



## The Labyrinth Walk Thursday, October 27, 2016

### Welcome to St. Peter's Episcopal Church

The Altar flowers are given in thanksgiving to our Lord,  
and for peace and harmony in the Middle East, by Fereshtah Maynard.

### Volunteer of the Week

Congrats to Kelley Renee King, our Volunteer of the Week!

Kelley, who grew up in Oregon, Illinois, New York, Arkansas and Missouri has been a member of St Peter's for 24 years! During that time she has served twice on the Vestry, on numerous Stewardship and Capital Campaign committees, Oktoberfest dinner, Newcomers, College Dinners, Journey to Adulthood class, volunteered with and hosted dinners for the EYC. Currently Kelley loves on our church family by serving as an Eucharistic minister on Sunday and Wednesday nights (she also coordinates the Wednesday night schedule), as a member of Ministry Team 2, and as our current secretary to the vestry. When not working as an RN, CWOCN at Conway Regional Health System, Kelley, who is married to Mike King, dotes on animals of all kinds, especially their crazy Boston Terrier, "Edward G Robinson King", and their two cats, Zelda and Demo. She describes herself as "one of those people who would adopt ALL the animals in need of a home, if I didn't have someone to keep me in check." Kelley also loves being outdoors when the weather is cool, gardening, the Arts and listening to music, and is most happy when being social. Which might explain why she is such a bright addition to our family, shining her cheerful light all around St. Peter's! Thank you for loving us so well Kelley! We love you!



### Check in on Facebook!

Be sure and check in on Facebook when you come to services at St. Peter's! The more times you like the posts on the church's facebook page, and the more times you check in at church, the more Facebook will show our posts to others!



### All Saints' Day Eucharist

**November 1, 2016**

**7:00pm**

### Christ Church-Little Rock

All churches in the central convocation of the Episcopal Church in Arkansas are cordially invited to All Saints' Day Eucharist at Christ Church, Tuesday, Nov. 1, at 7 p.m. The Christ Church choir will sing music from Requiem, Gabriel Fauré's Mass for the Dead, which focuses on eternal rest and consolation. The Rev. Amber Carswell, associate priest at Trinity Cathedral, will be the preacher. After the service, there will be a festive reception in the gallery.

## All Saint's Sunday: November 6, 2016

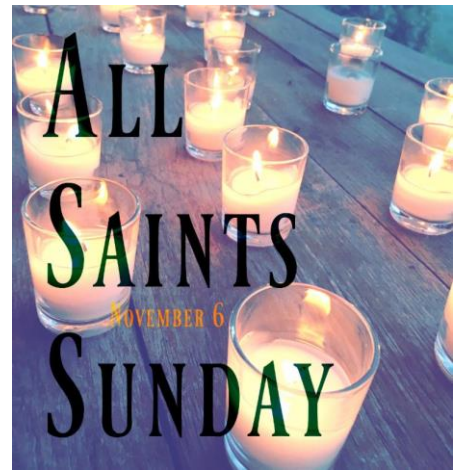
Join in as we honor the Saints who have gone on before us. The morning celebration will include:

A Memorial Feast - (between services) - help celebrate the memories of your loved ones by bringing a favorite family treat to share during our Coffee Hour fellowship time.

Candlelit Gallery Prayer Station in the Side Chapel - (all morning) - Please send digital photo's of any loved ones you would like to honor to [Jerusalem.Greer@Stpetersconway.com](mailto:Jerusalem.Greer@Stpetersconway.com) by October 28.

A Prayer Service in the Columbarium - (following the 11am service.) - Please submit names for prayer on the list provided in the Narthex and Lobby.

Questions? Contact Jerusalem



## SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT

### Morning Prayer

Join us every Tuesday and Thursday for Morning Prayer at 7 am in the Side Chapel, led by The Brotherhood of Saint Andrew.

### Adult Forum

This coming Sunday is the conclusion of Einstein, Relativity & Religion. We will be completing general relativity and reading together and discussing a 1931 essay of Einstein's "Strange is Our Situation Here Upon Earth." Join us at 10:00 a.m. in the library to view and discuss how the resurrection of Jesus molds our faith.

### After-noon Bible Study

Monday Noon Bible Study had changed its name and meeting time to Afternoon Bible Study and will meet Monday's at 12:15pm in the Library.

