

Today

TODAY

September 10

Worship—8, 9:30, 11am and 6pm

8:00am	Childcare (<i>infants-K</i>)	Room 210
8:00am	Faith in Action Collection	Lower Parking Lot
8:15am	Bells of the Trinity	Room146
9:15am	Articles of Incorporation Info Session	Room 233
9:30am	Childcare (<i>infants-K</i>)	Room 210
9:30am	Childrens Sunday School	Various Rooms
9:30am	Confessing Christ—Heidelberg Catechism	Room 131
9:30am	High School Sunday School	Room 007
9:30am	Middle School Sunday School	Room 111
9:30am	Pastors Class—1 & 2 Thessalonians	Upper Room
9:30am	Special Blessings—Seekers Sunday School	Room 215
10:50am	Covenant Choir Rehearsal	Room 144
10:50am	Ring Forth!	Room 146
11:00am	Bible Overview	Chapel/Room 142
11:00am	Childcare (<i>infants-K</i>)	Room 210
11:00am	High School Choir Rehearsal	Room 001
11:00am	Pastors Class—Amos/Hosea	Upper Room
11:00am	Special Blessings—Explorers & Handbells	Room 123
11:00am	Special Blessings—Discoverers Class	Room 218
11:00am	Young Adult Class	Room 131
11:00am	Young Married Fellowship	Room 130
11:10am	Cherub Church (<i>3 yr-PreK</i>)	Room 211
11:30am	Celebration Choir Rehearsal	Room 202
11:30am	Childrens Church (<i>K-gr 3</i>)	Room 211
12:15pm	Youth Parents Meeting	Room 007
12:30pm	Nominating Committee	Room 130

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

Concert of Prayer

TODAY

4:45pm in the Upper Room

Followed by Evening Worship at 6pm in the Sanctuary.

Join us for a time of directed small group prayer as we pray that our community life will be shaped by the gospel of grace.

This Week

Monday, September 11

9:30am	Body and Soul	Upper Room
6:30pm	Abigail Circle	Offsite
7:15pm	Martha Circle	Offsite
7:30pm	Christian Mens Connection (CMC)	Offsite

Tuesday, September 12

6:30am	Men of Fourth Breakfast	Upper Room
7:00pm	Esther Circle	Offsite
7:00pm	High School Well Groups	Offsite
7:30pm	Missions Committee	Room 131

Wednesday, September 13

8:15am	Landon & Holton Moms in Prayer	Prayer Room
9:30am	G2G Back to Bible Study Brunch	Upper Room
9:30am	G3 Childrens Program	Various rooms
5:45pm	Fourth Night Dinner	Upper Room
7:00pm	Middle School Rock	Room 102
7:00pm	The Apostles Creed	Upper Room
7:00pm	Ethics of Heaven	Room 131
7:00pm	ESOL	Halverson Hall
7:00pm	Fourth Night Childrens Program	Various Rooms
7:00pm	Fourth Night Womens Bible Study	Chapel/Room 142
7:00pm	Martin Luther—Life and Thought	Upper Room Alcove

Thursday, September 14

12:30pm	Body and Soul	Upper Room
1:00pm	Grief Share	Room 132
7:30pm	Boy Scout Troop 68	Room 131
7:45pm	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary

Friday, September 15

10:30am	Womens Reformed Theology Reading Group	Room 132A
3:30pm	Middle/High School Fall Retreat departure	Lower Parking Lot

Saturday, September 16

9:30am	NOVA Circle	Offsite
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**For more details and a complete listing of Fourth 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

Jan Bauman	Marion Johnson
Linda Beall	Russ Kuss
Charles Brady	Jean Matzke
Catherine Collins	Mae McNamara
Rachel Fast	Jane Motto
Clark Foulke	Jenny, Joseph and Peter Mutryn
Maryalys Hopkins	Estelle Wittholz
Chris Istrati	

Long Term Health Needs

Dolores Dabney	Jeri Thomas
Martha Dean	Jack Vrentas

Fourth's Family Roster

Linda & Richard Wyatt	Lina Zenni
Carl & Karen Wylie	James & Joanna Zhang and family
Tim & Rebecca Wynne and family	James & Louisa Ziglar and family

Unable to Attend Regularly

Ms. Amreta Scott

Missionary Prayer Requests

Mike and Patti Garver, The International Foundation

Please pray for Mike to have love and wisdom as he mentors congressional staff on Capitol Hill, for Patti to gain strength as she struggles with health, for Audrey (their multiply disabled daughter) to continue developing, and for their neighborhood outreach and their ministering to other parents of disabled children.

Congregational Meeting

The Session has called a meeting of the congregation for September 24, at 12:30pm in the Sanctuary. At that time, proposed amendments to the Articles of Incorporation will be voted on. The Articles of Incorporation were originally filed in 1956 and need to be updated.

In preparation for the meeting, members of the Bylaws Review Committee will be available in Room 233, TODAY and NEXT Sunday, 9:15am-12:30pm to answer questions. Printed copies of the proposed Article amendments; resolutions from Session and the present Board of Trustees recommending the passage of the amendments; and minutes from pertinent Session meetings will be available.

