



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.

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.”**

Worshiping in Person at Fourth Church

Each Sunday our worshiping body is a wonderful mix of those online, on the phone, and in the pews. If you like to worship with us in person, **throughout the summer we gather on Sundays at 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.**

Entering the building

A half hour prior to each service the doors open for worship, with three fully accessible entrances, without steps, that lead to the Sanctuary: on Michigan Avenue, through the glass Loggia doors (*between the courtyard and the main Sanctuary doors*) as well as at 126 E. Chestnut—where the reception desk is located—and 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 \$9 for 6 hours (*and \$18 for up to 12 hours*) and at the Hancock garage (*875 N. Michigan, enter from Delaware or Chestnut*) for \$10 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Validation tickets for the garages must be picked up from ushers.

Worshipping Online

We livestream our 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. services on our YouTube channel: bit.ly/fpcvideos

Accessing the services

Worship can be viewed anytime after the services begin. 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 10:00 a.m.

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. Please also indicate if your contact information has changed.

Online

Those worshipping via livestream will find a link to the online form included in the descriptive 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.

Children in Worship

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.

Nursery care

During the morning service nursery care is available on the fourth floor of the Gratz Center for infants through two-year-olds.

Sunday Opportunities

Sermon discussion

Join Nanette Sawyer at 11:10 a.m. in Borwell Dining Room today for a discussion of the morning sermon and a time of fellowship.

Sunday school

Summer Sunday school meets at 10:00 a.m. in Room 4D for three-year-olds through fifth graders.

Sunday morning fellowship

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

Praying with a Deacon

If you would like to pray with a Deacon, you are invited to do so in Stone Chapel (*through the door to the right of the pulpit*) following worship.

Afternoon worship service

Tom Are will be preaching at this afternoon's The Gathering: Communion at 2:00, an intimate service with music by the Gathering Ensemble.

Caring for One Another

School supply drive

Our School Supply Drive to collect items for the students of the Chicago Lights Urban Farm, Tutoring, and Summer Day is underway! For details about donating supplies or funds for their purchase, see bit.ly/schoolsupplydrivefpc or email Simon Crow (scrow@fourthchurch.org).

Walking for peace

This Friday, July 12 we are participating in a Peace Walk with Saint Sabina Church in the Auburn Gresham neighborhood. For details, email Nancy (ndavis@fourthchurch.org).

Blood Drive

The Center for Life and Learning is cosponsoring a blood drive on Saturday, July 20 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in Borwell Dining Room. Walk-ins are welcome; appointments, which can be made at bit.ly/blooddrive72024, are appreciated.

Prayer requests and pastoral care

To submit a prayer request to our Prayer Ministries, please email Gloria Fleming (gffleming@fourthchurch.org). Also email Gloria if you would like to talk to a pastor or notify them of personal concerns, illnesses, hospitalizations, or deaths; if the situation requires immediate attention, please call the church at 312.787.4570 to be connected to the Minister on Call.

A listening presence

For those facing life's challenges, Stephen Ministers provide a listening presence. To talk with a Stephen Minister, leave a confidential message at 312.573.3365. To explore options for counseling, call our Replogle Center for Counseling and Well-Being at 312.787.2729, ext. 2260 or visit reploglecenter.org

Get Connected

We're having a picnic!

Next Sunday, July 14 we're having a picnic in the Michigan Avenue courtyard following the morning service. Come join us for food and fellowship!

CLL summer session

The summer session of Center for Life and Learning programming for adults sixty and over begins this Monday, July 8. Learn more and register at fourthchurch.org/cll

Bible studies

Men's Bible Study meets weekly on Tuesdays at 7:30 a.m. This summer's monthly Women's Bible Study, focusing on Dietrich Bonhoeffer's *Life Together*, meets via Zoom this Wednesday, July 10 at 6:30 p.m. For Zoom details for either study, email Simon Crow (scrow@fourthchurch.org).

Stay connected

For resources and information about connecting with one another and Fourth Church, see our website at fourthchurch.org and our weekly email newsletter. Subscribe at bit.ly/newsfromfpc; visit our news archive at fourthchurch.org/news.

Summer Arts

Music by the Fountain

Our weekly outdoor concert series, Music by the Fountain, continues this Friday at 12:10 p.m. with a performance by Andy Brown, jazz and blues guitarist.

