

Today

October 22

Worship 8, 9:30, and 11am and 6pm

8:00am	Childcare (<i>infants-K</i>)	Room 210
8:15am	Bells of the Trinity	Room 146
9:30am	Childcare (<i>infants-K</i>)	Various Rooms
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 102
9:30am	Pastors Class—1 & 2 Thessalonians	Upper Room
9:30am	Special Blessings—Seekers (<i>K-5</i>)	Room 218
9:30am	Spiritual Foundations of Marriage	Chapel/Room 142
10:50am	Covenant Choir Rehearsal	Room 144
10:50am	Ring Forth!	Room 146
11:00am	Bible Overview	Chapel/Room 142
11:00am	Childcare & Cherub Church (<i>infants-PreK</i>)	Various Rooms
11:00am	High School Choir Rehearsal	Room 001
11:00am	New Members Class	Room 102
11:00am	Pastors Class—Amos/Hosea	Upper Room
11:00am	Special Blessings—Explorers & Handbells	Room 123
11:00am	Special Blessings—Discoverers Class (<i>K-5</i>)	Room 218
11:00am	Young Adult Class	Room 131
11:00am	Young Married Fellowship	Room 130
11:30am	Celebration Choir Rehearsal	Room 202
11:30am	Childrens Church	Room 212
12:30pm	Parish 4 Lunch	Upper Room
4:30pm	Nominating Committee	Room 130

For more information, visit our Welcome Center.

If you have children, please visit our Children's Welcome Center also.

Our Greeters will be happy to direct you.

This Week

Monday, October 23

9:30 am	Body and Soul	Room 201
1:00pm	Monday Prayer Gathering	Prayer Room
7:30pm	Monday Night Moms Group	Offsite

Tuesday, October 24

6:30am	Mens Fellowship Breakfast	Upper Room
7:00pm	The Well Groups—High School	Offsite

Wednesday, October 25

8:15am	Landon & Holton Moms In Prayer	Prayer Room
8:30am	Body and Soul	Room 201
9:30am	G2G Bible Study	Various Rooms
9:30am	G3 Childrens Program	Various Rooms
5:30pm	Congregational Prayer	Prayer Room
5:45pm	Fourth Night Dinner	Upper Room
5:45pm	Middle School Rock	Room 102
7:00pm	Special Blessing Explorers	Room 123
7:00pm	The Apostles Creed	Upper Room Alcove
7:00pm	Christian Ethics	Room 131
7:00pm	ESOL	Various Rooms
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, October 26

10:30am	Thursday Ladies Bible Study	Offsite
12:30pm	Body and Soul	Upper Room
1:00pm	Grief Share	Room 132
7:30pm	Boy Scout Troop 68 Meeting	Room 131
7:45pm	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary

Friday, October 27

9:30am	Body and Soul	Room 201
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Saturday, October 28

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

Martha Jo Cappellari	Carolyn Sauer
Jane Manning	Howard Wetzell
Mae McNamara	

Long Term Health Needs

Lila Batdorff	Beth Gordon
Dolores Dabney	Jane Motto
Martha Dean	Jim Rowe
Clark Foulke	Jeri Thomas
Patti Garver	

Fourth's Family Roster

Jeremy & Sarah Baker and family	Jack Balch
Anna Balch	Fritz & Elaine Balsam
Chuck & Carolyn Balch	

Unable to Attend Regularly

Leah Weiss

Missionary Prayer Requests

Diana Schick, Creative Living International

Diana produces Bible studies that are shipped all over the world. Pray that each book opened will help the person using it draw close to God. The Schicks also lead optional Sunday morning classes on Christianity at Lackland Air Force Base in Texas where attendance is high and many make decisions to follow Christ.

Parish Ministry

The lunch for Parish 4—Eastern Montgomery County is TODAY in the Upper Room at 12:30pm. If you live in Parish 4, we look forward to seeing you there. For those of you in Parish 5, there is still time to register for your lunch. Please do so either online at www.4thpres.org/registration or by calling the Church Office at 301-320-3600.

Church-wide

SAVE THE DATE for Vision Sunday: November 12, 12:30pm in the Upper Room. Learn what is planned for serving and growing in Christ as a church in 2018 and beyond.

