

*open, inclusive, inquisitive*

**eleven:eleven  
downtown  
march 17, 2019**



**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**

dylan short

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**

**"do you really want to know"**  
written by peter mayer  
performed by eleven:eleven revolution

**a time of prayer**

rev. deandrea dare

**offering song**

offerings go toward the support of  
fumcfw ministries, including eleven:eleven.  
the one dollar bills collected in **march** will support the  
**methodist justice ministry (legal assistance  
for victims of domestic violence)**

**"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**

**"the higher you climb"** fogelberg

the higher you climb, the more that you see  
the more that you see, the less that you know  
the less that you know, the more that you yearn  
the more that you yearn, the higher you climb

the farther you reach, the more that you touch  
the more that you touch, the fuller you feel  
the fuller you feel, the less that you need  
the less that you need, the farther you reach

the higher you climb, the more that you see  
the more that you see, the less that you know  
the less that you know, the more that you yearn  
the more that you yearn, the higher you climb

## 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

eric short

**ephesians 3:16-19** (good news translation, adapted)

i ask god from the abundance of god's grace and spirit that you may find strength and inner resolve, and that christ will be at home in your hearts through faith. i pray that the depth and foundation of your being be rooted in love, so that you, together with all god's people, may have the wisdom to understand how broad and long, how high and deep, is christ's love. yes, may you come to know this love—although it can never be fully known—and so be completely filled with the very nature of god.

## gift of song

“catch and release”

written by matt simons

performed by eleven:eleven revolution

## message

“catch and release – how we grow in faith”

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

claire kirk & christa russell - vocals

kevin grove, guitar

mike brown, bass guitar

todd franks - drums / justin pate, piano

david rosario & jim miller, saxophones

sound engineers, gary hullett & xavier munoz

av tech, clara matheny

## some thoughts for the journey

“i know you won't believe me, but the highest form of human excellence is to question oneself and others. - *socrates*

always the more beautiful answer who asks the more difficult question. - *ee cummings*

strip me, o god, then clothe me in curiosity and courage

- *cynthia kirk*

faith is not a commodity we either have or don't have – it is an inner strength that unfolds as we learn to trust our own deepest experience and connection with life. - *sharon salzberg*

helping someone find god is like trying to help the fish find the ocean. – *anthony de mello*

when i was youner, I would've said god calls us to faith in order to believe; but now i am thinking, sometimes god calls us to unbelief in order for faith to grow. – *christian wimon*

## programs and events

### LENT STUDY: THE LAST WEEK: JESUS' FINAL DAYS

**IN JERUSALEM** | Led by Rev. Linda McDermott |

Thursdays, March 21 & 28 | 9:15-11:00 am | Room 336

OR Sundays, March 24 & 31 | 9:30 – 10:30 am | Room

320 | [fumcfw.org/finaldays19](http://fumcfw.org/finaldays19)

### RISE AGAINST HUNGER – ALL CHURCH PROJECT

**SUNDAY, MARCH 31 | 9:30 AM – 1 PM |**

**JUSTIN YOUTH BUILDING | Registration required**

FUMCFW is hosting a *Rise Against Hunger* food packaging event. With 120 volunteers we can package over 20, 000 meal kits to a hungry community. *Rise Against Hunger*, formerly *Stop Hunger Now*, is an international hunger relief agency.

**To register:** <http://fumcfw.org/event/rise19>

### 2019 SACRED SPACES OF IRELAND TOUR

**August 21-30** | 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

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