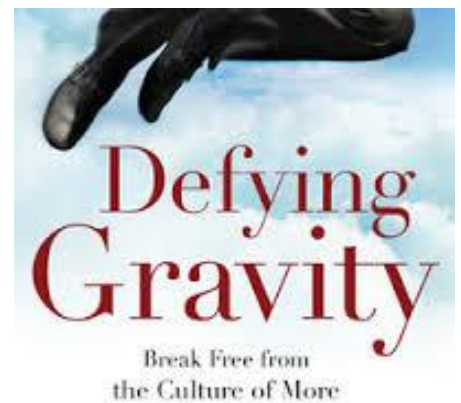
### Defying Gravity Small Group Book Studies November 6 - November 30 (taking off Thanksgiving week)

Two Time Options: Sunday's at 4:00pm and Wednesday's at 5:30pm, both on the Christian Ed Hallway

Childcare provided on Wednesdays and by request on Sunday's

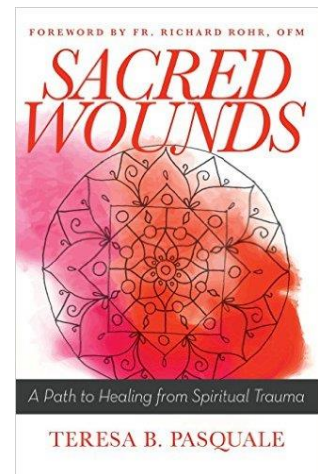
Do you ever feel like your life and your possessions control you and your family, instead of the other way around? As the holiday season grows closer, do you are you feeling the weight of years of accumulated objects, as well as the expectation of more to come? Do you think of generosity as something about which to be intentional? If any of these questions spark an interest, then join us for a small group book study of Tom Berlin's Defying Gravity: Break Free from the Culture of More beginning this Sunday.

Vestry members will be leading two different groups of this four-week book study (skipping Thanksgiving Week). One group will meet Sundays at 4 pm and another group will meet Wednesdays at 5:30 pm; feel free to switch back and forth between the groups depending upon your schedule. If you would like the church to order a book for you, please contact the church office. For Sunday childcare please email [Jerusalem.Greer@stpetersconway.com](mailto:Jerusalem.Greer@stpetersconway.com)



**Spiritual Growth Gathering - Sacred Wounds: A Path to Healing from Spiritual Trauma**  
**Sunday Mornings, 10:00AM,**  
**Beginning November 6**  
**The Morgan House**

Join Rebecca Billy for this Sunday morning small group discussion hour, focusing on the nature of emotional wounds, trauma, and spiritual hurt that come from negative religious experience. Some of the discussion, centered about the book Sacred Wounds, will include: Stories from a wide range of persons hurt by negative religious experience, healing and contemplative practices to help readers explore their own spiritual story and practical ways to move towards personal healing. A journey through the experience of trauma in religious settings and how it is both relatable to other forms of trauma and distinctive -- outlining both facets and an exploration of the author's own personal and professional understanding of hurt, trauma, PTSD, and the power of resiliency and healing. Questions? Email Rebecca Billy or [Jerusalem.Greer@stpetersconway.com](mailto:Jerusalem.Greer@stpetersconway.com)  
Check out the book here: [https://www.amazon.com/Sacred-Wounds-Healing-Spiritual-Trauma/dp/0827235372/ref=sr\\_1\\_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1477410872&sr=8-1&keywords=sacred+wounds](https://www.amazon.com/Sacred-Wounds-Healing-Spiritual-Trauma/dp/0827235372/ref=sr_1_1?ie=UTF8&qid=1477410872&sr=8-1&keywords=sacred+wounds)



**ECW Fall Gathering**  
**October 28 - 29, 2016**

The Episcopal Church Women's annual Fall Gathering will be held October 28 -29, 2016, at Camp Mitchell. The event will kick off with a gourmet dinner and wine tasting Friday evening. The Rev. Carey Stone, Rector for St. Luke's in North Little Rock, will present on the Lord's Prayer, and the Rev. Merry Helen Hodges will lead a Cosmic Walk Ritual. For more information and to register, go here:  
<http://arkansasecw.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/09/Fall-Gathering-brochure-5.pdf>

