

# Notes

# This Week

# Family Prayer Page

*For the Week of July 6 - July 12*

## Sunday, July 6

9:00am Children's Summer Reading Club Children's Library

## Monday, July 7

9:00am Vacation Bible School Various Rooms  
 9:30am Body and Soul Room 131  
 7:30pm Curtis Community Group (Bethesda)

## Tuesday, July 8

9:00am Vacation Bible School Various Rooms  
 12:00pm Help serve meals to the needy, Star of Bethlehem  
*14th and Colorado Avenue, NW. Details 301-384-9639*  
 6:00pm Summer Root: High School Bible Studies Lower Lot  
 6:00pm Summer Rock: Middle School Bible Studies Lower Lot  
 7:00pm ESOL Summer Conversation Class  
 6:00pm Women's Book Club Brown Bag Dinner Room 132  
 7:00pm Women's Book Clubs:  
*Surprised by Oxford* Chapel  
*Feminine Threads* Room 132A  
*Les Miserables* Room 132B  
*Bread and Wine: A Love Letter* Room 130

## Wednesday, July 9

9:00am Vacation Bible School Various Rooms  
 9:30am Body and Soul Room 131  
 7:00pm Esther Circle (Silver Spring)

## Thursday, July 10

9:00am Vacation Bible School Various Rooms  
 12:00pm Men's Downtown Lunch Offsite  
 12:15pm Body and Soul Room 131  
 6:15pm Evening Worship Team Rehearsal Room 007  
 6:30pm Attic: College Bible Study Room 102  
 7:45pm YCF Fellowship and Bible Study Offsite

## Friday, July 11

9:00am Vacation Bible School Various Rooms

## Saturday, July 12

**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. 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 Hannah Lyons, hlyons@4thpres.org, to subscribe to these emails.

### Long Term Health Needs

Laurie Alfandre	Esther Evans	AJ Monte
Gene Beaumont	Joan Friberg	Elam Morales
Stephen Bediako	Michael Hall	Melodie Sackett
Lolly Crow	Liam Hammond	Millie Trimble
Barbara Cummins	Allison James	Jack Vrentas
Ed Davis	Jean Malcolm	

### Recuperating

Margie Boland	Joy Kurkjian
Linda Blackistone	Laura Morgan
Dolores Dabney	Ralph Teunis
Martha Dean	Anne Wetzell
Patti Garver	Ron Walton

### Fourth's Family Roster

Matthew and Marce Bettridge & family	Carolyn Bibault
Peter & Marianne Beukema	John and Jennifer Biddison & family
Steve Bezirgianian	Tom and Amie Biegler & family

### Unable to Attend Regularly

**Leah Weiss**

### Missionary Prayer Request

**Robert & Joyce, EPC, Sensitive Area**—Pray for the team of the Philemon Preschool Project (focused on caring for refugee populations) as they discern expanding it into other areas in the Middle East. Praise God for Joyce's role as a teacher in local school and the influence God has given her through that role.

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# Announcements for July 6 - July 13

## Church-wide

### *Farewell*

**On Sunday, July 27, there will be a reception for Rev. Blair Smith and his family at 12:15 in the Upper Room.** Come say farewell and thank you to the Smith family for the many ways they have enriched our lives, and wish them well as Blair prepares to pursue his PhD studies at Notre Dame this fall.

**NEXT SUNDAY, Faith in Action will collect for the inner city in the Upper Lot.** All items in good condition are welcome. All grocery items including, but not limited to, canned chicken or other meats, peanut butter, juices, cereal, paper products, or any staple, are appreciated.

**Interested in leading a Community Group?** We're planning the return of Community Groups this fall and hope to add new groups, especially in Virginia and Silver Spring. Want to be a part of this exciting endeavor? Contact Tommy Myrick at tmyrick@4thpres.org or 301-320-3600, x204.

## Women's Ministry

**Monday Night Moms**, a gathering of mothers of young children, invites you to a discussion on Organization led by Caroline Perrin, Monday night July 21 at 7:30. Please mark your calendar. The exact location still TBD.

For information about Women's Ministries at Fourth, please contact Jean Bronson, Director of Women's Ministries, at jbronson@4thpres.org

## Children's Library

**Children's Library Summer Reading Club, Pop Open a Good Book! There is no Story Hour this Thursday because of Vacation Bible School.** Prize exchange time continues today, 10:30-11:30 in the library.

**The next Story Hour is on Thursday, July 17 at 11am**—come join us! Featured readers are Joe Ann Stenstrom and Amanda Westly.

## Children's Ministries

**Check the VBS web page for a list of items we would like to borrow.** Bring them to the Children's Ministry Office tomorrow!

## Music Ministry

**All singers are welcome to join us for Summer Choir TODAY and August 3.** Summer Choir is an opportunity for people to experience singing in the choir during our Sunday morning services. We will meet at 8:45am in Room 144 today and August 3 and sing for the 9:30am and 11am services. Music and robes will be provided.

## Adult Education

**Adult Education summer Sunday school classes run through July 27.** For information on class offerings, check the website, pick up a brochure from the literature racks around the church or contact Pastor Blair Smith.

## Adult Education Classes

### 9:30 Classes

**When People are Big & God is Small: Overcoming the Fear of Man** ..... Room 131  
*Todd Smedley & Rob Yancey*

**1 Peter** ..... Room 132  
*Terence Little & John Richards* (New Location)

### 11:00 Classes

**The Bible's Origin and Authority: Engaging Today's Questions** .....Room 130  
*Blair Smith & Tommy Myrick*

**Family Devotions: Ensuring a Godly Upbringing**.....Room 132  
*Various Teachers*

**Young Career Fellowship (20s to mid-30s) Nehemiah**.....Room 131  
*David O'Connell*