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eleven:eleven, downtown

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gift of song

"deeper well"

music and lyrics by david olney, daniel lanois, emmylou harris
performed by the eleven:eleven revolution band

the welcome candle (rumi)

led by deborah lawson

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!

gathering song

"let the mystery be"

lyrics and music by iris dement
performed by the eleven:eleven revolution band

sharing signs of peace and welcome

a song to pass the time as we pass the plate

"out beyond ideas"

music and lyrics by david wilcox / rumi
performed by the eleven:eleven revolution band

kairos

gift of story

read by bill lanford

gospel of john 14:1,4-6 (mod. english ver. adapted)

"do not be uselessly troubled. you trust the one, trust
also me... you know where i am going and you know the
way." thomas said, "but we don't know where you're
going, so how can we know the way?" jesus replied, "i
am the path. i am wisdom. i am what eternal life looks
like. no one connects with the one, ineffable delight at
the heart of all being without this path and this wisdom
and this selflessness."

tao te ching #11 (walking the way)

"thirty spokes converge on one hub; the center is empty,
so the wheel can turn. A pot is made from clay; the
center is empty, so the vessel can be used. windows and
doors are cut for a house; the center is empty, so there's
room to live. the being of a thing makes it handy; its
nonbeing lets it function."

observations & considerations

unlearning unknowing uncertainty

"unlearning...a conversation"

rev tom mcdermott & kagan parker

gift of song

"these are days"

music and lyrics by 10,000 maniacs
performed by the eleven:eleven revolution band

benediction

thoughts for future reflection

everything we call real is made of things that cannot be regarded as real... it is the hallmark of any deep truth that its negation is also a deep truth

— niels bohr

it really boils down to this: all life is interrelated. we are all caught in an inescapable network of mutuality, tied into a single garment of destiny. whatever affects one directly, affects all indirectly

— martin luther king, jr.

the universe is made of stories, not atoms

— muriel rukheyser

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



for more info about
eleven:eleven, check out
<https://fumcfw.org/1111fw/>
or point camera, touch website
that appears

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appears



For More Details & All Upcoming
Opportunities, scan QR Code or go to
<https://fumcfw.org/events/>



opportunities and small groups

wine and wishful thinking

1st & 3rd 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

conspiracy opportunities

core practices:

show up for others | practice generosity



fsmm needs **toothpaste** this month. leave donations @, 801 west 1st street tues-thurs, 8 - 1 pm and ring the bell at the double doors facing henderson street.

if you would like to make a donation to help buy groceries or for emergency rent and utility funding, please designate "first street methodist mission" on your check/online giving or contact bernie scheffler, director bscheffler@firststreetmission.org

Sunday mornings in January

9:00 am – 12:00 pm | Wesley Hall

We're celebrating **Kids Hope National Mentoring Month**. Stop by, sign up to SERVE, meet our mentors, or say "thanks."



Dementia Friendly Fort Worth

FUMC | eleven:eleven sponsors **DFFW**. Below are some of the programs...get more info @ <https://dffw.org/>

- 5th Street Café Social Club
- Care Partner Support Group
- Crisis Intervention/First Responder Training
- Daily Virtual Activities Program
- Dementia Awareness and Empathy Training
- Dementia Friendly Business Certification
- Faith Community Education and Programs