

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.



THANK YOU

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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Upper Merion Baptist Church,
the Evangelical Formosan Church
of Philadelphia, and the
American Baptist Home Mission Societies
Intercultural Ministries and Forum Participants

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WORSHIP

PRELUDE Prof. Eunice Jeon, UMBC

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Dr. Marie Onwubuariri,
UMBC & ABHMS
*Greeting Your Neighbor**

CALL TO WORSHIP Rev. Ben Sullivan, ABHMS

OPENING SONG* Pastor Daniel Au and the
UMBC/EFC Praise Team

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

**VIGNETTE:
TESTIMONY OF AN
ENCOUNTER WITH
THE RISEN JESUS** Pastor Patrick Roberts
Kenosha, WI

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

**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.*

OFFERING

It is the practice of UMBC and EFC to collect tithes and offerings through designated offering plates located on a table at the back of the sanctuary. Anyone is welcome to contribute to the ministries of these congregations through these gifts, which we trust will be a blessing in God's hands. To learn more about these ministries, visit umbc.org and philly.efcga.org/eng.

For anyone who would like to advance the ministries of ABHMS through a monetary offering, you are welcome to give online by visiting abhms.org and clicking on the green "Give Now" button on the home page.