



2017 Summer Services and Guest Speakers

Summer Sunday services are held at 9:30 am in the Parlor, followed by a congregational response-time and social hour. Childcare is available to age 8.

June 18 - *Jack Roscoe* “Which Side Are You On?”

Jack will be presenting stories and songs that grew out of the American Labor Movement.

June 25 - *Arthur Woll* “Should ‘Faith’ be a Bad Word?”

A story about guiding adolescents towards statements of "faith" while simultaneously questioning the nature of the project.

July 2 - *Ann Stephenson* “Beyond Good and Bad - Equanimity and Transformation”

Good News. Bad News. When things go 'wrong' in our lives, we suffer - anxiety, disappointment, anger. Sometimes it feels that we are powerless to change an imperfect world. But wise teachers tell us, it's how we look at things that really matters, and that can transform even the harshest of life's realities.

July 9 - *Nancy Miller* “Rowing Toward Beloved Community”

Some reflections and musings on how we might hone our skills to be the loving, diverse, inclusive congregation we want to be.

July 16 - *Don Barber* “In Need of Mercy”

The foundations of our lives: government, social structure, and environment are under an ever growing assault. We are in need of mercy now. Where will we find it? How will we receive it?

July 23 - *Rev. Tim Dean* “Transformational Interruptions”

Spiritual invitations in shifting times.

July 30 - *Magdalen Lindeberg* “Dreams of My Mother - Literal and Metaphorical”

August 6 - *Beth Howard* “A Fish In and Out of Water”

Beth will share thoughts on her personal journey from white oblivion to struggling anti-racism.

August 13 - *Carol Nickerson* “Realizations” Confronting those ‘Ah-ha!’ (or maybe ‘Uh-oh’) moments of new awareness about who we really are.

August 20 - RECYCLE SALE

August 27 - *Walt Peck* “What is Worthwhile?”

Our lives are finite, but the alternatives for how we use our lives seem endless. So how do we choose?

September 3 - *Margaret Nichols* “Learning to Give (Sometimes)”

Thoughts about the pleasures and perils of generosity, and when it shades over into needless self-sacrifice.