Today

Sunday, May 7

11:00am

Worship—8, 9:30, and 11am and 6pm		
8:00am	Childcare (infants-K)	Room 210
8:15am	Bells of the Trinity	Room 146

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9:30am	Childrens Sunday School (infants-gr 5)	Various Rooms
9:30am	Confessing Christ: Westminster Confession of I	Faith Room 131
9:30am	Pastors Class: The Gospel of John	Upper Room
9:30am	Special Blessings: Seekers Class (K-gr 5)	Room 215
9:30am	High School Sunday School	Room 007
9:30am	Middle School Sunday School	Room 102
9:30am	Intercessory Prayer for Sunday School	Room 121
10:50am	Covenant Choir (gr 4–8)	Room 144

Ring Forth! Room 146 10:50am Childrens Sunday School (*infants–K*) 11:00am Various Rooms Pastors Class: The Gospel of John Upper Room 11:00am Celebration Choir (gr 1–3) Room 202A 11:00am Special Blessings: Discoverers 11:00am Room 111B Special Blessings: Explorers & Bell Ringers Room 123 11:00am 11:00am Young Adults Room 131

Young Marrieds Fellowship

For more information visit our Welcome Center. Our Greeters will be happy to direct you.

This Week

Monday, May 8

9:30am	Body and Soul	Upper Room
1:00pm	Monday Prayer Gathering	Prayer Room
6:30pm	Abigail Circle	Offsite
7:15pm	Martha Circle	Offsite
7:30pm	Christian Mens Connection (CMC)	Offsite
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Tuesday, May 9

6:30am	Men of Fourth Fellowship Breakfast	Upper Room
7:00pm	Esther Circle	Offsite

Wednesday, May 10

Room 130

8:30am	Body and Soul	Upper Room
9:30am	G2G Bible Study w/ Childrens Program	Various Rooms
5:45pm	Fourth Night Dinner	Upper Room
7:00pm	Fourth Night for Children	Various Rooms
7:00pm	Concert of Prayer	Upper Room
7:00pm	ESOL	Various Room
7:30pm	Fourth Orchestra Rehearsal	Sanctuary

Thursday, May 11

8:30am	Holton and Landon Moms in Prayer	Prayer Room
10:30am	Womens Thursday Morning Bible Study	Offsite
1:00pm	Grief Share Support Group	Room 132A
7:30pm	Boy Scout Troop 68 Meeting	Room 131
7:45pm	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary

Friday, May 12

Body and Soul Upper Room

Saturday, May 13

3:00pm Womens Tea Upper Room

For more details and a complete listing of Fourth Church activities, please visit our website, www.4thpres.org/calendar.

Family Prayer Page

We maintain the complete list of prayer needs of the entire congregation via the churchwide e-mail system. Although only members' names appear in the bulletin, regular attenders and friends of Fourth Church are posted on our e-mail prayer lists; printed copies are available in the Media Center. A complete list of members with prayer needs is printed on the Family Prayer Page on the first Sunday of every month. Contact Charlotte FitzGerald at cfitzgerald@4thpres.org to subscribe to our prayer e-mails.

Recuperating		
Mackenzie Billigmeier	Hannah Jacobs	Jane Motto
Cleve Denny	Marion Johnson	Sue Phillips
Barbara Dolch	Russ Kuss	Jim Rowe
Dave Dubey	Carolyn Mallory	Barbara Stadelhofer
Dorothy Fortna	Jean Matzke	Yaeko Tanigawa
Maryalys Hopkins	Kim Mitchell	

Long Term Health Needs

Paisley Billigmeier	Sibyl Kitts	Hudson Pomponi
Dolores Dabney	AJ Monte	Jack Vrentas
Martha Dean	Anand Paul	

Fourth's Family Roster

John Thar	John & Renee Thoburn and family
Rob & Lois Thar	Bob & Jeri Thomas
Chris & Sarah Thatch and family	Cal Thomas
Melissa Thatch	Susan Thorpe

Unable to Attend Regularly

Bob Thomas

Missionary Prayer Requests

Swede and Judy Anderson, Cru (Campus Crusade for Christ)

After years in Executive Ministries in Eastern Europe, the Andersons returned to the States last year to work at Colorado State University. They continue to equip leaders to carry out Cru's motto, Win-Build-Send: lead people to faith in Christ; help people to grow; take people into evangelistic opportunities equipped to share their faith. Pray for Swede and Judy to have many opportunities to share among the 30,000 students at this university.

Churchwide

Communion will be served TODAY. For those requiring a gluten-free wafer, please alert the ushers as you enter the sanctuary.

