

reconnecting your spirit without disconnecting your mind

first united methodist church eleven:eleven celebration may 27, 2018



**Holy Spirit -
It's a Thing, Right?**

gathering and registration

(please use this time to connect with others and to register your attendance on the cards provided in your seats. you may also scan the **qr code** below, or to register online from your smartphone. go to fumcfw.org/celebrationattendance, you may leave the cards in your seat or bring forward with your offering during the offering song)

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register your attendance!**



the welcome candle

debbie krauser

come, come, whoever you are. wanderer, worshiper,
lover of leaving. it doesn't matter. ours is not a caravan of despair.
come, even if you have broken your vows a thousand times.
come, yet again

gift of song

"graceland"

written by paul simon
performed by eleven:eleven revolution

invocation and prayer

rev. deandrea dare

offering song

(these offerings go toward the support of fumc ministries, including 11:11 celebration. the dollar bills collected in may will go toward first street mission "start-up kits").

"come dance" gaby

there are no steps to this sacred dance
just the feel of your feet on the floor
arms in the air as free as your birth
and as simple as a wave on the shore

the voices you heard have no power here
find a rhythm that fits how you live
silence the critical voices inside us
that strain our lives through a sieve

chorus: god of pleasure and wilderness,
grant us the wisdom to dance with creation.
god of wonder and bliss,
give us love for the beauty of all our relations.
as we stretch out our hands to the heavens so fair,
let this dance be our prayer.

we move in a mystery of all that we see
we dance for the wonder of being
we dance through the struggles to remind us of how
the truth is finally freeing
chorus

come dance with your brothers and leave all your cares
come sisters and mothers and let down your hair
come stars of the morning and darkest of night
for the joy of creation is god's greatest delight
chorus

passing the peace

(exchanging gifts of greeting and peace with one another)

sacrament of baptism

caroline grace stovall, daughter of lisa and ryan stovall

congregational response

with god's help we will so order our lives after the example of christ that caroline grace, surrounded by steadfast love, may be established in the faith, and confirmed and strengthened in the way that leads to life eternal.

gift of song

“vaporize”

written by brian burton / james mercer

kairos moment

(the ancient greeks had two words for time, *chronos* and *kairos*.
kairos is “a time in between” – sacred time.)

opening our hearts and minds

peter canning

ephesians 4: 25–32

therefore, having put away falsehood, let each one of you speak the truth with his neighbor, for we are members one of another. be not angry and do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, and give no opportunity to the devil. let the thief no longer steal, but rather let him labor, doing honest work with his own hands, so that he may have something to share with anyone in need. let no corrupting talk come out of your mouths, but only such as is good for building up, as fits the occasion, that it may give grace to those who hear. and do not grieve the holy spirit of god, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption. let all bitterness and wrath and anger and clamor and slander be put away from you, along with all malice. be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as god in christ forgave you.

message

“spooky relations, delightful spirits”

rev. tom mcdermott

gift of song

“deliciously”

written by beth wood

performed by eleven:eleven revolution

blessing

eleven:eleven revolution

brad thompson - acoustic guitar & vocals

kevin grove - electric guitar / mike brown - bass guitar

jon “jellyroll” fortman - drums / laurie simmons - piano

david rosario, & jim miller - saxophones

claire kirk & alaina gunter - vocals

austin patton, iain kirk & xavier munoz - sound engineers

justin emerick,- av tech

some thoughts for the journey

the part can never be well unless the whole is well. - plato

draw a crazy picture, write a nutty poem... do a loony-goony dance 'cross the kitchen floor. put something silly in the world that wasn't there before. - shel silverstein

deep listening is miraculous and sacred for both listener and speaker. when someone receives us with open –hearted, non-judging, intensely interested listening, our spirit expands

- sue thoele

two monologues do not make a dialogue. - anon

our relationships live in the space between us, which is sacred.

- martin buber

programs and events

NO wine & wishful thinking

In observance of Memorial Day

will resume June 4

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eleven:eleven celebration

is getting a new worship space

June 10

at The Historic 512 (formerly the YWCA)

512 W. 4th Street **

(watch the blogspot and emails for more info!)

** just 133 steps from

First UMC's east ramp entrance!

Tarrant Area Guild of Storytellers (TAGS) Invites You To
**It's a Family Reunion:
Tales of Kin & Kindred**

DONALD DAVIS
Tejas Storytelling Conference
June 29th, 30th & July 1st
Fort Worth, TX

PIPPA WHITE

Our speakers will focus on family stories, Workshops, Storytelling, Concerts, Fringe Performances, Mad Hatters T-Party, and Cemetery Telling.

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First United Methodist Church

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