Bus service will run until 1:30pm.

Childrens Ministry

Beginning TODAY, during the 9:30 hour, children previously registered are invited to the following rooms:

Nursery—135	K—212
Crawlers—210	1st—215
Toddlers—117	2nd—202
2s/3s (age 2 by 8/31)—112	3rd—201A
3s/4s (age 3 by 8/31)—110	4th—203
4s/PreK (age 4 by 8/31)—133	5th—200
Special Blessings (children)—218	

If you are new to Fourth, please stop by the Welcome Center in the Children’s area so we can welcome you and escort you to your child’s classroom.

Outreach

What is Alpha? Lunch and Learn—NEXT Sunday, September 17, 12:15pm. Held at a home near the church, this complimentary lunch is for those wishing to learn about or get reconnected with this program on basic Christianity. Anyone with a friend interested in the fall course may also wish to attend. To sign up or for more information, email alpha@4thpres.org.

New Members Class

September 24—November 12. If you are considering membership or want to learn more about Fourth, please go to our website at 4thpres.org/membership to read about the class, see the schedule, and register. Classes meet at 11am in Room 102, culminating with a dinner and reception on Wednesday, November 15. For more information email Ralph Miller at newmembers@4thpres.org.

Parish Ministry

To learn more about our new shepherding effort through parishes and to register for your parish lunch in October, go online, at 4thpres.org/registration, or visit the tables in Halverson Hall TODAY!

Music Ministry

Fourth’s Music Ministry kicks-off TODAY. Registration forms are available in the Music Office. See our website 4thpres.org/music for more information, or email Diana Mears at dimears@4thpres.org.

Urban Ministry

Faith in Action—NEXT Sunday. Food, clothing and small household appliances in good condition are appreciated. Come to the Lower Parking Lot between 8–11:15am. Contact Pamela Roylance at faithinaction@4thpres.org.

Youth Ministries

Parents Meeting—TODAY in Room 007 following the 11am worship service. Pizza lunch provided. We’ll discuss discipling and caring for students. Childcare with pizza provided.

Fall Retreat, September 15–17—All middle and high school students are encouraged to attend this weekend at Camp Sandy Cove in West Virginia. Sign up at 4thpres.org/registration.

Middle and high school students in VA are invited on Fridays for breakfast and a short Bible study before school, 7–7:45am. Contact Nate at nrobbins@4thpres.org if interested.

Womens Ministry

G2G begins this coming Wednesday, 9/13, with a Back-to-Bible Study Brunch (for those ladies who have registered). If you have not registered and would like to, please stop by the table in Halverson Hall today between services. For ladies who have registered, stop by to pick up your curriculum.

Circles are monthly gatherings for women of all ages, meeting in neighborhoods for friendship, prayer and mentoring as they delve into God’s Word. Pick up the latest Womens Ministry brochure to find out more.

The Reformed Theology Reading Group meets THIS Friday, September 15 to discuss chapter 3, v. 7-10 of Martin Luther’s Commentary on Galatians. We meet in Room 132A, 10:30am–noon. All women are welcome. Questions? Email Esther Steele at rtreading@4thpres.org.

Women’s Cancer Support Group (previously known as Bosom Buddies) will meet next Sunday, 9/17, in Room 132B at 12:15pm for a light lunch and conversation with Dr. Norris. If you are newly diagnosed, in treatment, or presently cancer-free, join us. RSVP to womenssupport@4thpres.org.

Adult Discipleship

Sunday School begins TODAY and continues through December 3. See class listings in the “Today” section.

Community Groups

Community Groups start again THIS WEEK; some begin TODAY. We encourage you to find a group that meets in your neighborhood or at a time that fits your schedule. Contact the group host by visiting 4thpres.org/groups.

Congregational Care

New Visitor Welcome Luncheon—All visitors are invited to a luncheon NEXT Sunday in the Upper Room following our 11am service. This is an opportunity to meet pastors and leaders, and learn about the ministries and activities here at Fourth. Please join us. RSVP in the Welcome Center or to Charlotte FitzGerald in the Congregational Care Office at cfitzgerald@4thpres.org or 301-320-3600, x216.

Fourth Night

Begins THIS Wednesday, September 13 and continues through November 8. See “This Week” section for classes for children, adults, and childcare.

- 5:30–6:15pm / Prayer / Prayer Room
- 5:45–6:45pm / Dinner / Upper Room
- 7–8pm / Classes and programs for all ages in various rooms

For more information, go to 4thpres.org/adults or contact Kathy Lofberg, klofberg@4thpres.org. Brochures can be found throughout the church.

Mens Ministry

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

Men of Fourth Breakfast—THIS Tuesday, September 12, 6:30–7:30am. Enjoy brotherly fellowship over breakfast, share prayer needs and praises, and hear teaching from Todd Smedley or Rob Norris. Cost is \$4. The next Men’s Breakfast is September 26.

Outreach

ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages)—Classes begin THIS Wednesday. We welcome internationals to share a meal from 5:45–6:45pm and attend English classes from 7–9pm. Please pass along this information. Flyers are available throughout the church. Contact Bill Bronson at esol@4thpres.org for more information.