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eleven:eleven first united methodist church august 12, 2018



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/1111attendance, you may leave the cards in your seat or bring forward with your offering during the offering song)

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the welcome candle

charme robarts

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

“we’ve been through worse crap than this before”

written by the austin lounge lizards
performed by eleven:eleven revolution

invocation and prayer

offering song

these offerings go toward the support of
fumcfw ministries, including eleven:eleven.
the one dollar bills collected in **august** will go
toward first street mission “**food4kids**” backpacks.

“woke up this morning” foster

i woke up this morning with my mind... **stayed on
freedom**
hallelu, hallelu, halleluia

let me tell ya that i’m walking and talking with my mind ...
stayed on freedom
walking and talking with my mind ... **stayed on freedom**
i’m walking and talking with my mind... **stayed on
freedom**
hallelu, hallelu halleluia

i’m singing and praying with my mind... **stayed on
freedom**
allelu, allelu alleluia

i’m teachin’ and preachin’ with my mind... **stayed on
freedom**
allelu, allelu alleluia

ain’t no harm to keep your mind... **stayed on freedom**

passing the peace

gift of story

“love, hear my voice” wills

love, hear my voice
through the silence and the noise
peace is welcome in,
welcome in

love, fill my heart
pull me close where i’m apart
peace is welcome in, welcome in

love, be my guide
even as i close my eyes
love, be here now be here now

love, sing my words
so that every one is heard
love, be here now be here now
love is all around all around

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

ann diamond

luke 19: 1-8

jesus entered jericho and was passing through. a man was there by the name of zacchaeus; he was a chief tax collector and was wealthy. he wanted to see who jesus was, but because he was short he could not see over the crowd. so he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore-fig tree to see him, since jesus was coming that way.

when jesus reached the spot, he looked up and said to him, "zacchaeus, come down immediately. i must stay at your house today." so he came down at once and welcomed him gladly. all the people saw this and began to mutter, "he has gone to be the guest of a sinner."

but zacchaeus stood up and said to the lord, "look, lord! here and now i give half of my possessions to the poor, and if i have cheated anybody out of anything, i will pay back four times the amount."

1 thessalonians 5:18

give thanks in all circumstances, for this is god's will for you in christ jesus.

message

"gratuitous gratuity and gratitude"
rev. tom mcdermott

gift of song

"new shoes"
written by paulo nuteli
performed by eleven:eleven revolution

blessing

eleven:eleven revolution

brad thompson, guitar, vocals
mike brown - bass guitar
jon "jellyroll" fortman - drums / laurie simmons - piano
david rosario & jim miller - saxophones
alaina gunter & claire kirk - vocals
austin patton, iain kirk,
gary hullett & xavier munoz - sound engineers
justin emerick - av tech

some thoughts for the journey

the children of the revolution are always ungrateful, and the revolution must be grateful that it is so. - *ursula k. le guin*

if the only prayer you ever say in your entire life is thank you, it will be enough. - *meister eckhart*

are my boots old? is my coat torn? am i no longer young, and still not half-perfect? let me keep my mind on what matters, which is my work, which is mostly standing still and learning to be astonished.
- *m oliver*

there are only two ways to live your life. one is as though nothing is a miracle. the other is as though everything is a miracle.

- *albert einstein*



programs and events

WINE & WISHFUL THINKING | Mondays | 7:00 – 8:30 pm | 1628 Park Place
Conversation on faith, Sunday's message, or topics of the day. tmcdermott@myfumc.org

FIRST WE DRUM | Tuesday, August 14 | 7:00 – 8:30 pm | Wesley Hall
(Meets second Tuesday of each month)
No experience necessary: whether you bring your own drum or share one of ours, come join us for community, inspiration and connection. tmcdermott@myfumc.org

COMMISSION ON A WAY FORWARD'S REPORT to the UMC GENERAL CONFERENCE
http://s3.amazonaws.com/Website_Properties/council-of-bishops/news_and_statements/documents/Way_Foward_Report_-_Final_-_ENGLISH.pdf

Back to School Shirt Drive

August 5, 12, 19

Help support our Fort Worth students by providing **collared shirts**. It is harder for some families than others to buy those items, so please pitch in and make it happen. • **Pre-Kindergarten -8th Grade** | Navy or white collared shirts—no logos

• **High school** | Any color, but must be collared—no logos
Collection tables will be in the main church building and in the garden on Sunday mornings.



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