

**REGISTRATION**  
**SPRING 2012 LIFE ENRICHMENT SERIES**

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Series registration (7 Mondays, 14 classes)  
\_\_\_\_ persons @ \$ 40.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Single day \_\_\_\_ persons @ \$ 6.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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**LIFE ENRICHMENT CLASSES**

**MONDAY, MARCH 19**

**9:30 — 10:30 A.M.**

**HUMANITIES:** *What It Feels Like to Be Occupied: A Personal Story* by JosMarie Vanderspek. This is not a discussion of war but a personal experience during World War II in the Netherlands of loss of freedom, underground resistance and its toll.

**TRAVELOGUE:** *Journey to the Holy Land: Exploring the Past, Present, and People* presented by Larry Turner.

**10:50 — 11:50 A.M.**

**CURRENT ISSUES:** *Minnesota Without Poverty* by Rev. Nancy Maeker, director of Minnesota Without Poverty, who will update us on what is happening in the state to end poverty.

**TRAVELOGUE:** *Repeat of 9:30 travelogue.*

**FAITH AND BIBLE:** *The Last Week of Jesus' Life (3-part series)* by Methodist pastor Larry Nielsen. These sessions are based on the book *The Last Week* by theologians Marcus Borg and John Crossan. Today, Part 1.

**MONDAY, MARCH 26**

**9:30 — 10:30 A.M.**

**HUMANITIES:** *The Wisdom of American Indian Religions* by Dr. Duane Addison, Professor Emeritus at Augustana College of

Sioux Falls. We concentrate on the Dakota and Ojibwa.

**TRAVELOGUE:** *Poland, Czech Republic and Luther's East Germany* filmed a year after the fall of the Wall by Pastor Marion Rova.

**10:50 — 11:50 A.M.**

**CURRENT ISSUES:** *The Civil Rights Movement: What Did We Learn? Is It Still Relevant?* by Claire O'Connor, Freedom Rider and Community Organizer, first-hand witness of the movement.

**TRAVELOGUE:** *Repeat of 9:30 travelogue.*

**FAITH AND BIBLE:** *The Last Week of Jesus' Life (3-part series)* by Methodist pastor Larry Nielsen. Today, Part 2.

**MONDAY, APRIL 2**

**9:30 — 10:30 A.M.**

**GREAT DECISIONS:** *Our Border with Mexico: The Challenge of Being Good Neighbors* by Hector Garcia, former business administrator in Mexico City.

**TRAVELOGUE:** *The Falklands, St. George's Island, and Antarctica* by Lyall Schwarzkopf.

**10:50—11:50 A.M.**

**COMMUNITY ISSUES:** *What Is Community Action of Minnesota?* by Brianna Carlson, Family Services Coordinator.

**TRAVELOGUE:** *Repeat of 9:30 travelogue.*

**FAITH AND BIBLE:** *The Last Week of Jesus' Life (3-part series)* by Methodist pastor Larry Nielsen. Today, Part 3. Includes the great day of Easter.

**NO CLASSES EASTER MONDAY, APRIL 9**

**MONDAY APRIL 16**

**9:30 — 10:30 A.M.**

**HUMANITIES:** *Western Civilization (part 5-8)* by James Carlson, founder and president of Spring Arbor Distributors, the world's largest distributor of Christian books. Today, Part 5: "The Reformation to the Scientific Revolution."

**TRAVELOGUE:** *Tours of France with Rick Steves.* This time he takes us to the French Riviera and the Alsace region.

**10:50 — 11:50 A.M.**

**HEALTH ISSUES:** *Is a Parish Nurse Really a Nurse?* by Pat McLaughlin, head of TRUST's Parish Nurse Program.

**TRAVELOGUE:** *Repeat of 9:30 travelogue.*

**FAITH AND BIBLE:** *When God Speaks, Does He Use Metaphors? (2-part series)* by Dr. Philip Quanbeck, retired professor of religion at Augsburg College. Today, Part 1.

**MONDAY, APRIL 23**

**9:30 — 10:30 A.M.**

**HUMANITIES:** *Western Civilization (part 5-8)* by James Carlson. Today, Part 6: "From the English Revolution to the Rise of Napoleon."

**TRAVELOGUE:** *Tulip Time in Pella, Iowa* by Suzanne Jebe.

**10:50 — 11:50 A.M.**

**COMMUNITY OUTREACH:** *Mary's Place in Downtown Minneapolis* by Charlotte Kinzley, Mary's Place Family Advocate.

**TRAVELOGUE:** *Repeat of the 9:30 program.*

**FAITH AND BIBLE:** *When God Speaks, Does He Use Metaphors? (2-part series)* by Dr. Philip Quanbeck, retired professor of religion at Augsburg College. Today, Part 2.

**MONDAY, APRIL 30**

**9:30 — 10:30 A.M.**

**HUMANITIES:** *Western Civilization (part 5-8)* by James Carlson, founder and president of Spring Arbor Distributors. Today, Part 7: "From Liberalism to the New Imperialism."

**TRAVELOGUE:** *Adventures in Honduras* by Rick Sorenson, retired dentist who makes mission trips to Honduras three or four times a year.

**10:50 — 11:50 A.M.**

**BOOK REVIEWS:** *CoAM Members Share Recent Reading Experiences.* These include books on Bonhoeffer and heaven.

**TRAVELOGUE:** *Repeat of the 9:30 program.*

**FAITH AND BIBLE:** *How to Understand the Hard Stuff in the Bible (2-part series)* by Greg Meyer, pastor of Jacob's Well and former missionary to Papua New Guinea. Today, Part 1.

**MONDAY, MAY 7**

**9:30 — 10:30 A.M.**

**HUMANITIES:** *Western Civilization (part 5-8)* by James Carlson, founder and president of Spring Arbor Distributors. Today, Part 8: "From World Wars to Revolutions."

**TRAVELOGUE:** *The Sydney Area and New Zealand* by Joanne Smallen, former executive director of CoAM.

**10:50 — 11:50 A.M.**

**GREAT DECISIONS:** *Indonesia/East Timor Conflict* by Dr. Ellen Kennedy, director of World Without Genocide.

**TRAVELOGUE:** *Repeat of the 9:30 program.*

**FAITH AND BIBLE:** *How to Understand the Hard Stuff in the Bible (2-part series)* by Greg Meyer, pastor of Jacob's Well and former missionary to Papua New Guinea. Today, Part 2.



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MARCH 19—MAY 7  
9:30 - 11:50 A.M.**

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