

MARCH 1, 2020

how can you believe this?

FOUNDRY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

9:00 A.M. & 11:15 A.M. | WORSHIP CELEBRATION

10:10 - 11:05 A.M. | SUNDAY SCHOOL

9:20-10:00 A.M. & 11:40 A.M. - 12:15 P.M. | CHILDREN'S WORSHIP

Foundry Church has been serving downtown Washington and the wider world since 1814. Foundry is a Reconciling Congregation, affirming the call of the gospel of Jesus Christ to be in ministry with all people of all races, gender identities, sexualities, ages, immigration status, and physical conditions. We are all on a spiritual journey and we want you to feel welcome here. Please join us for refreshments in Community Commons after the worship service and visit our welcome desk for more information about our faith community.

REFERENCES TO GOD

References to God in traditional prayers and hymns may sometimes be gender-specific. As we pray and sing together, you are invited to substitute terms that reflect your understanding of the full inclusiveness of the spirit of God. You are also invited to sing hymns and speak parts of the services, such as the Lord's Prayer, in your native tongue.

FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN

We welcome children to remain with their families during worship. Additionally, child care is available from 8:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. in the Child Care Center for infants through 2-year-olds. Children from age 3 through 5th grade are invited to participate in Children's Worship offered at both Sunday morning services and starting shortly before the sermon.

SUNDAY SCHOOL IS DROP-IN FRIENDLY

Please check the Today at Foundry page for adult and children's classes.

ACCESSIBILITY

Large-print bulletins and United Methodist hymnals are available. Please check with an usher for these materials. Hearing assistance devices are found at the sound desk in the sanctuary. Sign language interpretation is provided at the 11:15 a.m. service on the pulpit side of the sanctuary.

CARE AND PRAYER

If you would like to request prayer, please fill out the prayer request card found in the back of the pews and place it in the offering plate or leave it at the welcome desk located in Community Commons.

THE DEVIL MADE ME DO IT

How Can You Believe This?

Talking serpents, miracles, God incarnate, resurrection...how can a person believe this stuff? Is such belief necessary to truly have faith? Do we all have to agree on what these things really mean? During this Lenten season, we will explore ideas and stories from the Bible that can be intellectually challenging, to see how these things might be for us more than obstacles on our spiritual journey. What can be gleaned that is life-giving, hopeful, encouraging? How can we sharpen our own thinking about these tricky aspects of our faith tradition? Join us for this adventure and exploration as travel together toward Holy Week and Easter.

S T A F F

Ministers: Every member of the congregation

GINGER E. GAINES-CIRELLI	SENIOR PASTOR
WILL GREEN	ASSOCIATE PASTOR / DIRECTOR OF DISCIPLESHIP
KELLY GRIMES	ASSOCIATE PASTOR/DIRECTOR OF HOSPITALITY AND CONGREGATIONAL CARE
BEN ROBERTS	ASSOCIATE PASTOR / DIRECTOR OF SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRIES
LANI WILLBANKS	BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR
STANLEY THURSTON	DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRIES
K.C. VAN ATTA-CASEBIER	DIRECTOR OF FAMILY MINISTRIES
JASPER TRAVIS	OFFICE MANAGER
TRACY PEARYER	FINANCE MANAGER
DAN CAMPOLIETA	MUSIC ASSOCIATE
GRANT MIZELL	HOSPITALITY COORDINATOR
PHIL CARNEY	HOSPITALITY ASSISTANT
ALICE CHANG	WEDDING COORDINATOR
JACKIE WRIGHT-MARTIN	SOCIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANT
ROSA VEGA	HOSPITALITY HOST
BRYAN VILLARROEL	HOSPITALITY ASSISTANT
SEKETHIA FARROW, MICHELE' WRIGHT, MATHILDE EYENGA EBOGO, RACHEL JAMIESON	CHILDCARE STAFF
ERIC LEE, LEE KATHENES, JUJUAN DYE	SOUND TECHNICIANS
ERIN RIDGE	MUSIC DEPARTMENT INTERN
CANDICE YORK	EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE SENIOR PASTOR

9:00 a.m. WORSHIP CELEBRATION

Please pick up a copy of the African American Heritage Hymnal from an usher or a greeter as you enter the sanctuary.

