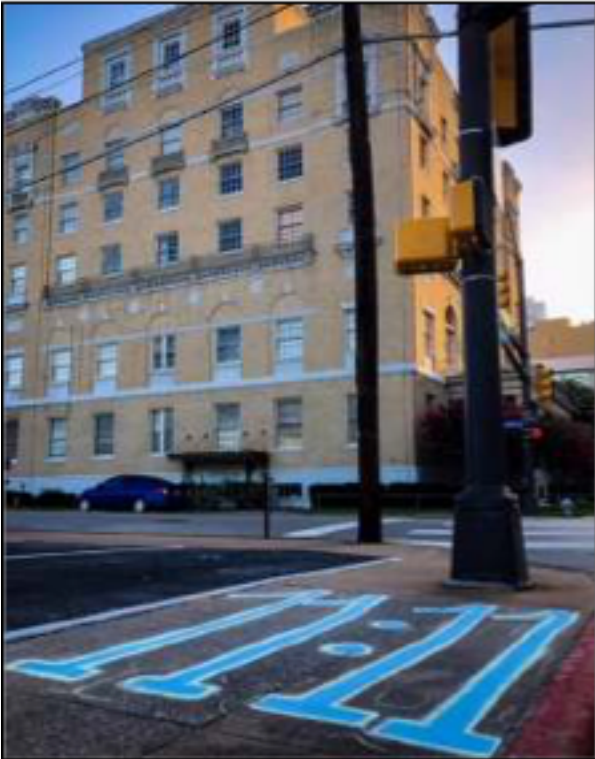


reconnecting your spirit without disconnecting your mind



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)

**scan the qr code to
register your attendance!**



the welcome candle

mary fuller

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

"shake it out"

written by florence & the machine
performed by eleven:eleven revolution

invocation

charme robarts

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".**

"we are called"

**come! live in the light!
shine with the joy and the love of the lord!
we are called,
to be light for the kingdom,
to live in the freedom of the city of god!**

**we are called to act with justice.
we are called to love tenderly.
we are called to serve one another,
to walk humbly with god.**

**come! open your heart!
show god's mercy to all those in fear!
we are called,
to be hope for the hopeless,
so all hatred and blindness will be no more!**

**come! sing a new song!
sing of that great day when all will be one!
god will reign,
and we'll walk with each other
as sisters and brothers united in love!**

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.*

opening our hearts and minds

chuck shanlever

matthew 18: 21-35

then peter came and said to him, "lord, if my brother or sister
sins against me, how often should i forgive? as many as seven
times?" jesus said to him, "not seven times, but, i tell you,

“for this reason the kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who wished to settle accounts with his slaves. when he began the reckoning, one who owed him ten thousand talents was brought to him; and, as he could not pay, his lord ordered him to be sold, together with his wife and children and all his possessions, and payment to be made. so the slave fell on his knees before him, saying, ‘have patience with me, and i will pay you everything.’ and out of pity for him, the lord of that slave released him and forgave him the debt. but that same slave, as he went out, came upon one of his fellow slaves who owed him a hundred denarii; and seizing him by the throat, he said, ‘pay what you owe.’ then his fellow slave fell down and pleaded with him, ‘have patience with me, and i will pay you.’ but he refused; then he went and threw him into prison until he would pay the debt. when his fellow slaves saw what had happened, they went and reported to their lord all that had taken place. then the lord summoned him and said to him, ‘you wicked slave! i forgave you all that debt because you pleaded with me. should you not have had mercy on your fellow slave, as i had mercy on you?’ and in anger his lord handed him over to be tortured until he would pay his entire debt. so god will do to every one of you, if you do not forgive your brother or sister from your heart.”

message

“open, inclusive, inquisitive: pt 3”
rev. tom mcdermott

the common table

rev. deandrea dare

“out beyond ideas”
out beyond ideas
of wrong doing and right doing
there is a field, i’ll meet you there.

out beyond ideas
of wrong doing and right doing
there is a field, i’ll meet you there.

and the soul lies down in that grass
the world is too much to talk about
ideas and language
even the phrase ‘each other’
doesn’t make any sense.

gift of song

“i won’t give up”
written by jason mraz
performed by eleven:eleven revolution

blessing

let the river run,
let all the dreamers wake the nation.
come, the new jerusalem.

we the great and small, stand on a star
and blaze a trail of desire

eleven:eleven revolution

brad thompson - acoustic guitar & vocals
kevin grove - electric guitar / mike brown - bass guitar
jon fortman- drums / laurie simmons - piano
david rosario, & jim miller - saxophones
claire kirk , lisa stovall & alaina gunter - vocals
austin patton & xavier munoz - sound engineers
justin emerick,- av tech

some thoughts for the journey

once we believe in ourselves, we can risk curiosity, wonder, spontaneous delight, or any experience that reveals the human spirit. - e. e. cummings

those who are governed by reason desire nothing for themselves which they do not also desire for the rest of humankind. –spinoza

do for others what you would have them do for you. - jesus

your assumptions are your windows on the world. scrub them off every once in a while, or the light won't come in. – assimov

forgiveness and compassion are always linked: to hold people accountable for wrongdoing and yet at the same time remain in touch with their humanity enough to believe in their capacity to be transformed. - bell hooks

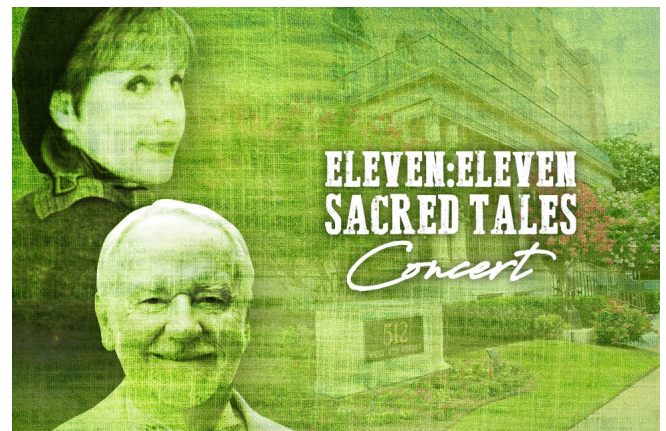
programs and events

wine & wishful thinking

mondays | 7:00 – 8:30 pm

1628 park place

conversation on faith, sunday’s message, & topics of the day. tmcdermott@myfumc.org



Sunday, July 1, 2018

11:11 – 12:15 am | 512 W. 4th St. | Free

Featuring Donald Davis and Pippa White

<https://fumcfw.org/event/tejas18/2018-06-30/>

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