

Sunday, November 12, 2017



“Love Me, Tinder”
Rev. Will Green

CURRENT SERMON SERIES: Mashups

mashup - a mixture or fusion of disparate elements

Relationships are vital to life. They can at once be life-giving and fulfilling and also frustrating and draining. There is no one-size-fits-all approach to our relationships.

Biblical stories portray a wide range, whether with friends, partners, or families. The classic stories of our faith – Ruth and Naomi, Samuel and Eli, Cain and Abel – present a mashup of personalities, strengths, weaknesses, desires, and fears. We are no different. Sometimes the most complicated characters end up playing the largest roles. Join us as we explore our role in God’s story with all our beautiful and (sometimes) messy relationships.

November 19 - Genesis 4:3-14: Pastor Dawn M. Hand preaching
“How We Rise”

November 26 - 1 Samuel 3:8-18: T.C. Morrow preaching
“Don’t Hold Back”

Ministers: Every member of the congregation

STAFF

- Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli Senior Pastor
- Dawn M. Hand Executive Pastor / Chief of Staff
- Al Hammer Associate Pastor / Chief Operations Officer
- Will Green Associate Pastor / Director of Connecting Ministries
- Ben Roberts Associate Pastor / Director of Social Justice Ministries
- Stanley Thurston Director of Music Ministries
- Whitney Kinsey Director of Family Ministries
- Alma Deligny Director of Financial Services
- Kate Oliver Office Manager
- Camille Travis Hospitality Coordinator
- MJ Jean Executive Assistant
- Phil Carney, Erica Hollins, Carl Long Evening/Weekend Admin Assistants
- Alice Chang Wedding Coordinator
- Olivia James, Jackie Wright-Martin Finance Assistants
- Rosa Vega Hospitality Host
- Chasta Piatakovas, Sekethia Farrow, Michele’ Wright Childcare Staff
- Jill Stevenson Mission Possible Phase II Project Manager
- Jamie Darken, Eric Lee, Lee Katheres, Wayne Nelson Sound Technicians
- Pastor on Call 202.332.4010

Sunday, November 12, 2017 | 9:00 AM Service

Please pick up an African American Heritage Hymnal from an usher or greeter.

Welcome

Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

+Gathering Music

HEZEKIAH WALKER & JOHN BRATTON

"Every Praise"

1. Every praise is to our God; every word of worship with one accord.
Every praise, every praise is to our God.
 2. Sing hallelujah to our God; glory hallelujah is due our God.
Every praise, every praise is to our God.
- Refrain: God, my Savior. God, my Healer. God, my Deliverer.
Yes, He is! Yes, He is!

Parish Announcements

Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

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

Stewardship Moment

Reprise

HEZEKIAH WALKER

"Every Praise"

Children's Message

Whitney Kinsey

Children's Choir participants meet choir directors at the back of the church.

Response: AAHH #130

TRADITIONAL

"The Angels Keep A-Watchin'"

Call to Prayer

Ben Roberts

Hymn of Preparation: AAHH #319

RICHARD SMALLWOOD

"Holy Spirit"

Prayer

Ben Roberts

The Lord's Prayer

#3 on the Lord's Prayer Card

Scripture Reading

Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

Ruth 1:7-18 OT page 241

One Voice: Hear what the Spirit is saying.

Many Voices: Thanks be to God.

Children Kindergarten - 5th grade are invited to depart for Children's Worship.

Choral Praise

ANDRAE CROUCH

“Soon and Very Soon”
Frances Brooks, *soloist*

Sermon

Will Green

Love Me, Tinder

Offertory

Ben Roberts

Music at the Offertory

TRADITIONAL

“Be Still, God Will Fight Your Battles”

+Doxology: AAHH #651

OLD ONE HUNDRETH

“Praise God from whom all Blessings Flow”

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise God all creatures here below. Praise God above, ye heavenly hosts; Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen.

+Sending Forth

DAVID FRAZIER

“I Need You to Survive”

1. I need you; you need me; we’re all a part of God’s body. Stand with me; agree with me; we’re all a part of God’s body.

