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JEREMIAH'S LAMENT BIBLE STUDY

Wednesdays | February 19 – April 9 | 6:00 pm | Room 350 or Zoom



ONE-DAY
PRAYER RETREAT
METHODS OF COMMUNING WITH GOD

Saturday, March 1 | 8:30 am – 3:00 pm | Nazareth Retreat Center | \$40



Amen to That!

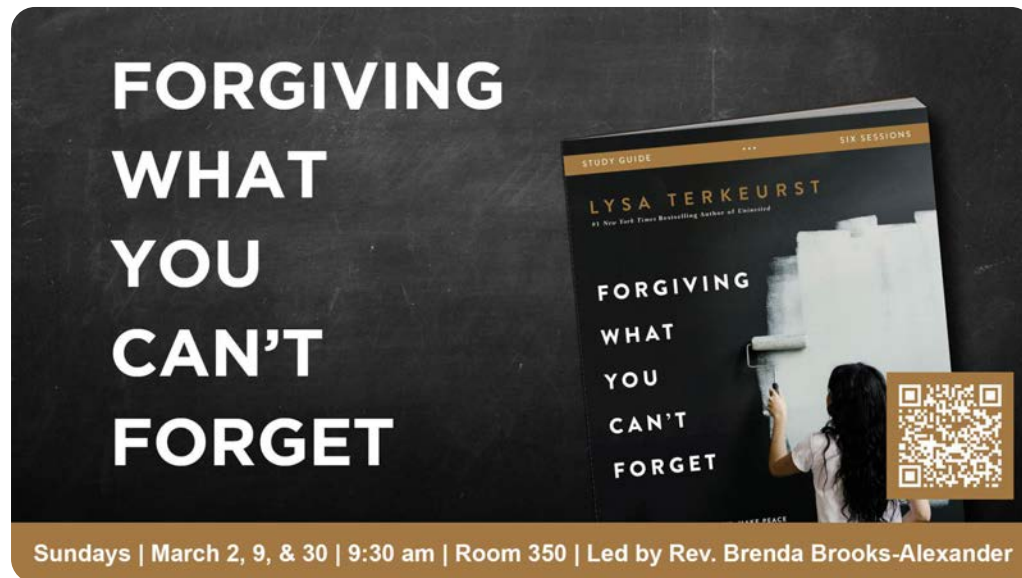


INTERFAITH Dialogue

THE GIFTS OF
PRACTICAL PLURALISM
IN A MULTIFAITH SOCIETY

BRITE
DIVINITY SCHOOL

Saturday, February 22 | 9:30 am – 12:00 pm | Brite Divinity School | Contact Pastor Zhenya for more info



FORGIVING WHAT YOU CAN'T FORGET

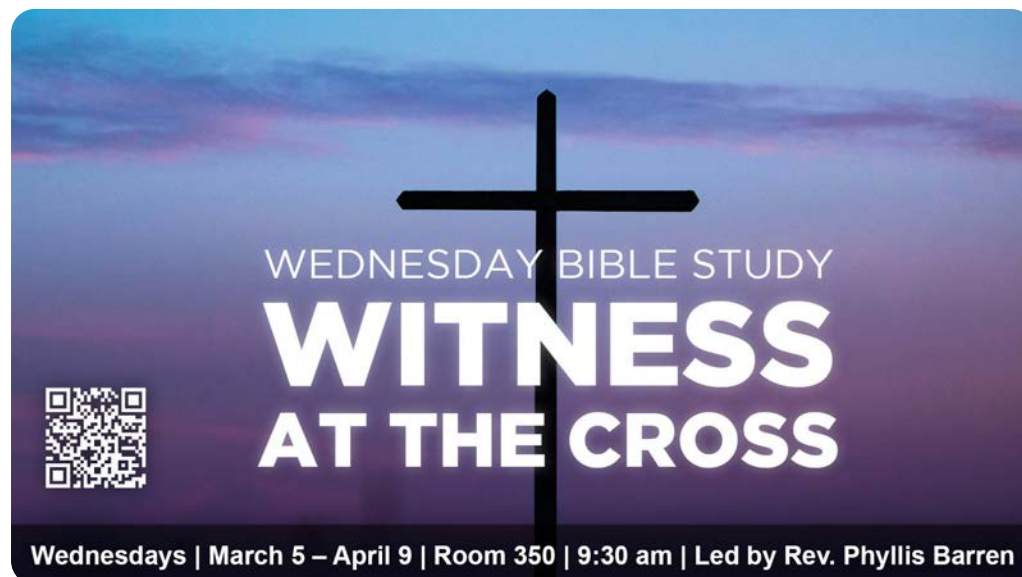
LYSA TERKEURST
#1 New York Times Bestselling Author of Unwound

