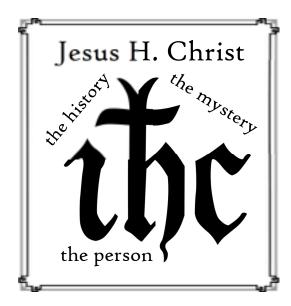
## open, inclusive, inquisitive

## eleven:eleven downtown november 18, 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

thomas jolin

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

"demons"

written by imagine dragons performed by eleven:eleven revolution

#### prayer

rev. deandrea dare

#### offering song

these offerings go toward the support of fumcfw ministries, including eleven:eleven.

the one dollar bills collected in november will go to support community advocate financial assistance (aid for homeless and formerly homeless people)

"love will find you" cunningham/hermanson

you may be watching from a safe distance you may be so close you can taste the blood you may have headed for higher ground you may be drowning in the flood

no matter what you do love will find you

you may have lost what little faith you had you may believe with all your heart you may be pulling yourself together again you may be falling apart

no matter what you do love will find you

one of you sees that love's a long lost friend one of you can't recognize her face one of you runs to her with open arms one of you falls down in disgrace

you may see a million different gateways home you may think there's only one way through you may be waiting for the kingdom to come you may believe it's in you

no matter what you do love will find you love will find you love will find you

#### passing the peace

"so are you to me"

as the music at the banquet as the wine before the meal as the firelight in the night so are you to me

as the ruby in the setting as the fruit upon the tree as the wind blows over the plains so are you to me

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#### 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

shelly huffman

Mark 4: 3-5; 5: 1-20 (adapted from CEB)

on that day, when evening had come, jesus said to his disciples, "let us go across to the other side." and they came to the other side of the lake, to the region of the gerasenes.

as soon as jesus got out of the boat, a man possessed by an evil spirit came out of the tombs. this man had been secured many times with leg irons and chains, but he broke the chains and no one was tough enough to control him. night and day in the tombs and the hills, he would howl and cut himself with stones. when he saw jesus, he ran and knelt before him, shouting, "what have you to do with me, jesus, son of the most high god?"

jesus asked him, "what is your name?" he responded, "legion is my name, because we are many." they pleaded with jesus not to send them out of that region.

now, a large herd of pigs was feeding on the hillside. so, the demons begged jesus, "let us go into the pigs!" jesus gave them permission, so the unclean spirits left the man and went into the pigs. then the herd of about two thousand pigs rushed down the cliff into the lake and drowned. those who tended the pigs ran away and told the story in the city and in the countryside. people came to jesus and saw the man who used to be demon-possessed, sitting there fully dressed and completely sane, and they were filled with fear. those who had actually seen what had happened to the demon-possessed man told the others about the pigs. then they pleaded with jesus to leave their region.

while he was climbing into the boat, the one who had been demonpossessed begged jesus to let him follow as one of his disciples. but jesus said "no. go home to your own people, and tell them what the lord has done for you and shown you mercy." the man went away and began to proclaim in all the decopolis all that jesus had done for him, and everyone was amazed.

#### gift of song

"alive in the world"

written by jackson browne performed by justin pate, piano

#### message

"maybe jesus says, 'don't follow me" ...
rev. tom mcdermott

### gift of song

"revolutionize your soul"

written by susan tedeschi performed by eleven:eleven revolution

#### blessing

#### eleven:eleven revolution

brad thompson, guitar, vocals mike brown - bass guitar todd franks - drums / justin pate - piano david rosario & jim miller - saxophones alaina gunter & claire kirk - vocals

**sound engineers,** austin patton, iain kirk, gary hullett & xavier munoz; **av tech**, justin emerick - av tech

## some thoughts for the journey

aging is not uncomplicated. creativity is an extraordinary help against destructive demons. - *ingmar bergman* 

deep down, i have this intuition that a lot of creative people have, that their demons are also what make them create. - david byrne

it doesn't interest me what you do for a living. i want to know what you ache for and if you dare to dream of meeting your heart's longing. - oriah mountain dreamer

maybe that's all demons ever are. people like us, doing things without even knowing what we're doing. - orson scott card

it could be that i am a tiny piece of god, and each of you too, or at least of his intention and his hope... for each of us, there is the daily life. let us live it, gesture by gesture. - mary oliver

#### programs and events

# TODAY |12:30-1:30 P.M. WESLEY HALL

**NEXT** 

Please come and learn more about the vision what our Building Study Committee has been working on for the past two years! This presentation will give in

working on for the past two years! This presentation will give indepth information on proposed new construction and renovation of existing facilities that will transform our facilities in amazing ways. There will also be time for your feedback and Q&A.

2019 SACRED SPACES OF IRELAND TOUR (possible dates: June 16-29, July 21-Aug 3, or July 28-Aug 10) Join us as we explore the Ring of Kerry, to the Cliffs of Moher, Queen Maeve's Grave, St. Columba, Patrick & Brigid and more sites up through Galway, Joyce and Yeats country, and County Sligo. For more info, contact: Tom McDermott (817-339-3881 or tmcdermott@myfumc.org)



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