Gathering Music

"STILL"

REUBEN MORGAN

"BLESSED BE YOUR NAME"

MATT & BETH REDMAN

Welcome

Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

Centering Praise AAHH #134

ROBERT FRYSON

GOD IS

Parish Announcements

Ben Roberts

Copies of announcements and prayer requests are available at the Welcome Desk.

Children's Message

Kelly Grimes

Engaging the Word

GENESIS 2:15-17, 3:1-7

Choral Praise

HEZEKIAH WALKER

EVERY PRAISE

Sermon

Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

THE DEVIL MADE ME DO IT

Offertory

T.C. Morrow

Music at the Offertory

DONALD VAILS

THEY THAT WAIT ON THE LORD

Invitation to Holy Communion

Will Green and
K.C. Van Atta-Casebier

We celebrate an open communion table with bread and grape juice. All are welcome to participate. Gluten-free elements are available on the left side of the center aisle.

Confession and Pardon K.C. Van Atta-Casebier and Will Green

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.

One Voice: ...in the name of Jesus Christ you are forgiven!

Many Voices: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven. Glory to God!
Amen.

+Passing the Peace

We invite you to share signs of peace, welcome, and reconciliation with those around you.

+Great Thanksgiving Will Green and K.C. Van Atta-Casebier

Throughout our liturgy today, the choir will lead us in singing TFWS #2258 "Sing Alleluia to the Lord" Verses 1, 2, 5 & 6. We invite you to sing at the prompting of our cantor.

The Lord's Prayer

K.C. Van Atta-Casebier

Our Mother/Father, who art in heaven,
Hallowed be Thy name.
Thy Kin-dom 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 Kin-dom,
And the power,
And the glory forever.
Amen.

Music for Communion AAHH #679

JOHN COOPER

LORD, I HAVE SEEN THY SALVATION

Hiding the Alleluias

Foundry Children & Pastoral Team

+Hymn AAHH #271

JOHN NEWTON

AMAZING GRACE

Verses 1, 3 & 5

+Benediction

Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

Please return your African American Heritage Hymnal to an usher or greeter in the narthex as you exit. Thank you.

Individual Prayer

Members of the Foundry Prayer Ministry Team are available after services at the front of the sanctuary for one-on-one prayer.

+Rise, as you are able.

Hearing assistance devices can be found at the sound desk in the sanctuary.

UMH – United Methodist Hymnal (Red) | TFWS – The Faith We Sing (Black)

AAHH - African American Heritage Hymnal (pick up from an usher or greeter when you enter the sanctuary)

Services may be photographed, recorded/live-streamed at any given time. Presence during these services gives permission for audio and/or images of individuals to be used. To opt out, the areas located in the rear under the balcony will not be recorded.

CCLI License #2668115 (Church Copyright License)

11:15 a.m. WORSHIP CELEBRATION

Welcome

Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

+Processional UMH #158

BENJAMIN CARR

COME, CHRISTIANS, JOIN TO SING

+Call to Worship

K.C. Van Atta-Casebier

Bring your questions, doubts, and fears.

God's love can hold them all.

Bring your laughter, pain, and tears.

God's love can hold them all.

On this Lenten journey we worship with this hope:

No matter how we come, we are held together in God's love. Amen.

Parish Announcements

Ben Roberts

Copies of announcements and prayer requests are available at the Welcome Desk.

Children's Message

Kelly Grimes

Engaging the Word

GENESIS 2:15-17, 3:1-7

Anthem*MIRIAM DRURY, LELAND SATEREN*

THE LIVING BREAD

Sermon

Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

THE DEVIL MADE ME DO IT

Offertory

Kelly Grimes

Music at the Offertory*VAN DENMAN THOMPSON*

FATHER, IN THY MYSTERIOUS PRESENCE KNEELING

Invitation to Holy Communion

Will Green

We celebrate an open communion table with bread and grape juice. All are welcome to participate. Gluten-free elements are available on the left side of the center aisle.

Confession and Pardon

Ben Roberts

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.

