



## Daily Highlights

### Tuesday, February 8

- Pre-events, including **Chicago Presbytery Commission on Anti-racism and Equity's Let's Talk about Racism and Next Step Towards Anti-racism**, begin at Fourth Presbyterian Church and the hotel.
- An afternoon outdoor tour, **Chicago Icons: Connecting Past and Present**, is available at the Chicago Architecture Center (CAC).

### Wednesday, February 9 – Connecting Circles of Faith

- A morning indoor tour, **Illinois Center Pedway Tour**, at the Chicago Architecture Center (CAC) is available.
- Pre-event, **Draw Our Circles Wider**, with **Lib Caldwell** and **Ted Hiebert**, meets at Fourth Presbyterian.
- **Marketplace, Bookstore, and Spirituality Center** are open.
- **Conversation Circles** gather around topics of interest.

**Circle of Faith: 50 years + one & beyond officially begins at 2:30 p.m. with opening worship, led by Mark Miller, music, Cathy Caldwell Hoop, liturgist, Shannon Kershner, preacher, and Rodger Nishioka, plenary.**

**Regional Gatherings with Communion and welcome dinner including entertainer CARRIE NEWCOMER with pianist Gary Walters in concert complete the evening!**

### Thursday, February 10 – Enriching and Empowering Circles of Faith

- **Morning worship features Ozzie E. Smith, Jr., preacher and jazz saxophonist, and Jacqui Lewis, plenary.**
- **APCE Corporation Lunch with Empower and Sustain Awards presentations.**
- **Jacqui Lewis empowers through plenary.**

**Authors' sign books during the Marketplace and Bookstore extended hour, with plenty of time left to explore Chicago on free night.**

### Friday, February 11 – Empowering and Sustaining Circles of Faith

- **Join Lis Valle, preacher, and Christy Melby-Gibbons, plenary, for morning worship.**
- **Diversity Task Force lunch** at Fourth Presbyterian Church (space limited, registration required)
- **Workshops**, including offsite and extended, lead to **Rodger Nishioka's plenary.**

**Community and cocktails, the 50 years + one Anniversary Celebration Dinner, and the Enrich Award presentation complete the evening!**

### Saturday, February 12 – Sustaining Circles of Faith

- **Explore sustaining ministries with APCE's five denominational partners' panel.**
- **Closing worship with Mark, Cathy, and Rodger will send us on our way.**
- **Some will fly or drive away; others will attend So, Now What? – a post-event coaching experience.**