

# eleven:eleven downtown july 21, 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

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

**"power of the gospel"**  
written by ben harper  
performed by the revolution band

## gathering prayer

charme robarts

## offering song

offerings go toward the support of  
fumcfw ministries, including eleven:eleven.  
the one dollar bills collected in **july** will support  
**financial assistance through  
the first street mission.**

### **"love will find you"**

written by 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 - o - o 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 - o - o 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 - o - o love will find you  
love will find you love will find you

## passing the peace

### gift of story

#### **"catch and release"**

written and videography by matt simmons  
performed by revolution band

## kairos moment

charme robarts

*(the ancient greeks had two words for time, chronos and kairos.  
kairos is "a time in between" – sacred time*

## opening our hearts and minds

**psalm 49:3-4** (the message)

i set plainspoken wisdom before you, my heart-seasoned understandings of life. i fine-tuned my ear to the sayings of the wise, i solve life's riddle with the help of a harp.

**luke 15:25-28**

"now his older son was in the field. coming in from the field, he approached the house and heard music and dancing. he called one of the servants and asked what was going on. the servant replied, 'your brother has arrived, and your father has slaughtered the fattened calf because he received his son back safe and sound.' then the older son was furious and didn't want to enter in.

## gift of song

**"none of us is free"**

written by solomon burke  
performed by the revolution band

## message

**"the gospel is all about the music"**

rev. tom mcdermott

## gift of song

**"the feeling music brings"**

written by susan tedeschi  
performed by the revolution band

## blissing

**the revolution band**

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

**sound engineer**, xavier munozav  
**techs**, clara matheny, phillip taylor

## some thoughts for the journey

i think music in itself is healing. it's an explosive expression of humanity. - billy joel

life, he realized, was much like a song. in the beginning there is mystery, in the end there is confirmation. but it is the middle where all the emotion resides to make the whole thing worthwhile.

- nicholas sparks

one good thing about music, when it hits you, you feel no pain  
-bob marley

those who dance are considered insane by those who cannot hear the music. - george carlin

music gives a soul to the universe. - plato

whoever you are, no matter how lonely, the world offers itself to your imagination, calls to you like the wild geese, harsh and exciting - over and over announcing your place in the family of things.

- mary oliver

## programs and events

**GOOSTREE LECTURES - FEATURING AL STAGGS**

**"Laughter is the Best Medicine" | 2:00 – 4:00 pm**

**Wesley Hall** - An assortment of zany comedic impressions that will demonstrate the importance of humor in aiding our spiritual, emotional, and physical health.

**JULY MISSION SUNDAYS – SKILLETS** | Please bring skillets to First Street Methodist Mission | Monday – Thursday | 8:00 am – 4:00 pm OR the donation bins at the East, West & Garden entrances Sunday mornings.

**Contact:** Linda Murphy [lmurphy@firststreetmission.org](mailto:lmurphy@firststreetmission.org), 817-339-2404

**UPCOMING OUTDOOR MINISTRIES OPPORTUNITIES**

Lake Mineral Wells State Park | Oct 18-20

Beaver's Bend State Park, OK | Nov 1-3

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