The Nominating Committee asks you to recommend Fourth members for consideration as Ruling Elders, Deacons and Trustees. Prayerfully gauge interest and obtain consent prior to submitting an individual's name. Forms are available in the Media Center, Church Office, and online at 4thpres.org/nominations. Return completed forms as soon as possible to the designated folder in the Church Office. For more information, contact Chair Joe Fisher or Vice-Chair Bob Reiter at nominations@4thpres.org.

From the Finance Office—To receive tax credit for cash contributions to Fourth Church, the gift must be accompanied by your name and address, clearly written. Giving envelopes with preprinted names and addresses are mailed out on a quarterly basis. Envelopes are also available in the pews. If you would like to receive giving envelopes, or if you do not use your giving envelopes and prefer not to receive them, please contact Ruth Williams at 301-320-3600, x241 or rwilliams@4thpres.org.

Spiritual Foundations of Marriage

Spiritual Foundations of Marriage class meets at 9:30am in the Chapel (Room 142) and continues through December 3. Taught by Katie Chamberlin, this class addresses many areas of married life and is open to seriously dating, engaged, and newly married couples who are seeking resources for married life. It is a required course for couples getting married at Fourth Church. Email sfom@4thpres.org for more information.

Outreach

Our ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) ministry needs new teachers, teaching assistants, and substitute teachers to join our team on Wednesday nights from 7-9pm. We have more international students enrolled in the program than ever before, and we need more help! Prior teaching experience is helpful, but not necessary. If you or someone you know would like to get involved in this exciting ministry, please email Bill Bronson at esol@4thpres.org.

Be a part of Operation Welcome Mat! Would you like to minister to internationals by sharing a meal or outing during the Thanksgiving and Christmas seasons? It is a tangible way for an international student or an ESOL family to experience American culture and friendship through our church community. Look for John Thar at our table in Halverson Hall on November 5 or sign up in the Welcome Center or email Charlotte FitzGerald in the Missions Office at cfitzgerald@4thpres.org for more information.

Deacons

The Deacons wish to serve members of our family in need of financial assistance and prayer. We help with needs such as medical expenses, housing, transportation, utilities, clothing and food. Contact us by calling 301-320-3600, x 223, and leaving a message. A Deacon who is on duty will call you back within a day, listen to your need, and set up an appointment for the following Sunday morning if the Deacons can assist with that need.

Operation Cornucopia aka the Thanksgiving Bag Project is well underway. There are only two more Sundays to get your nominations submitted. The deadline for nomination forms is Sunday, October 29. Yellow nomination forms are available in the Church Office and Media Center. If there's someone on your heart who needs help this holiday season, please fill out a form, drop it off at the Church Office and we'll do the rest.

Childrens Ministry

Would you consider helping on Sunday mornings at the 9:30 hour? We need more helpers to serve weekly, once or twice a month, or for a season. If you can help, or for more information, contact Paige Malkus at pmalkus@4thpres.org or x218.

Media Center

Did you know the Media Center has an online catalog? You can access the Online Public Access Catalog (OPAC) by using the link below to search for materials that are in both the Main Library and Children's Library. Type the link exactly how it is below into the internet browser on your computer to start searching! <https://4thpresbethesda.booksys.net/opac/fpcb>.

Mens Ministry

Men of Fourth Breakfast—THIS Tuesday, October 24, 6:30-7:30am. Enjoy brotherly fellowship over breakfast, share prayer needs and praises, and hear teaching by Rev. Ron Meyer. Cost is \$4. The next Men's Breakfast is November 7.

Mens Fall Conference—Saturday, November 11, 9am-2pm. Men of Fourth are invited to this time of fellowship, encouragement and biblical teaching. The theme of the conference is "Temptations Men Face—Power, Pleasure, and Possessions" and will be taught by Dr. Todd Smedley and Dr. Robert Norris. Register online at 4thpres.org/registration or in Halverson Hall between services. The \$12 fee includes donuts, coffee, and lunch. Contact Tom Dolch for more information at mofevents@4thpres.org.

Womens Ministry

Refreshments needed! Womens Ministry will be providing a light lunch on Vision Sunday, November 12, and we need your help. Please stop by the table in Halverson Hall TODAY and let us know what you can bring. The menu consists of cheese with crackers, veggies, fruit, and cookies. Help is also needed for set-up.

Monday Night Moms—Join this group of moms of young children TOMORROW evening, October 23 at 7:30pm for a conversation with our new Children's Director, Paige Malkus. Contact mondaynightmoms@4pres.org for location or more information.