

Faith in 3D



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Martin Luther King, Jr. Weekend
January 13-16, 2012



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What is Faith in 3D?

Faith in 3D invites young people of different faith groups to explore our common faith in Jesus Christ through worship, education, and community building. On January 13-16, 2012 youth from a wide variety of communions, including The Presbyterian Church (USA), Cooperative Baptist Fellowship and Cumberland Presbyterian Church will meet at Walt Disney World® in Orlando, FL for Faith in 3D. This open event will give your students the opportunity to experience worship from a faith perspective different from their own, celebrate their faith with familiar traditions, build relationships with youth from around the country, and experience the wonder and magic that is Walt Disney World®.

Three days to create a place for faith to grow. Three days to experience God's word and Christ's community in a fun, relevant and youth encouraged community. In this ecumenical community, students will be asked to *Imagine* what it means to be made in God's image, and to understand what it takes to *Create* a life, a world and



a faith that is meaningful and dynamic. Then to *Animate* that faith so that it enlivens a weary and wanting world!

Faith in 3D 2012 will feature some new venues: Worship in the Disney Park Epcot®, sermons from 3 dynamic preachers, music from a fiery and youthful band, and drama and cultural references designed to reach students where they are - school, family, friendship, uncertainty, courage, etc. All with a certain mouse as an usher and fireworks as a postlude.

We're making plans for you to join us in this special weekend of discovering a faith that crosses denominational lines, connects hearts, and envelops the world. We're excited about bringing students together to experience faith in a different way. They will experience a faith that is wide, deep, long, and high.

The 2012 Worship Leadership

Each day of Faith in 3D will be highlighted by a large group worship service. Our opening celebration on Friday and worship on Saturday will both be in the heart of Epcot®! Faith in 3D worship brings together elements of worship that will be familiar and unique to the faith groups in attendance. Each service will feature speakers, music, drama and liturgy to bring the day's message with energy, creativity and delivered with youth in mind.



Julie Pennington-Russell has pastored First Baptist Church in Decatur, Georgia since 2007. In addition to serving her congregation, she is also a Trustee for Mercer University and her sermons have been featured on the 30 Good Minutes television broadcast, Day 1 Radio, and The Festival of Homiletics. Julie loves poetry, movies about redemption and second chances, and jotting down notes for that book she's been writing for about 20 years. Mostly Julie loves seeing the gleam in people's eyes when they have a life-changing encounter with Jesus.



Mark Yaconelli Mark is an author, speaker, retreat leader, spiritual director, community activist, youth worker, storyteller, disco dancer, husband to Jill and father to Noah, Joseph, and Grace. He is the program director for the Center for Engaged Compassion at Claremont School of Theology and the co-founder of Triptykos, a public action program of the CEC that heals broken people and communities through contemplation, creativity, and compassion. He has recently completed a new book entitled *Surprise Wedding and Other Tales of Compassion*. Mark's passion and love for ministry with young people is energizing and contagious.



Jerry Cannon has served as pastor of C.N. Jenkins Memorial Presbyterian Church in Charlotte, NC since 1992. Cannon has a passion for mentoring youth and young adults. His dynamic service and spiritual leadership at C. N. Jenkins has made an impact on ten of the young adult members who have recently entered schools of Religion. Dr. Cannon has completed service as a member of the Board of Trustees, Johnson C. Smith Theological Seminary; a member of the Board of Directors of Goodwill Industries of Central Carolina; Faculty member of Project Burning Bush – Union Theological Seminary; Faculty member of Love of Learning Program of Davidson College; former President of the National Black Presbyterian Caucus; past Chair of the Presbyterian Cross Caucus Committee; former member, Barium Springs Home for Children; and a member of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity.

Schedule

Friday

- 9:00 AM Registration open all day at Disney's® Coronado Springs Resort and Caribbean Beach Resort. Spend the rest of the day park-hopping!
- 8:00 PM Opening Celebration at Epcot's® World ShowPlace!
- 9:30 PM Return to resorts

Saturday

- 8:00 AM Buses leave for Epcot®
- 8:30 AM Breakfast around the World Showcase Lagoon*
- 9:00 AM ImagiNations: a Faith in 3D education program in partnership with Disney's® Y.E.S. (See Special Events)
- 12:00 PM Lunch at World ShowPlace*
- 1:00 PM Playtime in the Parks!
- 7:00 PM Worship with Julie Pennington-Russell at Epcot's® World ShowPlace

9:00 PM Illuminations: Reflections of Earth, fireworks, laser and water show!

9:30 PM Return to resorts

Sunday

- Free time all day
- 8:00 PM Worship with Mark Yaconelli at Coronado Springs Resort
- 10:00 PM Extended pool hours at Coronado Springs and Caribbean Beach Resort (See Special Events)
- Midnight Return to rooms and lights out!

Monday

- 9:00 AM Breakfast
- 10:00 AM MLK Day Celebration and worship (communion) with Jerry Cannon at Coronado Springs
- 12:00 PM Good-bye and Safe Travel Home!

* Meal is provided as a part of conference registration fee.



Lighthouse

The mission of the Lighthouse and Miami Music Ministries is to be a beacon of Jesus' love, committed to bringing people into God's family rooted in the reality that for centuries the Church was a pioneer and leader in the arts: music, architecture, sculpture, and painting. Lighthouse believes our world is a rapidly changing place and youth need a place where they can express how their Christian faith relates in these uncertain and chaotic times.

Imagine a place where we come to learn how to use our gifts in the service of our Lord- a place we can worship with each other, sharing the struggles and triumphs of our faith in away that is both meaningful and relevant to us! What would it take to encourage us to give of ourselves and our talents to a church of our peers? These are the kinds of questions Lighthouse looks forward to imagining together as we raise our voices to praise the God of yesterday, today, and tomorrow.





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Registration Now Open!

We hope to have plenty of space to accommodate all registrations; however, space is reserved on a first come, first served basis, so register early!

General Information:

Where: Walt Disney World® Resort (Lake Buena Vista, FL)

Hotels: The Coronado Springs Resort & Convention Center and The Caribbean Beach Resort

Who: Middle and High School students (grades 6-12)

Included: Four to a room, conference fees, transportation from airport and on property, three meals, t-shirt, and a 3-day Park Hopper® Ticket!

The costs per person are:

- \$365 (4 to a room)* - \$395 (3 to a room)*
- \$465 (2 to a room) - \$675 (single occupancy)

A \$75 deposit is due upon registration for each participant in your group.

** If more than two adults share a room, a \$50 custodial fee is assessed by Disney for each additional adult, and will be added to your registration.*

Complete registration details available at
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Special Events

Saturday: ImagiNations

Discover the world during Faith in 3D! Without leaving Florida, students will visit different countries represented at the World Showcase at Epcot®. On the journey, participants will engage in cross-cultural learning through an international scavenger hunt, interaction with residents of the countries, as well as a deeper understanding of globalization. This program is being co-produced by Faith in 3D and the Disney Institute's Youth Education Series Program team!

It's a small world after all...

A Pool Party in January?

Just when you think the weekend is almost over... we've extended the pool hours at both resorts to end the day on Sunday. It will be time to make a splash and dive right in to the fun.