



CandlerNEWS



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Candler Says Thanks!

This week, Candler community members gathered to write notes of thanks to some of our generous donors as part of the university's annual Emory Thanks Week. [Check out this video](#) to hear why Candler donors are so important!

Ambassador Andrew Young to Headline Post-Election Forum on Nov. 6

Candler will host a free public forum reflecting on the U.S. presidential election the day after polls close. "After the Vote: Understanding and Repairing a Divided Nation" is set for Wednesday, Nov. 6 from 3:00–5:00 p.m. in Room 252 of Candler's Rita Anne Rollins Building and will feature Emory University faculty members **Joseph Crespino** and **Andra Gillespie**, along with **Andrew Young**, former mayor of Atlanta and former U.S. ambassador to the United Nations. A livestreaming option will also be available. [Learn more and register for "After the Vote."](#)

Pitts to Host Annual Reformation Day at Emory Oct. 31

Candler's Pitts Theology Library will host its annual Reformation Day at Emory on Thursday, October 31, highlighted by a lecture from **Christine Helmer** of Northwestern University on "The Promise of Luther's 'On Christian Freedom' for Politics Today." **Bishop Yehiel Curry** of the Metropolitan Chicago Synod of the ELCA will preach in worship. [Read more and register to attend Reformation Day.](#)

Help Build the Dr. Teresa Fry Brown Womanist Discourse Scholarship

2024 marks 30 years since Bandy Professor of Preaching and Associate Dean of Academic Affairs **Teresa L. Fry Brown** became the first Black tenure-track woman on Candler's faculty. To honor Fry Brown's many accomplishments and deep legacy over these three decades, a group of alumni, colleagues, and friends have established the Dr. Teresa Fry Brown Womanist Discourse Scholarship at Candler. [Support The Fry Brown Womanist Discourse Scholarship](#) through Emory's Momentum crowdfunding campaign.

TheoEd Talks Coming to Macon on November 9

The Candler Foundry is bringing a new set of TheoEd Talks to the Historic Douglass Theatre in Macon, Georgia, on November 9, where faith leaders, scholars, and visionaries will share "the talk of their lives" in 20 minutes or less. Speaking at the Macon event will be **Cole Arthur Riley, Scott Mitchell, Reginald Sharpe Jr. 18T, Sister Theresa Sullivan,** and **Moshe Szyf.** [Read more and register to attend TheoEd Talks Macon in person or online.](#)

McFarland's Latest Book Focuses on 'The Hope of Glory'

The Hope of Glory: A Theology of Redemption, the seventh book by Robert W. Woodruff Professor of Theology **Ian A. McFarland**, has been published by Westminster John Knox Press. [Read more about McFarland's newest monograph.](#)

Emory's 2036 Giving Week Coming Oct. 28-Nov. 1

Emory's 2036 fundraising campaign is spearheading a movement to shape

the future, providing access to transformative learning that powers positive change for the good of humanity. You can join us in achieving this vision by making a gift to Candler during [Emory's 2036 Giving Week](#) Oct. 28–Nov. 1. Gifts made during Giving Week go farther because they're multiplied through giving challenges like matching gifts and other bonus funding, amplifying their impact. Plus, you can choose to direct your gift to a specific Candler fund, from scholarships to La Mesa Academy to YTI and beyond. [Read more about giving options](#) or [make an early gift now](#).

UPCOMING EVENTS

Please note that events are subject to change. Click on the event title to see more details and registration information. [See a full listing of upcoming Candler events here](#).

Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30: [Course in the Community: And It Was Good: The Bible, Theology, and Ecology](#)

Oct. 10: [Día de la Raza Celebration](#)

Oct. 10: [PUBLICATIONS Book Panel Discussion: Danielle Tumminio Hansen](#)

Oct. 24: [Alumni Chapel Service](#)

Oct. 28 - Nov. 1: [2036 Giving Week](#)

Oct. 31: [Reformation Day at Emory](#)

Nov. 6: [Forum: "After the Vote: Understanding and Repairing a Divided Nation"](#)

Nov. 9: [TheoEd Talks Macon](#)

Nov. 13: [Howard Thurman Lecture](#)

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