**Newcomer Gathering**  
**November 5, 2016**

Are you new to St. Peter's? Do you like to eat? Would you maybe like to be connected to other newcomers and long time members? Then this is a gathering for you!  
Light brunch at the home of Veronica and Simon Makepeace  
13 Stonehenge Drive, Conway, AR 72043  
RSVP: [vmakepeace@uca.edu](mailto:vmakepeace@uca.edu)



**ECW Women's Holiday Gathering**  
**The Morgan House**  
**December 3, 2016**  
**5:00PM**

Calling all St. Peter's Ladies! You are cordially invited to an evening of friendship, fun, faith, and fancy-ish finger foods. We will gather at The Morgan House on December 3 for an early celebration of the Feast of St. Lucy, a woman who brought food to the hungry and light to poor. More details coming soon!



# CALENDAR

Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday
October 27	October 28	October 29	October 30	October 31
<b>7:00am</b> Morning Prayer <b>2:00pm</b> Ennegaram (Lib) <b>7:00pm</b> Bible Study (MH)	<b>4:00pm</b> Conway Locally Grown (PH) <b>6:00pm</b> Girl Scouts 6057 (MH)	<b>9:00am</b> Food Pantry	<b>7:30am</b> Rite I Holy Eucharist <b>9:00am</b> EOW Eucharist <b>10:00am</b> Adult Forum Family Formation Choir Practice <b>11:00am</b> Rite II Holy Eucharist <b>1:30pm</b> Christmas Pageant Meeting (Lobby) <b>4:00pm</b> Defying Gravity (Lib) <b>7:00pm</b> Contemplative Quaker Fellowship (Classroom 4)	<b>11:15am</b> Centering Prayer <b>12:15pm</b> After-noon Bible Study (Lib) <b>2:00pm</b> EfM <b>5:30pm</b> SLS (MH) <b>6:00pm</b> Narcotics Anonymous (PH)

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
November 1	November 2	November 3	November 4	November 5
<b>7:00am</b> Morning Prayer <b>6:00pm</b> EfM <b>7:00pm</b> College Dinners (PH)	<b>12:00pm</b> Brown Bag Book Club (Lib) <b>5:00pm</b> EYC (PH) <b>5:30pm</b> Defying Gravity (Classroom 2) <b>5:30pm</b> The Fledgling Writing Group <b>6:00pm</b> Narcotics Anonymous (MH) <b>7:00pm</b> Holy Eucharist and Prayers for Healing	<b>7:00am</b> Morning Prayer <b>2:00pm</b> SLS Planning (Lib) <b>6:30pm</b> Girl Scouts 6342 (PH) <b>7:00pm</b> Fall Bible Study (MH)	<b>4:00pm</b> Conway Locally Grown (PH) <b>6:30pm</b> Foyers (MH)	<b>9:00am</b> Food Pantry <b>9:00am</b> Thanksgiving Basket Sign up <b>10:00am</b> Narcotics Anonymous Regional Meeting (MH) <b>10:30am</b> Newcomers Brunch

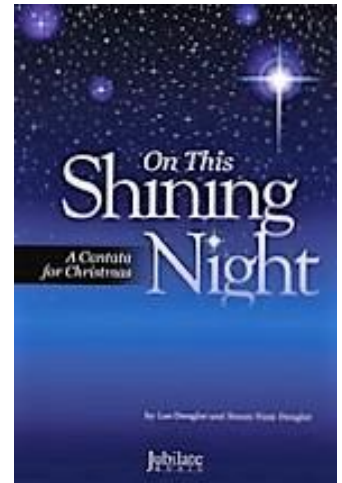
## Save the Date:

November 22, 2016  
Turkey Basket Day!

December 11, 2016:  
Choir Christmas Cantata *On This Shining Night*  
11:00am Service

December 24, 2016  
Christmas Eve Family Service and Pageant  
5:00pm

December 24, 2016  
Christmas Eve Candlelight Service  
8:00pm



## COLLEGE MINISTRIES

### College Dinner Schedule Parish Hall 7:00pm

November 1st  
November 8th  
November 15th  
THANKSGIVING BREAK  
November 29th---Potluck provided by St. Peter's members and friends.



## CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES

### Peace, Love, St. Peter's T-Shirts - BACK IN STOCK!

Available in the office starting Monday and on Sunday mornings starting on October 16.

Or you can email:

[Jerusalem at Jerusalem.Greer@stpetersconway.com](mailto:Jerusalem@Jerusalem.Greer@stpetersconway.com)

All proceeds go to help our youth and kids go to Camp Mitchell!



### Junior Daughters of the King Candlelight Service of Preparation for Membership November 9, 2016 7 pm

A Junior Daughters of the King Chapter for girls in grades five through twelve will be forming at St. Peter's. A Candlelight Service of Preparation for Membership will be part of the 7 pm Service on Wednesday, November 9th. There will be a reception immediately after the service for parents and daughters. Please plan to attend if your daughter is participating. For more information or questions, contact Gloria Parker (501-499-2220) or Dinah Reed (501-730-8345).



**Christmas Eve Pageant Time!**  
**First Meeting - Oct 30, 2016**  
**1:30pm**

This year we will be using a script called A Mary Carol by author/pastor/mother Katherine Willis Pershey as our base.

We will also be having another youth orchestra with Christopher Walters as our director, so all musicians are invited to join in!

The script as it stands now has 8 speaking parts, including two Mary and Joseph combos of varying ages. It also has several non-speaking parts and the beloved Angel/Donkey/Sheep Choir for our littlest kids (ages 8 and under.)

Our first meeting for all who are interested is Oct 30, 1:30PM - this will be for simple, non-scary auditions and for deciding on costumes!

Adult volunteers are welcome (especially if you are good at wrangling Angel Choirs!)  
See Jerusalem for more info!



**2016 ADVENT EVENT EXTRAORDINAIRE!**  
**Sunday November 27, 2016**  
**4:00PM - 7:00 PM**

Let us begin Advent together, serving and celebrating!

**Advent Event Schedule**

**4:00-5:00PM - Service Fair** - Do you volunteer in an organization outside of St. Peter's walls? Would you like to share the good that this organization does with your church family? Set up a booth at our Service Fair in the church lobby! Are you looking for a community organization to get involved with, then come see with your St. Peter's brothers and sisters are up to! Email [Jerusalem.Greer@stpetersconway.com](mailto:Jerusalem.Greer@stpetersconway.com) to reserve your booth space.

**5:00-6:00PM - Family Feast Fiesta** - Join us for a fiesta themed- potluck-style as we celebrate the Eucharist around the dinner table as a family! Bring a Mexican inspired dish or taco toppings to share.

**6:00-7:00PM - Advent Activity Time** - Crafts, games, activities, and more will be available for everyone to participate in and every household will leave with tactile ways to celebrate Advent at home.

To volunteer to help with this event or for questions please contact Jerusalem Greer at [Jerusalem.greer@stpetersconway.com](mailto:Jerusalem.greer@stpetersconway.com)

**Electronic Release Forms**

Parents and Guardians - In order to better serve you and your children we have created an online registration and release form for the 2016-2017 ministry year. Please fill this form for each of your children. We will use these in cases of emergencies, outings, and trips. None of the information you provide will be made public or given out without your permission.

Thank you!

<http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=obf5sodab&oeidk=a07ed3hquotekea889b12>

# FOOD PANTRY

## A Letter of Thanks

This letter is written to express my gratitude for the assistance that I have received from the fine people at St. Peter's. For several years I have received food items that have helped me and my family to enjoy good food. While the food is certainly been a help to us, what makes the experience so much more is the care and compassion of the working staff of the pantry. They are helpful, friendly, and encouraging. It is a joy just to visit with them for the short time that I am there once a month. I do believe that the Lord of creation approves of what is being done by St. Peter's.

Your Friend,  
M.S.

## Help Out the Food Pantry

Don't forget your items to bring this Sunday! You may also drop off items in the church lobby anytime during the week. With your help we are able to provide food to those in need.

**Sunday, October 30, 2016**

**Canned fruit, potatoes, onions.**

\*\*If you are bringing fresh produce to donate, please contact someone with a key and see that it is placed in the Food Pantry refrigerators.

