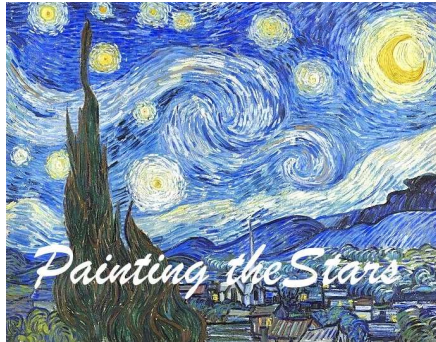


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gathering and registration

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gathering song

“dust”

by erika luekett

performed by eleven:eleven revolution band

the welcome candle

gift of song

“come dance”

by charles gaby

performed by eleven:eleven revolution band

sharing signs of peace and welcome

gift of story

read by jon taylor

in the beginning, god created
the heavens and the earth. but the earth became chaos and
emptiness, and darkness came over the face of the deep—yet the
spirit of god was brooding over the surface of the waters. god said,
“light: be!” and light was ... and god separated light from darkness.
god called the light “day” and the darkness “night” - the first day.
then god said,

“make an expanse between the waters! separate water from
water!” so it was... god called the expanse “sky.” evening came, and
morning followed—the second day.

then god said,

“waters under the sky, be gathered into one place! dry ground:
appear!” so it was. god called the dry ground “earth” and the
gathering of the waters “sea.” and god saw that this was good...the
earth brought forth every kind of plant that bears seed, and every
kind of fruit tree on earth that bears fruit with its seed in it. and

God saw that this was good —the third day.

then god said, “now,

let there be lights in the expanse of the sky! separate day from
night! ... god made the two great lights, the greater one to illumine
the day, and a lesser to illumine the night. then god made the stars
as well, placing them in the expanse of the sky, to shed light on the
earth, to govern both day and night, and separate light from
darkness. and god saw that this was good—the fourth day...

then god created

the great seas and all sorts of swimming creatures with which the
waters are filled, and all kinds of birds to fill the skies. god saw that
this was good ... —the fifth day.

then god cried out,

“earth, make all kinds of wild animals, and cattle, and everything
that crawls on the ground, and god saw that this was good. then
god said, “let us make humankind in our image, to be like us...
humankind was created as god’s reflection: in the divine image god
created them;

female and male ... god blessed them and said, “...fill the
earth—and be responsible for it! watch over all the living things on
the earth!” so it was. god looked at all of this creation and saw it
was good - the sixth day.

gift of song

“landslide”

written by the chicks

performed by eleven:eleven revolution band

kairos

observations & considerations

new science, religion, & evolving faith

“do you know who you are?”

rev. tom mcdermott

gift of song

“this glorious day”

written by jimmy lafave

performed by eleven:eleven revolution band

benediction

thoughts for further reflection

*whenever i have a terrible need for - dare i say the word -
'religion,' then i go out and paint the stars. - van gogh*

*we humans are always ending and beginning – this is the
story of our evolution. we are in evolution, and evolution is
fundamental to the new story of religion. – ilia delio*

*it's all a question of story. we are in trouble because we do
not have a good story. we are in between stories. the old
story, of how the world came to be and how we fit into it, is
no longer effective. yet we have not learned the new story. -
thomas berry*

the eleven:eleven revolution band is...

brad thompson - music/band leader, vocalist, guitarist •
justin pate - keyboard, vocalist • jon mosig - drums •
kevin grove - lead guitar • lee allen - bass, vocals • alaina
gunter - vocals



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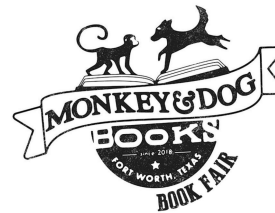
wine and wishful thinking

tuesdays, 7-8:30 pm

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