

Notes

This Week

Family Prayer Page

For the Week of November 16 - 22

Sunday, November 16

12:30pm	Nominating Committee	Room 130
12:30pm	Women's Breast Cancer Support Group	River House

Monday, November 17

9:30am	Body and Soul	Upper Room
1:00pm	Women's Prayer Gathering	Room 233B
7:00pm	Rebekah Circle (Bethesda/Potomac)	
7:30pm	Monday Night Moms Group	Offsite

Tuesday, November 18

6:30am	Men of Fourth Fellowship Breakfast	Upper Room
9:30am	Community Bible Study (CBS)	Upper Room
6:00pm	York Nativity Play Rehearsal	Upper Room

Wednesday, November 19

9:30am	Body and Soul	Upper Room
9:30am	Women's G2G Bible Study w/ Children's Program	Various Rooms
5:30pm	Congregational Prayer	Parlor
5:45pm	Middle School Bible Study—The Rock	Room 102
5:45pm	High School Bible Study—The Root	Room 007
5:45pm	New Member Dinner/Reception	Upper Room
7:30pm	Fourth Orchestra Rehearsal	Sanctuary

Thursday, November 20

8:15am	Landon/Holton Moms Prayer Group	Parlor
9:00am	Classical Conversations Homeschool Group	Room 007
9:45am	Moms in Prayer Bible Study	Room 142
10:30am	Thursday Morning Ladies Bible Study	Offsite
6:00pm	York Nativity Play Rehearsal	Upper Room
6:15pm	Evening Worship Team Rehearsal	Room 102
6:30pm	Cub Scout Pack 68	Room 131
7:00pm	Blending Families Care Group	Room 132A
7:30pm	Boy Scout Troop 68	Room 131
7:45pm	YCF Fellowship and Bible Study	Offsite
7:45pm	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary

Friday, November 21

9:30am	Body and Soul	Upper Room
10:30am	Women's Reformed Theology Reading Group	Room 130

Saturday, November 22

9:00am	York Nativity Play Rehearsal	Room 102
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We maintain the complete list of prayer needs of the congregation via the Churchwide email system. Printed copies are available in the Media Center. Prayer needs from the Fourth family 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 is printed in the bulletin monthly. Contact Laura Hardiman, lhardiman@4thpres.org, to subscribe to these emails.

Long Term Health Needs

Recuperating

Jeanne Okano
 Joyce Dubey
 Jane Motto
 Yaeko Tanigawa

Long Term Health Needs

Gene Beaumont
 Barbara Cummins
 Ed Davis

Fourth's Family Roster

Dennis and Donna Collins
 Mary Constable
 David and Christina Convis & family
 Chris and Beth Cook & family
 Richard and Ann Cook
 Alex Cooke

Unable to Attend Regularly

Leah Weiss

Missionary Prayer Request

Dave and Kathy Lanham, New Tribes Ministry, USA

Pray for grace and discerning wisdom as they interact with missionaries. Pray for continued traveling mercies as we travel to meet with different missionaries and host them in our home. Pray for Dave, as he helps with the Bible translation for the unreached Jalunga people.

Announcements for November 16 - 22

Women's Ministry

Jesus—The Gift and the Feast: Ladies, don't miss this year's Christmas Luncheon (11:30-1:30, \$15) and Dessert (7:30 pm, \$5) on Wednesday, December 3 in the Upper Room. Melissa Kruger, conference speaker and author of *The Envy of Eve*, will speak at both events, with special music at the luncheon by Lisa Jeffreys. Register online at 4thpres.org/registration by November 26 or stop by the table in Halverson Hall today or November 23. (Childcare is available during the luncheon, but a reservation is a must!) Your help is needed for set-up on December 2 at 10am or to serve during the luncheon. If you can help, contact jbronson@4thpres.org or 301-320-3434, x275.

Monday Night Moms—Moms of young children are invited to join other moms tomorrow, November 17, (tomorrow!) as Jessica Schick speaks about talking to our children about sexuality. Please RSVP to mondaynightmoms@4thpres.org.

Youth Ministry

Registration for Winter Retreat 2015 is NOW open! All middle and high school students are welcome to join us for an incredibly fun President's Day Weekend (February 13-16) at Teen Quest Ranch in Somerset, PA. Spaces are limited. Register online today for the early bird price of \$210 (ends 1/18). Email Chelsea at ccuster@4thpres.org with any questions.

Outreach

Shoes for every foot—a used shoe drive! Our sister church, Star of Bethlehem, has asked us to join them to make a big difference in Haiti by donating our used flat walking shoes. Tie your donated shoes together and drop them off in the box in the Welcome Center. For additional information, contact Pamela Roylance.

ESOL International Christmas Potluck—Don't miss Christmas Dinner with 50 of our new ESOL students and their families on Wednesday, December 10 at 7pm in the Upper Room. Let us know you're coming and what entree or dessert you'll bring. This is a wonderful opportunity to share the meaning of Christmas with the international community in Bethesda. RSVP to esol@4thpres.org

Faith in Action will be in Halverson Hall for the Christmas Outreach Ministry. The children are from Central Union Mission and from Prison Fellowship's Angel Tree Program. For information or to request a child, text or call Pamela.

New Members Reception

New Members Class #68 Dinner and Reception: Wednesday, November 19; dinner, 5:45pm, in the Upper Room. The Session meeting follows at 7pm as new members from Class #68 are accepted into membership. Everyone is invited to the dinner, the meeting, the fellowship, and to welcome our new members of Fourth. Purchase your dinner tickets (\$6) online at 4thpres.org/resources/registration/ or in Halverson Hall. Come; join us to witness and celebrate with the body of Christ.

Congregational Care

Young at Heart presents... Christmas Celebration Luncheon! Join us on Wednesday, December 10 at 11:30 am in the Upper Room for a catered lunch and Christmas carols with Adam Kunsberg and friends. Cost is \$5, please RSVP by December 1 to Laura Hardiman at 301-320-3434, x216, or lhardiman@4thpres.org.

Children's Ministry

It is time to register for the Children's Christmas Craft Workshop for all children grades 1-5 on December 6, 10am-noon. Make gifts for family and friends. Invite a friend to share in the fun. Bring a flat box to take crafts home. Cost is \$10 per child. Adult help is welcome! Register online at www.4thpres.org/registration

Save the Date: York Nativity Plays—Neighbors and friends are welcome at a Saturday Matinee of the York Nativity Plays, December 6, 2pm in the Upper Room, in addition to our Sunday Evening "Children's Celebration of Christmas" Performance December 7, 6pm. This is a unique opportunity to experience the Nativity Plays that are considered our earliest English dramas in Scripture and song, led by children. Recommended for children 4 and older. Contact Amanda Westly awestly@4thpres.org

Poinsettia Order Form

Here's one thing you can check off your Christmas list! Do it now. Order your Christmas poinsettias to decorate the Sanctuary. Consider ordering a plant in honor or in memory of a loved one.

Complete the following information and return it to the Church Office by Sunday, November 30th. Make your checks (\$12 per plant) payable to Fourth Presbyterian Church with a memo noting the Flower Ministry.

Contact Flower Committee Administrative Chair, Linda Rhodes.

Please print:

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