## Pantry Musings

Buechner writes about the importance of memory to our faith in *Telling Secrets*. One sentence that is important to me, at least, is: "The God of biblical faith is the God who meets us at those moments in which for better or worse we are being most human, most ourselves, and if we lose touch with those moments, if we don't stop from time to time to notice what is happening to us, and around us, and inside us, we run the tragic risk of losing touch with God, too. [35-36]." What is memory if it is not a grasping and shaping of reality? When we first see God's actions in our histories they appear one way and the next time they are different. Later on they take on very different shapes indeed. Each time they assume a new shape, a new function. It is all the same event, but our memory needs to lift up a new insight. We are not crazy or lying, we just remember it differently. Buechner is saying that we need to repeatedly call up those moments to know and to understand the history of God in our lives, in order to remember them and to claim them. I am saying that they will not always look the same, and that we should grasp them and shape them into moments that we can remember. Have you ever thought of memory in this way?

~Ann Drake

## PROVIDE A THANKSGIVING MEAL FOR A FAMILY IN NEED FOR \$50!

-Monetary donations can be given to John in the church office or placed in the offering plate.

-Please make checks payable to St. Peter's Episcopal Church and note 'THANKSGIVING' in the memo line/

-Non-perishable food items can be dropped off in the church lobby.

Please designate them as 'THANKSGIVING'

-Any leftover food or funds donated will go directly to the food pantry.

Please call St. Peter's Episcopal Church at 501-329-8174 with any questions you may have or email Christy Garrett-Jones at [cdjones1976@yahoo.com](mailto:cdjones1976@yahoo.com).

# CHURCH FINANCIALS

## Discretionary Fund

All \$1 bills in the offering plate will go to the Discretionary Fund.

## Direct Withdrawals Update

In accordance with a recommendation from our CPA, Ms. Debbie Turner, we will be shifting the dates on which Direct Deposits are made each month. Instead of the first and the fifteenth of each month they will be made on the fifth and the twentieth. The new dates will begin in mid October. This accounting decision will help our members and St. Peter's Church to clarify year end as well as month to month giving totals.

Direct deposit has a wonderfully stabilizing effect on our ability to keep our financial life in tune, and we invite more of our members to sign up. The process begins by filling out a short form, and can be canceled or changed anytime, as the need may arise. Please see Mike King with any questions you may have, or to get a form.

## Laying the Foundation

Laying the Foundation is our two-year campaign to fund ministries, programs, and staff this year and next year beyond what we could accomplish with our annual stewardship campaign. The funds are needed to continue what we started with our Catch the Vision campaign. We had about \$180,000 pledged to our two-year campaign, and we have collected over \$60,000. Thank you for making your pledge payments. It is important to stay current or even ahead of schedule on your payments. Please contact Mike King if you have questions about your pledge amount or want to make a new/additional pledge. Laying the Foundation is intended to complement our annual stewardship campaign, which will soon be starting.

## EVENTS

### Trinity Cathedral Music Event October 28, 2016

Trinity Episcopal Cathedral presents members of the Arkansas Symphony, Kiril Laskarov, violin, Tze-Ying Wu, viola, Ethan Young, cello, Barron Weir, bass, and Tatiana Roitman, piano, in performance of Franz Schubert's Quintet in A major, "the Trout", D. 667 and the Fantasie in C major, D. 934 for violin and piano. An evening of Schubert, a Schubertiade, at Trinity Episcopal Cathedral, Friday, October 28, 2016 at 7:30 p.m. A reception will follow to greet the artists. Tickets are \$20 per person and may be purchased through [Eventbrite.com](http://Eventbrite.com) or by clicking "events" at the Trinity Cathedral website, [www.trinitylittlerock.org](http://www.trinitylittlerock.org). For more information, please contact 501-372-0294.

### Instant Church Directory App

St. Peter's Church Directory App has been continuously updated with information that is given to the church office. If your information needs to be updated or corrected, please contact John Churchwell at [john.churchwell@stpetersconway.com](mailto:john.churchwell@stpetersconway.com).

One new feature for the app is an \* which indicates a household that has two or more adult last names. These households are listed by both last names.

### Rides to the polls for EARLY voting in the General Election

Madelyn Adams will take groups of voters to the polls for early voting beginning October 24 through October 28. The General Election is November 8.

