

**open, inclusive, inquisitive**

**eleven:eleven  
downtown  
august 19, 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)

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



**the welcome candle**

pat adams

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**

**"east to the west"**

written by michael franti  
performed by eleven:eleven revolution

**invocation and prayer**

rev. deandrea dare

**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.

**"god of movement"**

god of movement, work inside us  
send your rain and nurture us all  
tend our roots and hearts; excite us  
help us hear your ancient call  
in our pain and in our laughter  
present, ever, throughout all our days  
here before and now and after  
may all living things give praise

as a tiny seed is planted,  
roots emerge and growth begins.  
so we ask, our hearts enchant,  
and bring your kin-dom forth from within.  
love unquenchable, hope unstoppable,  
reign of justice with no end  
use our lives and make it possible  
that your garden, we may tend.

send us forth to sow and scatter  
seeds that grow your kin-dom on earth.  
make it clear the ways that matter,  
those which bring new life and new birth.  
through your people, bring your healing,  
in our lives and the fruits that we grow.  
ever more, your kin-dom, revealing,  
now's the time to plant and sow.

ever more, your kingdom, revealing  
now's the time to plant and sow

**passing the peace**

**opening our hearts and minds**

travis matheny

**psalm 23**

**"so many acorns"** by maya stein

we could point our attention anywhere – summer leaning into its most ambitious month, the evenings an eruption of fireflies. a hilltop climb in a nearby town opens into a view that could double for tuscany, and the ice cream stand on the way back home could elicit a brief, dreamy wonder – two teens at the helm, their elbows maneuvering through tubs of caramel swirl and yet, despite the signs pointing toward abundance, we keep listing toward any proof of fallowness, like jilted lovers raking their wounds to build a deeper scar, no matter that loss

has already tenderized their skin. we ravage the fields of their unfolding fruit, picking everything before its time, out of fear there won't ever be enough, while in the shade of a neglected oak, you've never seen so many acorns.

## gift of song

### "stay gold"

written by klara and joanna sodenburg  
performed by eleven:eleven revolution

## message

### "gratitude and gratuity: part 2"

rev. tom mcdermott

## our common feast

### "come thou fount" trad

come thou fount of every blessing  
tune my heart to sing thy grace  
streams of mercy, never ceasing  
call for songs of loudest praise.  
teach me some melodious sonnet  
sung by flaming tongues above  
praise the mount! i'm fixed upon it  
mount of thy redeeming love.

oh, to grace how great a debtor  
daily i'm con-strained to be!  
let thy good ness, like a fetter  
bind my wand'ring heart to thee.  
prone to wander, how i feel it,  
the earth below and the sky above;  
faced with risks or any danger,  
i move onward in thy love.

## gift of song

### "upside down"

written by jack johnson  
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 & lori dreier - vocals  
austin patton, iain kirk,  
gary hullett & xavier munoz - sound engineers  
justin emerick - av tech

## some thoughts for the journey

when you realize there is nothing lacking, the whole world belongs to you. - lao tzu

abundance is a process of letting go; that which is empty can receive. - bryant mcgill

gratitude is not something we acquire. it is something we tune into.  
- wayne dyer

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

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 & WISFUL THINKING | Mondays**  
7:00 – 8:30 pm | 1628 Park Place Conversation on faith, Sunday's message, or topics of the day.  
[tmcdermott@myfumc.org](mailto:tmcdermott@myfumc.org)

**COMMISSION ON A WAY FORWARD'S  
REPORT to the UMC GENERAL CONFERENCE**  
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