

“The Rothko Chapel is a place blessed by the many people who gather there to meditate, to find themselves, and go beyond themselves.”

Dominique de Menil

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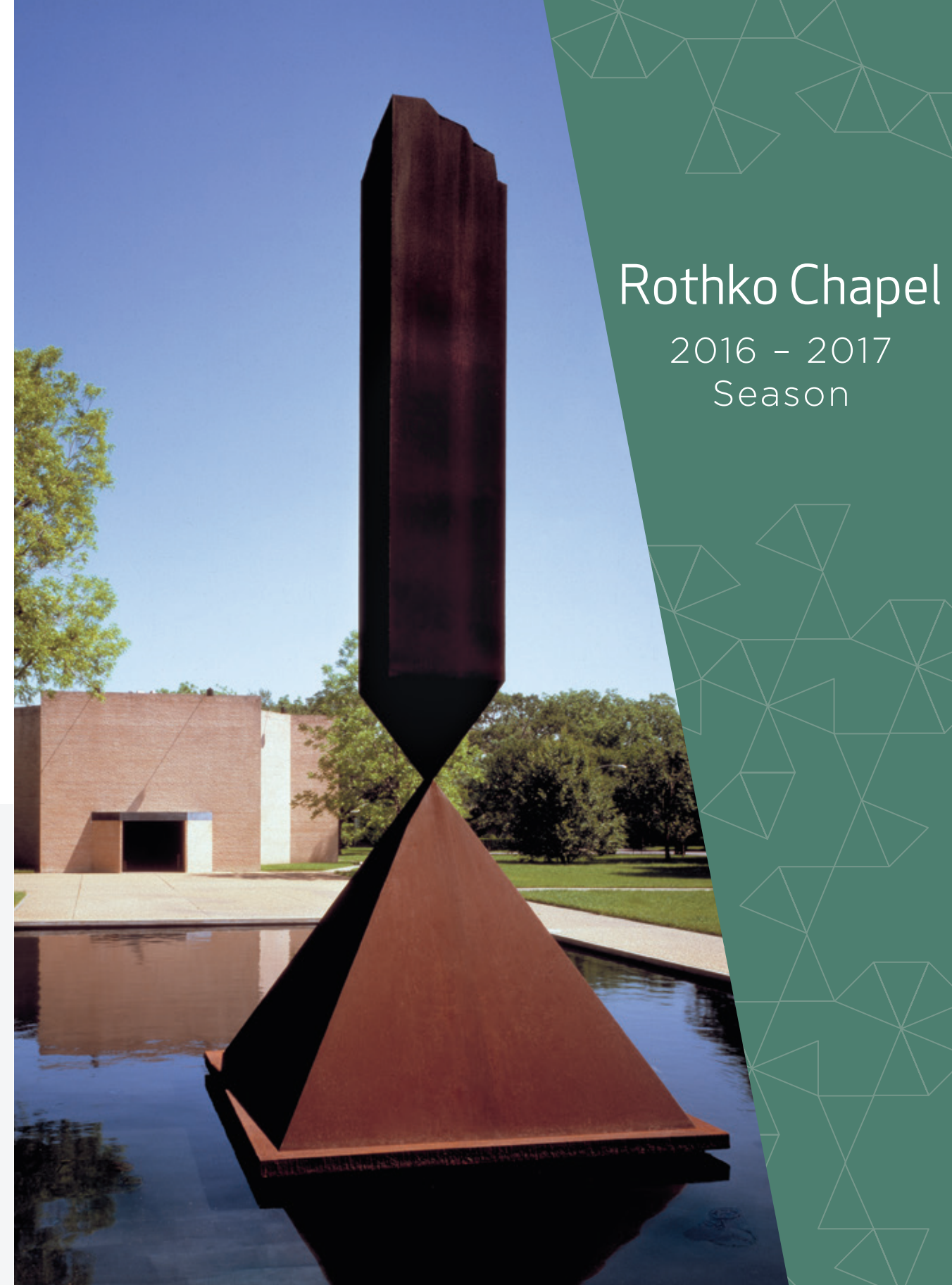
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Rothko Chapel

2016 – 2017
Season



This season's experiences

This season, the Rothko Chapel brings you discussions with human rights luminaries and religious leaders, dialogues around issues affecting the world, spiritually evocative music, and activities that encourage a more mindful way of living. The Rothko Chapel is yours to explore.

