SPEAKERS

Rev. Dr. Marie Onwubuariri, Director of ABHMS Intercultural Ministries team, will facilitate an interactive bible study this morning, using a lens of power dynamics analysis, where "power" is simply defined as the ability to do or be.



ABOUT THE PREACHER



The Rev. Veronique Lapaix is the senior pastor of Eglise Baptiste Ebenezer in Winchester, MA. She serves as the Haitian Liaison for the American Baptist Churches of Massachusetts and is a member of the board of directors of the Massachusetts Baptist Multicultural Ministries.

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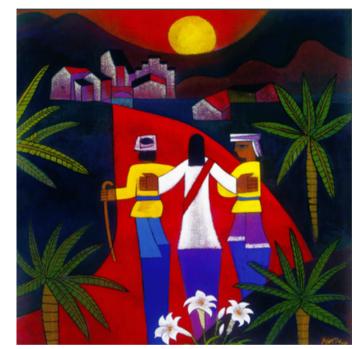
Many thanks to Upper Merion Baptist Church and Evangelical Formosan Church of Philadelphia—English Ministry for their openness to share this worship experience with the wider American Baptist family, for preparing today's fellowship meal, and for their overall wonderful hospitality. We give thanks, also, to all worship service participants for sharing your voices and gifts and contributing to this picture of intercultural faith.

FELLOWSHIP

Please stay for a time of continuing fellowship and a light lunch in the church lobby, featuring dishes representative of the diverse traditions and heritages in UMBC and EFC.

ENCOUNTERS WITH THE RISEN JESUS LUKE 24:13-35

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PRELUDE

Prof. Eunice Jeon, UMBC

Rev. Dr. Marie Onwubuariri,

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Greeting Your Neighbor*

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CALL TO WORSHIP

OPENING SONG*

Pastor Daniel Au and the UMBC/EFC Praise Team

Rev. Ben Sullivan, ABHMS

VIGNETTE: THOMAS & JESUS Mr. Terry Lastra San Juan, Puerto Rico

Pastor Patrick Roberts

Kenosha, WI

VIGNETTE: TESTIMONY OF AN ENCOUNTER WITH THE RISEN JESUS

SCRIPTURE READING LUKE 24:13-35 Dr. Kenneth Maahs, UMBC

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OFFERING OF PRAISE DANCE Ms. Eliam RÍos Aguas Buenas, Puerto Rico

PREACHED WORD: ENCOUNTERS WITH THE RISEN JESUS	Rev. Veronique Lapaix Boston, MA
SERMON RESPONSE	Rev. Dr. Marie Onwubuariri Ms. Lysa Mandip
CLOSING SONG*	Pastor Daniel Au and the UMBC/EFC Praise Team
BENEDICTION*	Rev. Dr. May May Latt Milwaukee, WI
*Please stand if you are able.	

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