers to accompany Fourth Church members who experience challenging times. For more information, pick up a brochure from the literature racks or visit the Fourth Church website.

Be sure to bookmark the Fourth Church website—www.fourthchurch.org for easy access to the Fourth Church calendar, details about upcoming events, an archive of sermons, photos, and more.

**Follow Fourth Church on Twitter:** (@FourthChicago).

Fourteen John Boyle prayers and a sermon have been compiled into a printed booklet, which is available in the literature racks. Also in the racks is a copy of the sermon by John Buchanan and the remembrance by Jennifer Tozer offered at the funeral for Dr. Boyle. Both are also available online at www. fourthchurch.org/about/john-boyle.html.

Have you found helpful one of the Counseling Center seminars or the counseling services? The Center is looking to share anonymous recommendations with those who might be considering using these services and invites you to send a sentence or two (or more!) about your experiences to sjw313@yahoo.com or LRCC Feedback, Fourth Presbyterian Church, 126 E. Chestnut St., Chicago, IL 60611.2014, by Monday, July 15. Confidentiality will be preserved, and any comments used to help tell the story of why the Counseling Center can be a valuable resource in people's lives will not include any identifying details.

## 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!



The Pastor Nominating Commitee continues its work to identify a candidate to recommend to serve as Fourth Church's next Pastor. You can read about the PNC's work and reflection, "Listening to Sermons," online at www.fourthchurch.org/pnc.

### **FELLOWSHIP**

Today's Coffee Hour is sponsored in memory of Doug Voyles by Robert Crouch. To sponsor Coffee Hour in honor of someone or in recognition of a special anniversary or occasion, contact Anne Ellis at aellis@fourthchurch.org.

Young Adults will meet today at 12:30 p.m. in Room 5A for fellowship and discussion. They also gather for volleyball on Mondays at 6:30 p.m. at Oak Street Beach. For details, contact Edwin Estevez at 312.640.5449.

## MISSION AND OUTREACH

A Carnaval informational meeting for those interested in helping plan the 2014 gala will be held on Monday, July 22 at 5:30 p.m. in Room 4G. To RSVP or for more information, contact Andrea Miller at 312.640.2576 (amiller@fourthchurch.org).

**Advocacy information** on immigration reform is available at the Mission table during Coffee Hour.

The Annual School Supply Drive, organized by Women@Fourth Connect, is underway. For a list of materials and more information about the drive, stop by Coffee Hour today or contact Anne Ellis at 312.573.3369 (aellis@fourthchurch.org).

Chicago Lights Summer Day, a six-week academic and arts program for first through eighth graders, is underway here at Fourth Church. Information about this summer opportunity for children from underresourced neighborhoods can be found in the Chicago Lights Annual Report (www.bit.ly/CLReport), which also includes information about how you can support this community outreach arm of Fourth Church.

Kickball for a Cause, a kickball tournament hosted by the Chicago Lights Associates Board, will be held on Saturday, July 27 at 1:00 p.m. at Lake Shore Park (808 N. Lake Shore Dr.). To RSVP at a discounted rate, contact Kate Solis at ksolis@fourthchurch.org by Saturday, July 20.

An antigun violence rally and press conference, sponsored by Fierce Women of Faith, will be held on Sunday, July 28 at 3:00 p.m. at Princeton Park. For more information, contact Nancy Davis at ndavis@fourthchurch.org.

## WORSHIP

**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.

**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, which is held at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Friday of each month, will next be held on Friday, July 26 in Buchanan Chapel. It will be preceded by opportunity to walk the labyrinth between 6:00 and 7:00 p.m.

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

The Fourth Presbyterian Church of Chicago Church office: 126 E. Chestnut Street, Chicago, IL 60611.2014; 312.787.4570 Fax: 312.787.4584; www.facebook.com/fourthchurch 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, check the Fourth Church calendar at www.fourthchurch.org/calendar or contact the church at 312.787.4570.

## **ENRICHMENT**

An excursion to Starved Rock State Park, offered through the Center for Life and Learning, will be held on Wednesday, July 31. Adults sixty and more are invited to RSVP to Ashley Elskus at 312.981.3387 (aelskus@ fourthchurch.org) by Wednesday, July 24.

A journaling workshop, led by Carol LaChapelle, will be offered through the Lorene Replogle Counseling Center on Tuesdays in August at 8:00 p.m. in the Third Floor Conference Room. To register and for fee information, call the Counseling Center at 312.787.8425.

## MUSIC AND THE ARTS

Vocalist Arlene Bardelle will perform this Friday's free "Music by the Fountain" Noonday Concert at 12:10 p.m. outdoors in the courtyard.

The summer handbell choir rehearses on Sunday mornings through July 28 at 10:30 a.m. in the Buchanan Chapel Choir Loft. Adults and high school youth are invited to join. For details, call John Sherer at 312.981.3592.

# CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILY

Save the date for Fall Family Camp at Camp Geneva, on Lake Michigan, just outside Holland, Michigan, from Friday, September 27 to Sunday, September 29. **Summer Sunday School** classses are held at 9:30 a.m. on the fourth floor of the Gratz Center.

