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# Need some mid-week refreshment?

Join us for

## “Engaging Faith and ...”

Fall 2017 Campus Worship Series



Wednesday | 11 a.m.  
Hensdale Chapel

## **FALL CAMPUS WORSHIP SCHEDULE 2017**

Jesus made faith accessible. His stories and teachings centered around places and activities where people lived: a sower on a farm sowing seeds, a woman sweeping a house, a group fishing in a boat, a man building a house, a woman drawing water at a well. Into the chores of everyday living, God's presence came like an ice-cold Powerade to refresh and renew. We live in a new day, a different culture: anxiety, video gaming, extreme sports, social media. But God still speaks refreshment to our souls, right where we live. Could you use some refreshment? Join us for chapel. No pressure. Engage faith and your life. Campus Worship is at 11 a.m. each Wednesday, in Hensdale Chapel.

## **AUGUST**

### **8/23 Engaging Faith and Life: But Do They Serve Refreshments?**

In college life, in all of life, faith is not the pressure but the valve. The spiritual life is not meant to add to your stress, but to relieve it.

### **8/30 Engaging Faith and Coffee: What's the Story Behind the Cup?**

There is so much to the story of a cup of coffee: from the story of the farmer who cultivated the beans, to the story of the person who brews it, to YOUR story as you drink it.

## **SEPTEMBER**

### **9/6 Engaging Faith and Extreme Sports: Do You Like to Live on the Edge?**

Extreme is considered the new thing these days, be it extreme sports, extreme rides, or extreme ideas. What Jesus and his disciples did (What we are called to do) is the true definition of Extreme.

### **9/13 Engaging Faith and Anxiety: What Are We So Afraid Of?**

We are safer, live longer, hurt less, and earn more, yet we are more afraid than ever. Fear has slipped into our souls, leaving us on edge and constantly anxious. Will we cave to fear or rise in faith?

### **9/20 Engaging Faith and Screen time: What is Real?**

Sometimes it's difficult to tell what's real and what's fake. Reality TV has something to teach us about both.

### **9/27 Engaging Faith and Music: Broken Lantern Project in Concert**

Join us for a mid-week time of praise and worship to refresh the soul. The songs of Broken Lantern Project speak both to the characteristics of God and to the realities of walking with Christ daily.

## **OCTOBER**

### **10/4 Engaging Faith and World Peace: Does it Really Begin with Me?**

Join us for a special observance of World Communion Day.

### **10/11 Engaging Faith and Immigration: And Who is My Neighbor?**

Practicing generous hospitality is part of what it means to live out of the love of God. Welcoming others is a way that we welcome God into our lives.

### **10/18 Engaging Faith and Home: Where Do I Belong?**

Living in a residence hall often feels cramped and unfamiliar, but returning back to your hometown feels distant and odd. Oftentimes it feels like there's nowhere you belong. Could "home" be more than a location?

### **10/25 Engaging Faith and Vocation: Where in the World Will an MU Degree Take You?**

"Vocation" simply means "call." You will be surprised by how your MU degree uniquely equips you to live out God's call in the world.

## **NOVEMBER**

### **11/1 Engaging Faith with The Poor: Wesley Heritage Day (Service Project on The Quad)**

John Wesley, founder of the people called Methodists, would move away from charity and begging as responses to the needs of those on the economic margins. He looked for more lasting benefits and took a stance in favor of an 18th century form of individual, family, and community empowerment.

### **11/8 Engaging Faith and Video Gaming: Is Playing the Game Just Part of Being Human?**

Can a person of faith, in good conscience, head-shot a zombie to save a town? How we unpack spiritual significance has a lot to do with what we believe about being human.

### **11/15 Engaging Faith and Thanksgiving: A Place at the Table**

Eating together held important significance for families in the Bible. Join us as we transform The Quad into a banquet table for Thanksgiving, inviting to entire MU community, from every corner of campus, to find their place at the table.

### **11/29 Engaging Faith and Haiti: Well Done**

All through the Fall Semester we have been collecting money to build a well in Haiti. Did we meet the goal? Join us as we celebrate a job "well done!"

## **DECEMBER**

### **12/6 Engaging Faith and Christmas: Can Christmas Still Change the World?**

Christmas is meant to be a joyous celebration of Jesus' birth that enriches our hearts and the world around us, not a retail circus that depletes our pocketbooks and defeats our spirits. Advent Conspiracy shows you how to substitute consumption with compassion by practicing four simple but powerful, countercultural concepts.