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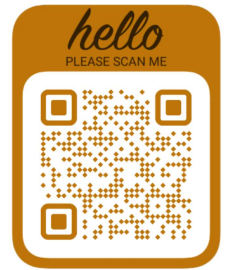
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gift of song

"classical"

written by vampire weekend
performed by the eleven:eleven revolution band

the welcome candle (rumi)

led by sandra buckner

sharing signs of peace and welcome

gift of song

"i woke up this morning"

adapted by rev. robert wesby, jailed during freedom rides
performed by the eleven:eleven revolution band

a song to pass the time as we pass the plate

"games people play"

written by joe south
performed by the eleven:eleven revolution band

kairos

rev. deandrea dare

gift of story

read by bill lanford

mark 4: 26-32

jesus said, "the kingdom of god is as if someone would scatter seed on the ground, and would sleep and rise night and day, and the seed would sprout and grow, he does not know how. the earth produces of itself first the stalk, then the head, then the full grain in the head. but when the grain is ripe, at once he goes in with his sickle because the harvest has come."

he also said... it is like a mustard seed, which, when sown upon the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth, yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes the greatest of all shrubs and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade."

observations & considerations

"playing imposter & other games"

rev tom mcdermott

gift of song

"wake me up"

written by avicii
performed by the eleven:eleven revolution band

benediction

thoughts for further reflection

every moment is a divine encounter; every facet is an exposure to the boundless energies by which life is sustained and our spirits made whole. – howard thurman

what do we live for if it's not to make life less difficult for each other. - george elliot

hear, israel, the lord is our god, the lord is one. - the shema

one of history's most dangerous games begins with dividing the world into the good guys and the bad guys and ends with using any means necessary to take the villains out. - stephen prothero (god is not one)

the question is not death, nor life... the question is love - the kind of attachment with which we bind the fickle, changing, and uncertain to ourselves as if it were rock. - annie dillard (tom's adapt)

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 • lydia smith-osborne - vocals



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