Sundays | March 2, 9, & 30 | 9:30 am | Room 350 | Led by Rev. Brenda Brooks-Alexander



COWTOWN HYDRATION STATION VOLUNTEERS

Sunday, February 23 | 6:30 – 11:00 am | Houston and West 5th Street



WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY
WITNESS AT THE CROSS

Wednesdays | March 5 – April 9 | Room 350 | 9:30 am | Led by Rev. Phyllis Barren



Traditional Worship Service
February 16, 2025 | 11:00 am

Amen to That!

Philippians 4:4-7

Rev. Lance Marshall, Senior Pastor

Welcome
Rev. Zhenya Gurina Rodriguez, PhD, Associate Pastor

Opening Prayer

Organ Voluntary: “Sweet Hour of Prayer”
David H. Hegarty, arranger
Peggy Graff, organist

***Call to Worship**
Rev. Brenda Brooks Alexander, Associate Pastor
One: Let us gather in the presence of God, who hears our every prayer—spoken or silent.
All: We bring words of joy and gratitude, and cries for help and healing.
One: God invites us to pray in many ways.
All: In whispered words and shouted praises, through dance and stillness, we offer our hearts.
One: Let us worship God, who meets us wherever we are and however we pray.
All: We come today just as we are to worship and pray. Amen.

***Passing of the Peace**

***Hymn 715: “Rejoice, the Lord Is King”**

***Affirmation of Faith 881**
I believe in God the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord:
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic^o church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.
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***Gloria Patri 70**
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was
in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.
Amen.

****Please be seated**

Faith Like a Child
“Mister Mark” Burrows, Director of Children’s Ministries

***Hymn 526: “What a Friend We Have in Jesus”**

Scripture: Philippians 4:4-7
Susan Todd, lay reader
God speaks to us through the reading of scripture.
Thanks be to God.

Sermon Series: Amen to That!
Rev. Lance Marshall, Senior Pastor

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom
come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day
our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those
who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver
us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
forever. Amen. *(Matthew 6:9-13)*

Offertory: “As the Deer”
Martin Nystrom, arranger
Choral Union
Thomas Williams, director

***Doxology 95**
Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***Benediction**
One: Our gathering will soon be ended. Where will we go, and what
will we do?
All: We will go out to be God’s people in the world.
One: May grace, peace, hope, love, and joy forever accompany you.
Amen.

***Congregational Benediction: “Here I am Lord” refrain**
Here I am, Lord.
Is it I Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go Lord,
if you lead me.
I will hold
your people in my heart.

***Postlude: Toccata on “Darwall’s 148th” (Rejoice, the Lord Is King)**
Gordon Young, arranger

Welcome to First United Methodist Church of Fort Worth – we are glad
you’re here to worship with us today!

Please let us know you are here by filling out the attendance pad as it
comes by or registering on-line.

Asterisks (*) indicate times when you are invited to stand as you are able.

In addition to your regular contribution, every one dollar (\$1) bill placed
in the offering plate for the month of February will support the Dementia
Friendly Fort Worth.

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given in loving memory of Dr.
Douglas Tatum and Dorothy & Dr. Judge M. Lyle by Barbara Tatum
and family.

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Associate Pastor of Leadership Development — and be sure to include
your phone number in your email!