Refrain: It is His will that every need be supplied. You are important to me. I need you to survive.

2. I pray for you; you pray for me; I love you; I need you to survive.

I won’t harm you with words from my mouth; I love you; I need you to survive.

Repeat Refrain.

+Benediction

Will Green

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 (on cart as you enter the Sanctuary)

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Sunday, November 12, 2017 | 11:15 AM Service

Welcome

Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

+Processional: UMH #132

HERBERT HOWELLS

"All My Hope Is Firmly Grounded"

+Call to Worship*

Ben Roberts

One Voice: Creator of the world, eternal God,

Many Voices: We have come from many places for a little while.

Redeemer of humanity, God-with-us,

**We have come with all our differences,
seeking common ground.**

Spirit of unity, go-between God,

**We have come on journeys of our own, to a
place where journeys meet.**

In this place where varied paths cross and unlikely
relationships emerge,
there is much to share and celebrate.

**We give thanks for surprising gifts on the
way. In your name, Three-In-One God,
pattern of community. Amen!**

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Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

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Stewardship Moment

Children's Message

Whitney Kinsey

Offertory

Ben Roberts

Music at the Offertory

RENÉ CLAUSEN

"Set Me as a Seal" from *A New Creation*

+Doxology: UMH #94

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise God, all creatures here
below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise
Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Old Testament Reading

Ginger E. Gaines-Cirelli

Ruth 1:7-18 OT page 241

One Voice: Hear what the Spirit is saying.

Many Voices: Thanks be to God.

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Anthem

HALL JOHNSON

"Ain't Got Time to Die"

Greg McGruder, *soloist*

Sermon

Will Green

Love Me, Tinder

Baptismal Covenant

Brady Q. Tyra

One Voice: Do you, as Christ's body, the Church, reaffirm both your rejection of sin and your commitment to Christ?

Many Voices: We do.

Will you nurture one another in the Christian faith and life, and include Brady now before you, in your care?

With God's help we will proclaim the good news and live according to the example of Christ. We will surround Brady with a community of love and forgiveness, that he may grow in his trust of God, and be found faithful in his service to others. We will pray for Brady, that he may be a true disciple who walks in the way that leads to life.

Reception of New Members

One Voice: Members of the household of God, I commend these persons to your love and care. Do all in your power to increase their faith, confirm their hope, and perfect them in love.

Many Voices: We give thanks for all that God has already given you and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and in this congregation of The United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant faithfully to participate in the ministries of the church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.

+Hymn: UMH #557

JOHANN NÄGELI, ARR. LOWELL MASON

“Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

+Benediction

Will Green

+Recessional

Individual Prayer

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

**Adapted from Iona Abbey Worship Book, used with permission.*

+Rise, as you are able

Participating musicians: Patrick Lahan, piano

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New Member Biographies

Hannah-Alise Rogers is a native of Atlanta, Georgia. She lives in Capitol Hill with her partner, Brady Tyra, and their dog, Maggie. Hannah-Alise is an attorney for the United States government. When she's not at work, she enjoys baking bread, walking with Maggie, traveling, and cheering for the Washington Nationals and the Georgia Bulldogs. She was a member of Eastside Church in Atlanta, Georgia, and is excited to have found a church home at Foundry.

Brady Q. Tyra was born and raised in the Greater DMV. After receiving his degree in Classical Languages, he switched career paths into Data Analytics. Brady currently works as a Data Analyst for the Department of Energy. While not immersed in code and numbers, he enjoys all things outdoor-related. He lives in Capitol Hill with his partner, Hannah-Alise, and their Westie, Maggie.

Matthew Tinkcom is a native Washingtonian (well, technically, he grew up in Montgomery County) and has lived in the U.K., the Persian Gulf, California, Texas, and Pennsylvania. He is a faculty member at Georgetown University, where he teaches film studies, and has been attending Foundry Church for four years, where he and his best friend Stephen Link have found a spiritual home. He likes to run, bike, read, cook, paint and draw, and watch films.

