

CITP Worship Dates for 2024 / Lenten Book Study Information

Chapel in the Pines: A Wild Church <chapelinthepines02482@gmail.com>

Thu 2/15/2024 1:34 PM



Chapel in the Pines A Wild Church Worship Community

Dear CITP Friends,

Michele and I are looking forward to Spring and to gathering for our wild church worship services once again! Please see below for our 2024 schedule of monthly services as well as a few additional CITP events.

Also, we hope you will join us for a very special four week Lenten book study with Wellesley Village Church! Please see below for the details.

Looking forward to gathering together in various ways as we journey to grow closer to the Creator and Creation!

Blessings,

Diane

**MARK YOUR
CALENDAR**

2024 CITP Worship Services and Events

Saturday, April 13th from 2:00-4:00 "Swimming Upstream" Gathering (*Watch Alewife jump up Fuller Brook / Walk to Truly's for ice cream*)

Sunday April 21st from 3:00-4:00 : Welcome Back Earth Day Service

Saturday May 4th 9:30-Noon: Forest Bathing Outing

Sunday, May 19th from 3:00-4:00 Wild Church Service

Sunday, June 9th from 3:00-4:00 Wild Church Service

Sunday, July 14th from 3:00-4:00 Wild Church Service

Sunday, August 4th from 3:00-4:00 Wild Church Service

Saturday, September 7th from 9:30-Noon Forest Bathing Outing

Sunday, September 22nd from 3:00-4:00 Wild Church Service

Sunday, October 20th from 3:00-4:00 Wild Church Service

Sunday, November 10th from 3:00-4:00 Wild Church Service

Sunday, December 8 from 3:00-4:00 Wild Church Service



Join Us for a special Lenten journey....

We have an exciting Lenten opportunity for you! Our partner church, Wellesley Village Church, has invited the CITP community to join them for a special Lenten book study.

This is a wonderful opportunity for us to gather during our winter pause from monthly worship. As you will see below, the book study will focus on a book called, *Speak with the Earth and It Will Teach You*. This book relates so well to the mission of the wild church movement.

I will be facilitating the group that gathers from 10-11 am on four consecutive Sundays. I'd love it if you could participate in that group, but if that timing doesn't work for you there are other great options:)

In addition to the book study gatherings, the author Daniel Cooperrider will lead a retreat which will include a wild church outing on March 9th.

Please see the details below and **send a quick reply** to let me know which group you'd like to attend. I'll sign you up for the group with Village Church.

I hope you will join me for what is sure to be a very special and meaningful Lenten journey!



Christ In-Creation: A Lenten Journey

A special invitation from Wellesley Village Church...

This Lent, as we consider what it means to, in the words of our Mission Statement,

"passionately care about God's Creation," you are invited to join in a Congregation wide

book study of *Speak with the Earth and It Will Teach You*. You may purchase the book

for \$20 during Fellowship Hour or in the main office, but please don't let cost be a

barrier to participation. The book is also available on Amazon.

Speak with the Earth is divided into four sections: Rivers, Mountains, Trees, and Clouds. We will read one section each week and meet in weekly reflection groups

to

discuss the readings and listen for what Christ In-Creation has to teach us.

While we

encourage you to join one group for the entirety of Lent, you can attend any of the

following sessions:

Book Study Dates/Times:

Sundays at 10 a.m.-11 a.m.: Led by member of Village Church and co-facilitator of Chapel in the Pines, Rev. Diane Anderson.

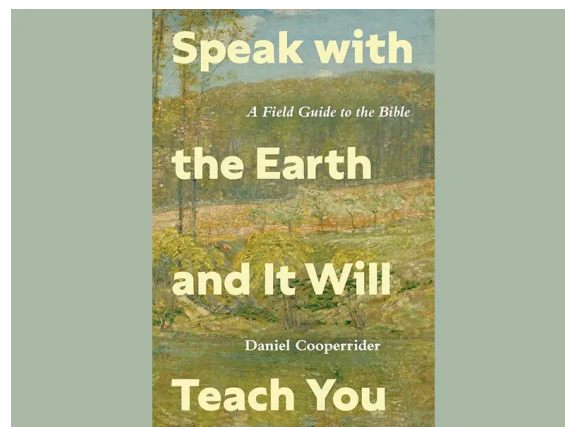
In the Parlor and via Zoom,
on February 25, March 3, March 10, and March 17.

Sundays at 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.: Led by Rev. Sarah and Megan. In the Parlor and via Zoom, on February 25, March 3, March 10, and March 17.

Wednesdays at 10 a.m.-11 a.m.: Led by Rev. Stacy. In-person only in the Church Library on February 28, March 6, March 13, and March 20.

Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m.: Led by Rev. Pam in the Parlor on February 28, March 6, March 13, and March 20. This is for all families and is a continuation of our Families Befriending Families. Pizza will be provided in the Village Common from 5:30 - 6 p.m., then the reflection group will meet in the Parlor from 6-7 p.m. and the children will be with Jade downstairs painting murals.

***Lenten Retreat, March 9:** Author Daniel Cooperrider will be here to lead a Lenten Retreat on March 9th and preach in worship on March 10th. Save the date!



--
Blessings,
Rev. Diane Anderson and Michele Ryan

Chapel in the Pines Facilitators

**If you wish to unsubscribe from these emails please send a reply to let us know and your email will be removed.*