She can take groups of 3, and you should know that the walk could involve steps. Call or email if you're interested, and she'll get groups together later depending on demand.

[madelynadams@yahoo.com](mailto:madelynadams@yahoo.com)

501-329-2181



### Labyrinth Walk Submission Deadline

The deadline to submit any information for the Labyrinth Walk, and for the bulletin, is Tuesday at 2:00pm. Please email John Churchwell at [john.churchwell@stpetersconway.com](mailto:john.churchwell@stpetersconway.com), any pertinent church information that needs to be publicized.

### November Peter's Pence Submission Deadline

The deadline to submit any information for the November edition of Peter's Pence is October 24, 2016 at 2:00pm. Please email John Churchwell at [john.churchwell@stpetersconway.com](mailto:john.churchwell@stpetersconway.com), any pertinent church information that needs to be publicized.



# SUNDAY SERVICE AND LITURGICAL INFORMATION

## Prayers of the People

### Prayers and Petitions:

Kevin (healing); Jen and Chris; Olivia, Austin, Karlie; Thomas, Paige, Mason; Trent; Sandra and Cleve; Catherine and Mack; Trudy and Family; Glenda; Kristine, Nicholas and Duncan; Nicholas, Jolene, Glenn (safe travels); Shannon; Anisa; Fred and Lillian; Opp; Ted; John.

### In Loving Support for:

Jenny, Doug, Odessa; Hannah; Jon and Julie; Micah; Linda; Bob; Sam; Mouaz; Natalie.

### Thanksgivings:

We give thanks for the people of St. Peter's and visitors with us this week.

We give thanks for: Joe LaFace; Camille LaGrossa; Steve, Dee, Rachel, and Harry Lance; David and Marilyn Larson; Liz Larson, Tammy Tucker, Jolyon, Katie and Olivia Larson; Gary Lee; Josh, Hallie, Madeline, and Dillon Leicht; Jack, Debra and Matt Looney; Raymond, Claire, Dalton, and Austin Losardo; Rachel Lott; Valerie Lunsford; Jami, Drew, Cade and Porter Lupkey.

We give thanks for Pickles Gap Baptist Church.

We give thanks for Congregation Agudath Achim.

We give thanks for Episcopal Church Women.

We give thanks for The Bishops of the Anglican Communion.

We give thanks for Bermuda (Extra-Provincial to Canterbury) Bermuda - (Bermuda)

The Rt Revd Nicholas Dill.

We give thanks for Evensong at St. Martin in the Fields, Philadelphia.

### Departed:

Gladys and Archie, Donna and Buz

## Liturgical Readings for Sunday, October 30, 2016

The 9:00am service will read from  
**2 Thessalonians**  
and lead the Psalm.

Isaiah 1:10-18 Psalm 32:1-8 2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12 Luke 19:1-10

Below is the link to the lectionary readings for Sunday.

[http://www.lectionarypage.net/YearC\\_RCL/Pentecost/CProp26\\_RCL.html#ps2](http://www.lectionarypage.net/YearC_RCL/Pentecost/CProp26_RCL.html#ps2)

(Track 2)

## Liturgical Ministries Schedule

<b>Team 4</b>	<b>7:30am Rite I</b>	<b>9:00 Enriching with Music</b>	<b>11:00 Rite II</b>
<b>Lectors</b>	Norma Smothers	Ted and Leigh Ann Warriner	Jay Ruud Stacey Jones
<b>Greeters</b>		Nancy Thompson Deana Weindorf	Claire Lasardo Steve Zeltman
<b>Ushers</b>	Pam Holt	Ted and Leigh Ann Warriner	Tracy and Walker Simpson
<b>Oblationers</b>		Beth Brady Nancy Thompson	
<b>Eucharistic Ministers (EM)</b>	Pam Holt	Paul McCowan 1 Erin Weindorf 2	Leigh Ann Warriner 1 Ellen Stengel 2
<b>Eucharistic Visitors (EV)</b>		Deana Weindorf Elizabeth Walters	
<b>Vestry Counters</b>			Jay Ruud Jane Harris
<b>Acolytes</b>		CB: Madolyn Ward	C: Wylie Greer T1: Elise McGarrity T2: Harper Sobel
<b>Altar Guild</b>			Team 2

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