Matthew C. Webb is originally from South Carolina. He first moved to the Washington, D.C. area to start high school in 1993 and has remained connected to the area ever since. After graduating from the College of William & Mary and the University of Richmond School of Law, he returned to the area to begin working for the Department of Homeland Security in 2005. Matt now practices national security law for the Department of Defense. He lives in Arlington, Virginia.

Today At Foundry United Methodist Church

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR

Altar flowers in memory of those who passed before the celebration of this day: Olive C. and Willis M. Parkhurst
Carl Kenneth Smith, Lawrence C. Branham and
Kurt Branham, and Brian C. Nowlin.

All are welcome to join activities and classes listed on these pages.
Previous attendance or registration is not required.

Music

8:00 AM Gospel Choir, Choir Room
9:15 AM Children's Choir, Room B1
10:00 AM Chancel Choir, Choir Room

Children & Youth

All children and youth should be checked in prior to attending their activities. There are kiosks located at the nursery, outside the Community Commons and in the upstairs hallway near the Children's Ministry classrooms for your convenience. Volunteers will be at each location to help.

9:20 - 10:00 AM Children's Worship (see details below), Fellowship Hall

10:15 - 11:05 AM Sunday School

Ages 2 - 3: Childcare Center
Ages 4/Pre-K - K: Room 206
Grades 1 - 2: Room 204

Grades 3 - 5: Room 205
Grades 6 - 8: Room 203
Grades 9 - 12: Youth Room

11:40 AM - 12:15 PM Children's Worship, Fellowship Hall

Children's Worship: Children from Kindergarten - 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 at the beginning of the sermon. Please pick up your children from the Fellowship Hall following service.

Adults

10:10 - 11:05 AM (Continues on following page)

Practicing Spirituality, "God's Soul-Saving Love: Justifying Grace"
Room 101, led by Stephen Roberts

Retrieving the Classics of Christian Tradition
Davenport Center, led by Anthony Cirelli

Parenting Discussion Group, "Electronic Devices and Social Media"
Room 207, led by Patricia Bravo

10:10 - 11:05 AM (Continued from previous page)

Racial Justice Discussion on "Beloved Community"

Room B2, led by Cassandra Lawrence

12:30 - 1:45 PM

Sermon Reflection

Davenport Center, led by Josianne Blackman, Dave and Ella Cleveland

Fantastic Biblical Beasts & Where to Find Them

Room 101, Pastor Will and Logan Alley

Dealing with Loss and Transition

Room 208, facilitated by Jeff Dietterle

All Are Welcome

12:30 - 1:45 PM Community Lunch

Community Commons, Donations of \$5 or more are welcome

The community luncheon today is sponsored in part by the Racial Justice Ministry Team to highlight the role of black-owned restaurants in DC.

6:00 - 8:00 PM

The LGBT Potluck hosted by David Stivaletta

1432 Q St., NW. Please bring a dish to share and your favorite beverage!

Sacred Resistance Ministry Team

We need you! Interested in working on a one-month planning team to coordinate weekly actions? Let us know at resist@foundryumc.org.

Please visit foundryumc.org/resist for this week's action and to register for email alerts, to submit your suggestions for prayers and actions and to check for updates. Please contact the team anytime at resist@foundryumc.org.

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Sundays, Today through December 10: Fair Trade Items Available

Coffee, tea, chocolate, nuts, dried fruit and olive oil will be available in Community Commons at wholesale prices, starting today. Thanks to the partnership between Equal Exchange and UMCOR, farmers receive fair wages and are assisted in establishing co-ops and using sustainable growing practices. Orders by case may be placed up until Nov. 19. Contact fairtrade@foundryumc.org or 202-269-3890.

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Saturday, November 18: One DC Neighborhood Tour

The Racial Justice Ministry team has partnered with ONE DC for a neighborhood tour and community learning process about displacement and how we organize for equitable development. Reservations for the 10:30 AM tour are required at <http://bit.ly/2m5xLUP>. (The tour is filled at 15 reservations.) Contact Racialjustice@foundryumc.org for more information.

