

Notes

This Week

Family Prayer Page

For the Week of February 16 - 22

Sunday, February 16

12:30pm High School Leadership Team Meeting Room 007
 1:00pm Wyatt Community Group (Bethesda)
 4:00pm Thatch Community Group (Bethesda)

Monday, February 17

Church is closed~ President's Day
 6:30pm Lewis Community Group (DC)
 7:00pm Nerantzis Community Group (Rockville)
 7:00pm Looney Community Group (Potomac)
 7:00pm Rebekah Circle (Bethesda/Potomac)
 7:30pm Curtis Community Group (Bethesda)

Tuesday, February 18

9:30am Community Bible Study (CBS) Sanctuary
 7:15pm ESOL Classes Various Rooms
 7:30pm Treseler Community Group (Rockville)

Wednesday, February 19

9:30am Body and Soul Upper Room
 9:30am G2G Women's Bible Study w/ Children's Program Various Rooms
 5:30pm Congregational Prayer Parlor
 5:45pm Fourth Night Dinner Upper Room
 5:45pm Middle School Bible Study—The Rock Room 102
 5:45pm High School Bible Study—The Root Room 007
 7:00pm Fourth Night Classes Various Rooms
 7:00pm Grief Care Emmaus House

Thursday, February 20

8:15am Landon Moms in Prayer Parlor
 10:00am Moms in Prayer Bible Study Chapel
 10:30am Ladies Thursday Bible Study
 12:15pm Body and Soul Upper Room
 6:30pm Cub Scout Pack 68 Meeting Room 102
 7:00pm Jones Community Group (Laytonsville)
 7:00pm Blended Families Care Group Room 132A
 7:30pm Boy Scout Troop 68 Meeting Room 131
 7:45pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal Sanctuary
 7:45pm YCF Fellowship and Bible Study Offsite

Friday, February 21

9:30am Body and Soul Upper Room
 10:30am Women's Reformed Reading Group Room 132A
 3:00pm Middle School Winter Retreat Offsite
 7:30pm Kiess Community Group (McLean)
 7:30pm Bronson Community Group (Rockville)

Saturday, February 22

We now maintain the long-term, recuperating, foreign/military service, and missionary health prayer needs of the congregation via the church-wide email system. Prayer needs from the Fourth family will remain printed in the bulletin for up to four weeks but stay on the email list as long as needed. However, a complete list of those with long term health needs are printed each Communion Sunday. Printed copies of the current email update are available in the media center. Contact Chelsea Custer, ccuster@4thpres.org, to subscribe to these emails.

Church Triumphant: Carol Gates, February 10, 2014

Recuperating

Beth Gordon
 Audrey Garver

Long Term Health Needs

Fourth's Family Roster

Steve Welty
 Dave West
 Marty & Betsy West
 Matthew West
 Abby Westly
 Travis & Amanda Westly

Unable to Attend Regularly

Leah Weiss

Missionary Prayer Request

Milad and Margaret Doss, Sensitive—Praise God for their fruitful trip to Israel to train Christian leaders at the end of 2013. Pray for a smooth process as they plan their trip for this fall. Pray that the Lord would raise up the best people to do His work. Pray also for their good health.

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Announcements for February 16 - 22

Church-wide

The Rockville Pregnancy Center’s Baby Bottle Campaign in still going on. Stop by Halverson Hall to pick up your bottle and help get the life-giving message out to young women about God’s love for them and their babies. Your support is so important as we seek to share the Gospel message with young women who are experiencing an unplanned pregnancy and need our help and support.

Community Groups have resumed. We have 400 people involved in 20 area community groups! To join a group or to learn more, log on to 4thpres.org/grow/community or contact Tommy Myrick, tmyrick@4thpres.org

Women’s Ministry

Monday Night Moms is a fellowship group for pregnant women and moms of preschool and elementary aged children. Please join us Feb. 27 at 7:30 to hear Caren Norris speak on parenting. We look forward to hearing her share the joys and challenges of raising children in the world, but not of it. To find out the location, email mondaynightmoms@4thpres.org

Women’s Retreat - April 4-6—If you still have questions or need help registering, please stop by the table in Halverson Hall.

Student Ministry

Middle school students! Come join us Friday, February 21 through Sunday, February 23 for an unforgettable weekend away with your friends and staffers in Doubling Gap, PA, on our annual **Winter Retreat!** Bring a friend or two! Registration is available online on the middle school page. Cost is \$225. Email kmyers@4thpres.org with questions or for scholarship information.

Save the date for **Romanian Christian Enterprises Annual Walk-a-thon** on the morning of **April 26!** Plan to bring the whole family for an amazing opportunity to support our ministry partner, RCE. More info on the event to follow; more info on RCE online at www.rcenterprises.org.

Adult Education

The C.S. Lewis Institute’s Fellows Program challenges and guides you on your journey towards spiritual maturity with an emphasis on heart and mind discipleship. Fellows continue in their careers while participating in this year-long program, and requirements are designed to be achievable even for busy professionals with families. For more information and applications go to: http://www.cslewisinstitute.org/DC_Metro_Area_Fellows. Applications are being accepted through April 15.

Congregational Care

Visitors Welcome Luncheon—Recent visitors (from November to today) are invited to a Welcome Luncheon next Sunday, February 23, following the 11am service in the Upper Room. The gathering provides recent visitors an opportunity for personal contact with members and pastors, conversation and fellowship, and information about membership and ministry. If you are a recent visitor who would enjoy a personal introduction to our church, please call the Congregational Care Office to RSVP by February 16 at 301-320-3434, x216.

The Young at Heart tour of the Capitol has been rescheduled to Friday, March 14 with bus departing from the Upper Parking Lot at 8:45am and returning to Fourth by 2pm Several spaces have reopened. Please contact Chelsea Custer as soon as possible to register, 301-320-3434, x216 or ccuster@4thpres.org. After these spaces fill we will begin a waiting list.

Men’s Ministry

Annual Men of Fourth Retreat, March 7-9, at Sandy Cove Retreat Center, North East, MD.

Speaker is Ray Ortlund, Senior Pastor of Immanuel Church, Nashville, TN, and President of Renewal Ministries. Ray will speak on the theme, “The Mind of the Father,” exploring the Father’s wisdom in Proverbs, Job, Ecclesiastes, and the Song of Solomon.

Men may register online or in person on Sundays in Lower Halverson Hall continuing through March 2. For further details and phone reservations, contact Tom Dolch.

Easter Lilies

Do you wish to donate lilies or spring flowers to grace the Sanctuary on Easter Sunday in memory of or in honor of a loved one? The plants are \$12 each. Checks should be made payable to **Fourth Presbyterian Church** with the memo to **Flower Fund**. The plants will be available for you to take home AFTER the Easter Sunday evening service. Please mail the information below to Fourth Presbyterian Church, c/o Flower Ministry, 5500 River Road, Bethesda, MD 20816-3399. Or you may put the form in the Flower Ministry box in the Church Office. **The deadline for orders is April 6.**

Given by (your name):

In Memory of:

In Honor of:

- I can take my plant(s) AFTER the Easter Sunday evening service.
- Please deliver my plant(s) to shut-ins.