

## eleven:eleven, downtown

january 7 • 2024



### gathering and registration

please register your attendance on the cards in your seats or scan the **qr code**. cards may be left in the seat or brought with your offering during the gathering song.

**point camera, touch website that appears to register your attendance.**



### gift of song

#### ***“the riddle”***

by five for fighting

performed by the eleven:eleven revolution band

### the welcome candle (rumi)

read by jenny casey

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, come yet again.

### gathering song

#### ***“morning has broken”***

by yusef islam

performed by eleven:eleven revolution band

### sharing signs of peace and welcome

### gift of story

read by wes stevens

#### **mark 1:21-31 (inclusive bible)**

they came to capernaum, and on the sabbath jesus entered the synagogue and began to teach. the people were spellbound, because Jesus taught with an authority unlike their religious scholars. suddenly a person with an unclean spirit appeared in their synagogue. it shrieked, “what do you want from us, jesus of nazareth? have you come to destroy us? i know who you are—the holy one of god!” jesus rebuked the spirit: “be quiet! come out of that person!” at that the unclean spirit convulsed the possessed one violently, and with a loud shriek it came out. all who looked on were amazed. they began to ask one another, “what is this? a new teaching, and with such authority! this person even gives orders to unclean spirits and they obey!” immediately news of jesus spread throughout the surrounding region of galilee. upon leaving the synagogue, jesus entered simon’s and andrew’s house with James and John. simon’s mother-in-law lay ill with a fever, and immediately they told Jesus about her. jesus went over to her, took her by the hand and helped her up, and the fever left her. then she went about her work.

### kairos song

#### ***“weathervanes”***

by jets overhead

performed by eleven:eleven revolution band

### kairos

### observations & considerations

#### **shadow boxing with god**

#### ***“me & my shadow”***

rev. tom mcdermott

### gift of song

#### ***“revolutionize your soul”***

by susan tedeshci

performed by the eleven:eleven revolution band

### benediction

## thoughts for further reflection

*there is a music of heaven in all things. - hildegard de bingen*

*people will do anything no matter how absurd to avoid facing their own souls...shadow work is the path of the heart warrior. - carl jung*

*if you want to become full, let yourself be empty. - lao tzu*

*to sit down, like a weed among weeds, and rustle in the wind! listen, are you breathing just a little, and calling it a life? - mary oliver*

### 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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## opportunities and small groups

### wine and wishful thinking

tuesdays, 7-8:30 pm

[Winehaus 1628 Park Pl Ave, Fort Worth, TX 76110](#)

wine, beer, light bites, and great conversation

contact tom for info: [tmcdermott@myfumc.org](mailto:tmcdermott@myfumc.org)

come, come, whoever you are, especially coffee brewers



come, be the magic

as 2024 arrives, and you're contemplating resolutions,  
considering volunteering at eleven:eleven!

It's easy...point your smartphone at the QR code and touch  
the website that appears

or

go to this link to see our signups:

<https://signup.com/go/xWYBhnM>

or

email [nancydear27@gmail.com](mailto:nancydear27@gmail.com)



Tuesdays | 6:30 – 10:30 am  
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Please consider lending a hand!

Contact our team at: [questions@firststreetmission.org](mailto:questions@firststreetmission.org) or 682-376-8479