The Fourth Church Day School preschool is accepting applications for the fall. For more information, call Ruthie Hornaday 312.640.2579.

Vacation Bible School—"Paul's Journey to Share the Truth"—will be held for children in preschool through fifth grade the mornings of August 12–16. Registration forms are available at www. fourthchurch.org/children/vbs.html.

## **VOLUNTEERS AND DONATIONS**

## **Current Volunteer Needs**

Servers for Monday and Friday Night Suppers, 3:30–6:15 p.m., on rotation Members to serve as ushers at

11:00 a.m. worship

**Vacation Bible School helpers,** Monday, August 12–Friday, August 16

**Sunday School teachers** for the fall, beginning September 8

**Garden enthusiasts** to help at the Urban Farm on Saturday afternoons

Helpers for the Social Service Center bag lunch program on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, or Thursdays, 9:00 a.m.–12:00 noon

**Beverage pourers** for Sunday Night Supper, 3:30–6:00 p.m., on rotation

### **Current Donation Needs**

Men's sturdy seasonal clothes Nonperishable food items and pop-top canned goods for the Elam Davies Social Service Center Food Pantry

**Gently used clothes** for a chronically ill ten-year-old girl

**Gently used guitars and keyboards** for the Hispanic Ministries Covenant

For details or to volunteer, stop by the Volunteer table during Coffee Hour or call Larry Nicholson at 312.981.3382.

# CALENDAR FOR JULY 14-20, 2013

| Sunday, July 14         |                                       |                          |           |                 |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------|-----------------|
| 8:00 a.m.               |                                       | Victoria G. Curtiss prea | ıching    | Sanctuary       |
| 9:00 a.m.               | Coffee Hour                           |                          |           | Garth           |
| 9:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. | Nursery Gratz Center, First Floor     |                          |           |                 |
| 9:30 a.m.               | Morning Worship                       | Calum I. MacLeod prea    | ching     | Sanctuary       |
| 9:30 a.m.               | Sunday School                         | Gra                      | tz Center | , Fourth Floor  |
| 10:30 a.m.              | Coffee Hour                           |                          |           | Garth           |
| 10:30 a.m.              | Handbell Choir Rel                    | nearsal Bucha            | nan Cha   | pel Choir Loft  |
| 10:30 a.m.              | Intercessory Prayer                   |                          |           | Stone Chapel    |
| 11:00 a.m.              |                                       | Calum I. MacLeod prea    | ching     | Sanctuary       |
| 12:15 p.m.              | Coffee Hour                           | •                        | O         | Garth           |
| 12:15 p.m.              | Intercessory Prayer                   |                          |           | Stone Chapel    |
| 12:30 p.m.              | Young Adults Gath                     |                          |           | Room 5A         |
| 4:00 p.m.               | Jazz Worship                          | Adam H. Fronczek prea    | ching     | Sanctuary       |
| 4:00 p.m.               | Sunday Night Supp                     |                          |           | Anderson Hall   |
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| Monday, July 15         |                                       |                          |           |                 |
| 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.  | Labyrinth Walk                        |                          | Buc       | hanan Chapel    |
| 9:30 a.m.               | Morning Prayer                        |                          |           | Sanctuary       |
| 9:30 a.m.               |                                       |                          |           | Gratz Center    |
| 5:00 p.m.               | Monday Night Supper Catholic Ch       |                          |           | iolic Charities |
| 6:30 p.m.               | Young Adults Volleyball Oak Street Be |                          |           | k Street Beach  |
| Tuesday, July 16        |                                       |                          |           |                 |
| 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.  | Labyrinth Walk                        |                          | Ruc       | hanan Chapel    |
| 9:00 a.m.               | Morning Prayer                        |                          | Duc       | Sanctuary       |
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| Wednesday, July 17      |                                       |                          |           |                 |
| 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  | Labyrinth Walk                        |                          | Buc       | hanan Chapel    |
| 9:30 a.m.               | Morning Prayer                        |                          |           | Sanctuary       |
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| Thursday, July 18       |                                       |                          |           |                 |
| 9:30 a.m.               | Morning Prayer                        |                          |           | Sanctuary       |
| 7:00 p.m.               | Men's Choir Rehear                    | rsal                     |           | Sanctuary       |
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| Friday, July 19         | M                                     |                          |           | C t             |
| 9:30 a.m.               | Morning Prayer                        | 4 1 D 111                |           | Sanctuary       |
| 12:10 p.m.              | Noonday Concert: A                    | Ariene Bardelle          |           | Garth           |
| Saturday, July 20       |                                       |                          |           |                 |
| 9:00 a.m.               | Inquirers' Class                      |                          |           | Room 4F         |
| 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon | Labyrinth Walk                        |                          | Buc       | hanan Chapel    |
| 12:00 noon to 3:00 p.m. | Volunteer Hours at                    | the Urban Farm           |           | . Chicago Ave.  |
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## Worship on Sunday, July 21

8:00 a.m. Joyce Shin preaching 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. Joyce Shin preaching 4:00 p.m. John W. Vest 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.