Art exhibition

Currently on exhibition in our Loggia Gallery is "Perceptions of Nature," featuring art by Helen Dannelly and Yolanda Fernandez-Shebeko.

Calendar for July 7–July 13

Sunday, July 7	10:00 a.m. Worship Sanctuary / Online 10:00 to 11:15 a.m. Infants/Parents Comfort Room Hospitality Suite 10:00 to 11:15 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. Coffee Hour Anderson Hall 11:10 a.m. Sermon Discussion Borwell Dining Room 11:15 a.m. Organ Tour Sanctuary 2:00 p.m. The Gathering: Communion at 2:00 Sanctuary / Online 4:00 p.m. Sunday Night Supper (until 5:30) Anderson Hall 4:00 p.m. Meals Ministry Medical Service Borwell Dining Room
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Monday, July 8	8:30 a.m. Summer Day Fifth Floor 10:30 a.m. CLL: Stronger Seniors Zoom 11:30 a.m. CLL: Silver Taps Zoom 1:00 p.m. CLL: Bridge Room 4J 2:30 p.m. CLL: Yoga Room 4F / Zoom
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Tuesday, July 9	7:30 a.m. Men’s Bible Study Zoom 7:45 a.m. Sacred Pause Online 8:30 a.m. Summer Day Fifth Floor 9:30 a.m. CLL: Stronger Seniors Zoom 9:30 a.m. SSC Drop-In Program Morse Lounge 11:30 a.m. Meals Ministry Bag Lunch Anderson Hall 1:00 p.m. CLL: Improv Room 4D 1:00 p.m. English as a Second Language Morse Conference Room 1:00 p.m. Labyrinth Available to Walk Buchanan Chapel 1:00 p.m. Shower Ministry Showers 2:45 p.m. CLL: Intermediate Tai Chi Anderson Hall Zoom 6:00 p.m. AA Meeting Room 4F
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Wednesday, July 10	8:30 a.m. Summer Day Fifth Floor 9:30 a.m. Morning Prayer (via Zoom) Zoom 9:30 a.m. SSC Drop-In Program Morse Lounge 9:30 a.m. CLL: Tap Too Zoom 10:30 a.m. CLL: Zing Zoom 11:00 a.m. CLL: Meditation Room 4F 11:30 a.m. Meals Ministry Bag Lunch Anderson Hall 12:00 p.m. CLL: Current Events Room 4D
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Calendar for July 7–July 13

- 1:00 p.m. English as a Second Language Morse Conference Room
- 2:00 p.m. CLL: Film Series Room 4G
- 3:00 p.m. CLL: Portraiture Room 4F
- 6:00 p.m. AA: LGBTQIA+ Room 4E
- 6:30 p.m. Women’s Bible Study Zoom

- Thursday, July 11**
- 8:30 a.m. Summer Day Fifth Floor
 - 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: Silver Barre Zoom
 - 10:00 a.m. CLL: Supreme Court Decisions Room 4D
 - 10:30 a.m. CLL: Range of Motion Zoom
 - 11:30 a.m. CLL: Art Day Cards 101 Room 4G
 - 11:30 a.m. Meals Ministry Bag Lunch Anderson Hall
 - 12:15 p.m. AA Meeting Room 4F
 - 1:00 p.m. English as a Second Language Morse Conference Room
 - 1:00 p.m. Labyrinth Available to Walk Buchanan Chapel
 - 2:45 p.m. CLL: Intermediate Tai Ch Anderson Hall / Zoom
 - 7:00 p.m. Women’s Choir Rehearsal Buchanan Chapel

- Friday, July 12**
- 8:30 a.m. Summer Day Room 5C
 - 9:30 a.m. SSC Drop-In Program Morse Lounge
 - 10:30 a.m. CLL: Nia Zoom
 - 11:30 a.m. CLL: Grief Cafe Room 4D
 - 12:10 p.m. Music by the Fountain Michigan Avenue Courtyard
 - 7:00 p.m. Peace Walk with St. Sabina Offsite

- Saturday, July 13**
- 8:30 a.m. Sacred Pause Online
- (No other events are scheduled for Saturday)*

Preaching on Sunday, July 14

- 10:00 a.m. • Tom Are Jr.
 - 2:00 p.m. • Nancy Benson-Nicol