Sunday, November 19: Bible Sunday

Families of third graders, please mark your calendars for Bible Sunday on November 19, 2017. We will present Bibles to children during both services. Please email wkinsey@foundryumc.org today or tomorrow, Monday, November 13, with your child's name (to be printed in the Bible) and which service you plan to attend.

Wednesday, November 22: Thanksgiving Eve Service at Asbury UMC

Asbury UMC, our sister church located at 926 11th St. NW, is holding a Thanksgiving Eve service on Wednesday at 7:00 PM. All are welcome to attend. Parking is available on levels 2 and 3 of Nation Garage adjacent to the church on 11th Street. The garage attendant will provide visitors with a parking pass to place on their dashboard.

Saturday, December 2: Christmas Festival

Join Foundry Children's Ministry and Friends of Stead Park for the Annual Community Christmas Festival! We'll have fun, food, crafts, gingerbread house decorating, and pictures with Santa. If you would like to purchase a gingerbread house, you may do so at <http://bit.ly/2xzb6Bz>. The cost per house is \$15. Questions? Interested in Volunteering? Email Whitney Kinsey@foundryumc.org.

Sunday, December 3: Photo Scavenger Hunt

Join Foundry's Youth Group for a photo scavenger hunt! We will meet in Foundry's youth room for pizza, and after, join up for a scavenger hunt through the neighborhood. Recommended donation for pizza is \$5. We will conclude by 3:00 PM. Youth may be picked up at Foundry, or make their way home via public transportation.

Sunday, December 10: Confirmation Class Information Session

Foundry's 2018 confirmation class will begin in January. All youth in grades 6 and higher who have not yet been confirmed are welcome to participate. On Sunday, December 10, we will have a mandatory confirmation interest/orientation meeting for the parents and caregivers of potential participants. Youth attendance is optional. Any parents or caregivers unable to attend the orientation must schedule a separate meeting with Whitney Kinsey, Director of Family Ministries.

Save the Date

Saturday, December 2: Hanging of the Greens

Wednesdays, December 6, 13 and 20: Advent Midweek Services

Sunday, December 10: Advent Special Music

Sunday, December 17: Christmas Pageant

Thursday, December 21: Longest Night Worship Service

Poinsettia Order Deadline Extended



Please place your order
for Poinsettias by Nov 27.
at foundrymc.org/poinsettias
or at the Welcome Desk



Family Ministries

Tips and Discussions on Parenting

Parents: are you looking for a way to meet new people and discuss relevant parenting issues with others? Join us for a parenting discussion group today at 10:10 AM, meeting in room 207. Parents with children of ALL ages are welcome and no signups are required.

Topics will include the following:

- What kind of parent do I want to be? (October 29)
- Dealing with feelings, tantrums and moods (November 5)
- Electronic devices and social media (November 12)
- Bullying (November 19)
- Dealing with what's in the news (December 3)
- Sibling issues (December 10)

We hope you'll join us! Questions? Email Director of Family Ministries Whitney Kinsey at wkinsey@foundrymc.org



HONOR THE PAST. BUILD THE FUTURE.

Coffee, Conversation, and Community

One of the most ambitious parts of our Mission Possible Phase II capital campaign would establish a new coffeehouse ministry in the space we currently call Davenport Center. Because an endeavor of this type requires much careful thought, the project won't be fully defined for another year or two. But Foundry members are already at work to shape a vision and a mission for this innovative ministry, which will introduce all that we love about Foundry to our church's neighbors and the larger community.

The Building and Coffeehouse Ministry Teams have met to begin discussing shared expectations for the physical and programmatic aspects of the coffeehouse. The next step is to secure the services of a broker who will help connect Foundry with a partner to operate the coffeehouse.

Feel free to share any ideas, questions or concerns you may have about this project by emailing Jill Stevenson, the Mission Possible project manager at missionpossible@foundryumc.org. Thanks to all who are sharing your financial gifts to advance Mission Possible. Our hope is that Foundry's Coffeehouse will provide a place where people can gather for great conversation, enjoying an embracing community as well as some (fair trade) coffee and other snacks!

