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FACEBOOK: Worship in a New Key at the Presbyterian Church of Lawrenceville

## **OUR MISSION:**

CALLED, FED, SENT. The Presbyterian Church of Lawrenceville is a welcoming community, called by God to be followers of Jesus Christ, fed by the Word of God, & **sent** by the Spirit into the world to live lives of stewardship and service.

### WINK STAFF

The Reverend Doctor Jeffrey A. Vamos The Reverend Doctor Merideth Mueller

> WINK INTERNS Julie Demaree,

GUEST PREACHER John Timpane

### **MUSICIANS**

Darren Saint-Ulysse Gretchen Jaeckel John Timpane Brian Yank Roger Child

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

### What's next at WiNK? A Lenten Series:

T.S. Eliot's Four Quartets is a set of four linked poems with a common theme of the human experience of time, the universe, and the divine. Eliot uses symbolic allusions, literary references and theological themes from both Eastern and Western thought throughout. The poems are challenging, provocative and beautiful; some rank the collection among the greatest achievements of western art, like Shakespeare's 'King Lear' or Mozart's Piano Concertos. Join us as we explore this rich and complex collection this season in Lent.

### Walking the Way of the Cross:

You are invited to experience the Lenten season in a new way this year. From this Wednesday February 14, Ash Wednesday, through Good Friday, March 30, there will be new artwork displayed in the meetinghouse each week depicting Jesus' journey to the cross. Come into the meetinghouse during the day or evening to reflect on the artwork and deepen your own Lenten journey with meditations available there.

# Child Care

Child care is available this week and every week in the nursery off of Fellowship Hall. Please ask the greeter or a WiNK staff person to show you the way.

## Cover Art

"QU4RTETS," a (2014) exhibition poster by the Fujimura Institute under the auspices of International Arts Movement to celebrate and explore Four Quartets, the poems written by T.S. Eliot.



## THE PEOPLE'S PREPARATION

"We shall not cease from exploration And the end of all our exploring Will be to arrive where we started And know the place for the first time." T.S. Eliot

\* Indicates that we invite you to please stand as you are able in either body or spirit.

Gathering Music

Welcome & Passing of the Peace

Call To Worship Ashes have been smeared and sins have been confessed... We follow our faithful Lord. These times, they are troubling. This journey, it is hard... We follow our faithful Lord.

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## CALLED

## It is God who sustains, not the temptations of this world...

We follow our faithful Lord.

In the Lord is our trust, our protection from harm... We follow our faithful Lord.

Come, let us worship the One whom we serve...

We follow our faithful Lord.

\*Song of Praise

Will the Circle Be Unbroken

Will the circle be unbroken By and by, lord, by and by There's a better home a-waiting In the sky, lord, in the sky

Prayer of Praise and Confession

Words of Assurance

### FED

Psalm 139:1-18, 23-24

<sup>1</sup>O LORD, you have searched me and known me. <sup>2</sup>You know when I sit down and when I rise up; you discern my thoughts from far away. <sup>3</sup>You search out my path and my lying down, and are acquainted with all my ways. <sup>4</sup>Even before a word is on my tongue, O LORD, you know it completely. <sup>5</sup>You hem me in, behind and before, and lay your hand upon me. <sup>6</sup>Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; it is so high that I cannot attain it. <sup>7</sup>Where can I go from your spirit? Or where can I flee from your presence? <sup>8</sup> If I ascend to heaven, you are there; if I make my bed in Sheol, you are there. <sup>9</sup> If I take the wings of the morning and settle at the farthest limits of the sea, <sup>10</sup> even there your hand shall lead me, and your right hand shall hold me fast.

<sup>11</sup> If I say, "Surely the darkness shall cover me, and the light around me become night,"

<sup>12</sup> even the darkness is not dark to you; the night is as bright as the day, for darkness is as light to you. <sup>13</sup> For it was you who formed my inward parts; you knit me together in my mother's womb. <sup>14</sup> I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works; that I know very well. <sup>15</sup> My frame was not hidden from you, when I was being made in secret, intricately woven in the depths of the earth. <sup>16</sup> Your eyes beheld my unformed substance. In your book were written all the days that were formed for me, when none of them as yet existed. <sup>17</sup> How weighty to me are your thoughts, O God! How vast is the sum of them! <sup>18</sup> I try to count them—they are more than the sand; I come to the end<sup>[a]</sup>—I am still with you. <sup>23</sup> Search me, O God, and know my heart; test me and know my thoughts. <sup>24</sup> See if there is any wicked<sup>[c]</sup> way in me,

and lead me in the way everlasting.<sup>[d]</sup>

Meditation

T.S. Eliot's Four Quartets

John Timpane

~Silent Reflection~

Song of Response

## Keep Your Lamps Trimmed and Burning

Offertory Prayer

Call to Offering

Offertory Song

Lenten Prayer of Intercession Each petition will end "God of love (justice, justice, peace, healing, mercy..." Response: "... Hear our Prayer"

The Lord's Supper

The Lord be with you. And also with you. Lift up your hearts. We lift them up to the Lord. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise. ...who forever sing to the glory of your name:

> Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might; Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Music During Communion

Prayer after Communion & The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven,

Hallowed be your name, Your kingdom come, Your will be done, On earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.

\*Sending Song

This Little Light of Mine

Charge & Benediction

Keep your lamps trimmed and burning Keep your lamps trimmed and burning Keep your lamps trimmed and burning For this old world is almost done

Ain't No Grave

Christ has died. Christ is Risen. Christ will come again.

Amazing Grace

Blue 280

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.

**SENT**