One Voice: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners. That proves God's love for us. In the name of Jesus Christ you are forgiven.

In the name of Jesus Christ you are forgiven. Glory to God! Amen.

Pardon

Will Green

One Voice: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners. That proves God's love for us. In the name of Jesus Christ you are forgiven.

Many Voices: In the name of Jesus Christ you are forgiven. Glory to God! Amen.

The Passing of the Peace**+Great Thanksgiving**

Will Green & Ben Roberts

Throughout our liturgy today, the choir will lead us in singing TFWS #2258 "Sing Alleluia to the Lord" Verses 1, 2, 5 & 6. We invite you to sing at the prompting of our cantor.

The Lord's Prayer

Ben Roberts

Our Mother/Father, who art in heaven,
Hallowed be Thy name.
Thy Kin-dom 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 Kin-dom,
And the power,
And the glory forever.
Amen.

Music for Communion

UMH #159 "LIFT HIGH THE CROSS" *SYDNEY HUGO NICHOLSON*

UMH #160 "REJOICE, YE PURE IN HEART" *ARTHUR MESSITER*

UMH #162 "ALLELUIA, ALLELUIA" *DONALD FISHEL*

Hiding the Alleluias

Foundry Children & Pastoral Team

+Hymn UMH #378

JOHN NEWTON, EDWIN EXCELL

AMAZING GRACE

Verses 1, 3 & 5

+Benediction

Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

+Recessional

+Postlude BWV 737

J. S. BACH

VATER UNSER IM HIMMELREICH

(Our Father Who Art in Heaven)

Individual Prayer

Members of the Foundry Prayer Ministry Team are available after services at the front of the sanctuary for one-on-one prayer.

+Rise, as you are able.

Hearing assistance devices can be found at the sound desk in the sanctuary.

UMH — United Methodist Hymnal (Red) | TFWS — The Faith We Sing (Black)

AAHH - African American Heritage Hymnal (pick up from an usher or greeter when you enter the sanctuary)

Services may be photographed, recorded/live-streamed at any given time. Presence during these services gives permission for audio and/or images of individuals to be used. To opt out, the areas located in the rear under the balcony will not be recorded.

CCLI License #2668115 (Church Copyright License)

TODAY AT FOUNDRY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

MUSIC

8:15 a.m. Jubalate - Choir Room

10:00 a.m. Chancel Choir - Choir Room

CHILDREN & YOUTH

All children and youth should be checked in prior to attending their activities. The Family Ministries welcome desk is located outside the Community Commons. Childcare for infants through 2-year-olds is available during all services and during the education hour.

Children's Worship: Children from age three through 5th grade are invited to participate in Children's Worship. They will be met by servant leaders at the front left door of the sanctuary shortly before the sermon. 3 and 4 year olds will meet in Room 208 and children in kindergarten through 5th grade will meet in Room 203.

9:20 - 10:00 a.m. Kindergarten-5th Grade Children's Worship, Room 203. Age 3 and 4 Children's Worship, Room 208. Please pick your kids up from Room 203 after the service.

10:10 - 11:05 a.m. Sunday School

Ages 3/4: Room 207

Grades 4-5: Room 205

Ages Kindergarten/Grade 1: Room 206

Grades 6-8: Fellowship Hall Stage

Grades 2-3: Room 204

Grades 9-12: Youth Room

Foundry Parents

Small groups for parents of all ages to meet at 10:10 a.m. on Sunday mornings. You're invited to join a small group and connect! 0-3 yrs group meets in Room 101 and Preschool-Highschool meet in Room 208.

Confirmation Class meeting: In Room B-1.

ADULTS

9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Faithful & Inclusive: The Bible, Sexuality, and the United Methodist Church, in Room 202.

10:10 a.m. - 11:05 a.m.

Know Yourself (pt 2) Part 2 explores the United Methodist Social Principles, which outline the practical implications of our theology and heritage. Pt 1 not required for participation.

Practicing Spirituality: "Quaker Communal Silent Meditation" Part I, Room 203, led by Deryl Davis.

DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRIES

Know Yourself (pt 2): The United Methodist Social Principles

Continuation of the 3-part series examining the unique practices and perspectives that make us United Methodists. Part 2 explores the United Methodist Social Principles, which outline the practical implications of our theology and heritage. Pt 1 not required for participation.

FAMILY MINISTRIES

Feed our Hungry Teenagers!

Each Foundry Youth@Night meeting starts with dinner, and we need your help. Meals are needed to feed approximately 20 on Sunday evenings now through May 2020. You can cook, order, or have a delivery sent, and our teenagers will be eternally grateful. Signups and more information available at tinyurl.com/FoundryYouthDinner.

Children's Worship Volunteers Needed

If you would be interested in volunteering with our amazing Foundry Kids during their dedicated worship time on Sunday mornings, please talk to Pastor K.C. or email her at kcvc@foundryumc.org.

LENTEN OPPORTUNITIES

A graphic with the text "lenten evensong" in a white, serif font. The background is a dark, starry night sky with a faint horizon line and some light rays.

Lenten Evensong	March 4, 11, 18, 25, 6:15 p.m.
Wednesday Services	April 1, 8, 6:15 p.m.
Lenten Special Music	March 15, 9:00 a.m. & 11:15 a.m.
Palm Sunday	April 5, 9:00 a.m. & 11:15 a.m.
Maundy Thursday	Foot/Hand Washing & Holy Communion April 9, 7:00 p.m.
Easter Sunday	April 12, 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., & 11:15 a.m.
Worship Celebration	

Prayer Flags & An Altar for All

Help us prepare for our witness at this year's General Conference by stopping by the Altar for All in our Narthex and creating a prayer flag or card. These will be carried with our volunteers to General Conference as a visible representation of the prayers of the Foundry Community. For more information, email Pastor Will at wgreen@foundryumc.org.

Easter Flowers on Sale

Flowers to decorate our sanctuary during Easter can now be purchased in honor or memory of a loved one. Flowers are \$20 and can be purchased at the Welcome Desk or online at <https://bit.ly/easteratfoundry>. Email wgreen@foundryumc.org for more information.

MUSIC MINISTRIES

The Richness of Music in Worship

Each service will include special Lenten music around this theme. At 9 a.m. Jubalate presents *For Such a One as This* -- music by Mark Hayes, lyrics by Bob Hoose, concept and drama by Jim Custer. At 11:15 a.m. the Chancel Choir will present *Te Deum (We Praise Thee, O God)* -- music by Dan Forrest, and *Ubi Caritas* by Rene Clausen.

SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRIES

Affirmatively Furthering Comments on Fair Housing

HUD is trying to roll back a 2015 regulation that required states, localities, and public housing authorities to actively promote fair housing opportunities for people of color, people with disabilities, women, and other groups protected by the Fair Housing Act. You can submit a comment opposing this proposal by visiting our table outside the Community Commons between services today.

ID Ministry Special Offering Today

Today we are collecting a special offering to support our ID Ministry. This ministry supports low-income and unhoused neighbors to purchase the vital documents they need for housing, jobs, and school. You can make a donation as you exit, volunteers are on hand to gather offerings and answer questions.

SACRED RESISTANCE

SNAPSHOT

In the last decade, 20,000 residents of color have been displaced in the city. If the DC Housing Authority doesn't guarantee the right of current residents, thousands more could be displaced. Join us in supporting affordable housing and fighting displacement at the WIN candidate forum on March 22. You can register at <https://tinyurl.com/wzogehl>.

NOTES

Foxall Society Of Foundry

A bequest in your will or trust is an easy way to provide for loved ones while also helping to secure Foundry's future. For more information or to let Foundry know about your estate plans, email foxallsociety@foundryumc.org

WAYS TO GIVE



ONLINE



CHECK



CASH



WELCOME
DESK KIOSK

WWW.FOUNDRYUMC.ORG/GIVE

AVAILABLE
ON AMAZON

SACRED RESISTANCE
by GINGER GAINES-CIRELLI



FOUNDRY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH HAS BEEN IN MINISTRY
IN WASHINGTON, DC SINCE 1814.

1500 16TH STREET, NW | WASHINGTON, DC 20036

TEL: 202-332-4010

FOUNDRYUMC.ORG