As part of our continued effort to provide safety to our members, a police officer will be on the premises on Sunday mornings. If you have any questions, please contact Corey Gray at cgray@4thpres.org or 301-320-3600.

Help us celebrate births and adoptions in our family of faith by contacting Amanda Westly at awestly@4thpres.org with the news of your new son or daughter. Each month, on Communion Sunday, there will be a separate rose on the organ for each recent birth or adoption. We rejoice in the two roses on the organ this morning!

Congregational Care

Divorce Care—For those going through separation or divorce. Join us for a Bible-centered series including topical videos and confidential discussions led by Cheryl Murrill, facilitator. This semester runs through July 26 at Emmaus House, 5515 Ridgefield Road, Wednesdays, 7-9pm. Contact Charlotte FitzGerald in the Congregational Care Office at cfitzgerald@4thpres.org or 301-320-3600, x216 to register.

Faith-in-Action—Starting NEXT Sunday, May 14, 8–11:15am, the collections will take place in our lower parking lot. Food, clothing and small household appliances in good condition are appreciated. Look for the white tent in the corner of the lower lot. For additional information contact Pamela Roylance at faithinaction@4thpres.org.

New Visitor Welcome Lunch—We invite all visitors to a luncheon on May 21 in the Upper Room following our 11am service. The lunch is a great opportunity to meet some of our pastors and other members, and to learn about the ministries and activities here at Fourth. RSVP in the Welcome Center or to Charlotte FitzGerald in the Congregational Care Office at cfitzgerald@4thpres.org, 301-320-3600, x216.

Adult Discipleship

Adult Discipleship Sunday school classes for the spring semester conclude next Sunday, and the summer term begins June 11. Pick up a brochure in the literature racks around the church for information on class offerings. For more information, contact Kathy Lofberg at klofberg@pres.org or x265.

Mens Ministry

Christian Mens Connection (CMC) will meet TOMORROW at 7:30pm in the home of Tim Greszler. Men of all ages are invited. For more information, contact Rob Norris at mof@4thpres.org.

Men of Fourth Breakfast—THIS Tuesday, May 9, 6:30–7:30am. Enjoy brotherly fellowship over breakfast, share prayer needs and praises, and hear teaching by Dr. Todd Smedley and Dr. Robert Norris. Cost is \$4. The next Mens Breakfast is May 23.

Womens Ministry

Spring Tea—Register TODAY for this year's Spring Tea, THIS Saturday, May 13, 3–4:30pm in the Upper Room. We welcome speaker Abi Byrd, with Dave Klemm singing, delicious food served by the men of Fourth, and lots of fun for the little girls. The theme is "Across the Lands." You'll have the opportunity to sit at a table dedicated to a country that has special meaning to you. Register at 4thpres.org/registration or stop by the table in Halverson Hall. Women of all ages are invited.

Monday Night Moms—Monday, May 22 at 7:30pm we will discuss the book, *Parenting Is Your Highest Calling: And Eight Other Myths That Trap Us in Worry and Guilt* by Leslie Leyland Fields. Come regardless of whether you have read the whole book or just part of it. If you are able to bring a dessert, please indicate so in your response to mondaynightmoms@4thpres.org.

Concert of Prayer

THIS Wednesday, May 10 7-8pm in the Upper Room

Preceded by Fourth Night Dinner, 5:45-6:45pm

Join us for this time of guided prayer as we focus on Neighbor-Loving Service.

Childrens programming will be held in various classrooms.

Fourth Presbyterian Church

Committed to glorifying God by making disciples of Jesus Christ through:

Christ-Centered Worship

Our primary commitment is to worship the Triune God.

- Proclaiming the gospel through the whole counsel of God's Word on Sunday morning and evening
- Celebrating the sacraments of Baptism and the Lord's Supper as powerful signs and seals which impress upon us the grace of the gospel
- Delighting in his redemptive works, singing his praises, and giving for his glory

Gospel-Shaped Community

Our community life is shaped by the gospel of grace.

- Loving, serving, praying and promoting the peace and purity of the church together
- Bearing one another's burdens, rejoicing in one another's joys, and celebrating life in Christ together
- Growing in grace and maturing in Christ as we teach, learn, and apply the Scriptures

Kingdom-Advancing Multiplication

Our mission is to make disciples of all nations.

- Sharing the good news of the gospel and calling all to believe in and follow Jesus Christ
- Welcoming all who want to know more about the Christian faith
- Raising up and sending out missionaries to the ends of the earth

Neighbor-Loving Service

Our call is to serve our neighbors in loving witness to Jesus Christ.

- Demonstrating compassion and mercy to all in need
- Building relationships with our neighbors and being involved in our communities
- Partnering with other organizations that serve the needs of the poor and broken