ROTHKO CHAPEL SPRING SYMPOSIUM AN ACT OF FAITH: UNDOING THE LEGACY OF MASS INCARCERATION

The Symposium brings together people from diverse political, racial, cultural, economic, and religious backgrounds to strengthen our collective efforts to reform the criminal justice system with an emphasis on human rights, equity and justice. The symposium will also connect people to reform and restorative justice efforts, including alternatives to incarceration, which lead to substantive changes in the current system and the reduction of recidivism rates.

CONCERTS IN THE CHAPEL

Experience beautiful and moving performances from various artists, enhanced by the atmosphere of the Rothko Chapel.

CONCEPT OF THE DIVINE

This series provides a unique opportunity for speakers to share how their personal concept of the Divine has changed over time, shaped their lives, their service to the community, and views about their place in the cosmos. As an organization committed to interfaith dialogue and engagement, this series offers an excellent opportunity to hear from people from diverse faith communities and other sectors of society about this important topic.

LIVING MINDFULLY

A space for exploration of the relationship between the sacred and the self, this series includes practices conducive to a more spiritually focused and mindful life.

Calendar of Events

2016

SEPTEMBER

W 21 **Twilight Meditation for International Day of Peace**
6pm

Th 29 **Certainty, Vulnerability and the Gift of Mystery**
Conversation
Dr. Brené Brown
7pm

OCTOBER

2016 FRANCES TARLTON "SISSY" FARENTHOLD ENDOWED LECTURE
in Peace, Social Justice and Human Rights

M 3 **Yes Justice, Yes Peace: The Role of Art in Confronting Inequality**
Conversation
Darren Walker
7pm
Presented in partnership with the Rapoport Center for Human Rights and Justice at UT's School of Law

Th 20 **Spirit of Embrace: A Sacred, Interfaith Music Experience**
Concert
7pm
Presented in partnership with Da Camera

NOVEMBER

Th 17 **Houston Interfaith Thanksgiving Service**
7pm

DECEMBER

Th 1 **Twilight Meditation for World AIDS Day**
6pm

Th 15 **Houston's Faith Elders: Social Justice, Social Change in the Presence of the Divine**
Conversation
Rabbi Samuel Karff, Archbishop Joseph Fiorenza, and Rev. William Lawson
7pm

2017

JANUARY

Su 1 **New Year's Day Crystal Bowl Meditation**
12 noon

Su 15 **MLK Birthday Celebration**
Concert and Conversation
7pm

M 16 **The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day**
Audio Installation
11am, 1pm, 3pm, 5pm

Sa 28 **Museum Experience**
Concert
Da Camera Young Artists
All Day

FEBRUARY

Tu 21 **Through the Spoken Word—Reflections on the Sacred**
Poetry Reading and Conversation
Willis Barnstone, Aiki Barnstone, and Tony Barnstone
7pm
Presented in partnership with Saint Julian Press

Tu 28 **Some Light Emerges Preview**
Performance and Artist Talk
7pm
Presented in partnership with HGOco

MARCH

W 8 **Twilight Meditation for International Women's Day**
6pm

SPRING SYMPOSIUM

An Act of Faith: Undoing the Legacy of Mass Incarceration

APRIL

Th 20 **Forgotten Pieces**
Concert
Adam Tandler
7pm
Presented with support from The Earle Brown Music Foundation

MAY

Tu 2 **Music in Darkness**
Concert
7pm
Presented in partnership with Loop38

Sa 6 **Anecdote for the Spirit for MenilFest**
Concert
Misha Penton
3pm

Th 25 **Feminist Perspectives of the Divine in Islam**
Conversation
Asama Uddin
7pm

JUNE

M 5 **Twilight Meditation for World Environment Day**
6pm

W 21 **Summer Solstice Observation**
Sunrise and Sunset

MONTHLY EVENTS

TWELVE MOMENTS: Experiencing Spiritual and Faith Traditions
First Wednesday of each month
12 noon

TAI CHI BY THE REFLECTING POOL
Henderson Smith
Thursdays every October, November, February, March, May, and June
5pm

YOGA ON THE PLAZA
Bayou Bliss Yoga
Saturdays every October, November, March, and April
9am

Visit rothkochapel.org to register for events and to find more information about speakers, events, and scheduling. Unless otherwise indicated, all events take place at the Rothko Chapel and are free, with a suggested donation of \$10.

Stay tuned for a special fundraiser in spring 2017!