

Reading with the Spirit: *The Universal Christ: How a Forgotten Reality Can Change Everything We See, Hope For, and Believe* by Richard Rohr
Saturday, May 25 at 10:00 am in the Bloom Room

Drawing on scripture, history, and spiritual practice, Richard Rohr articulates a transformative view of Jesus Christ as a portrait of God's constant, unfolding work in the world. "God loves things by becoming them," he writes, and Jesus's life was meant to declare that humanity has never been separate from God—except by its own negative choice. When we recover this fundamental truth, faith becomes less about proving Jesus was God, and more about learning to recognize the Creator's presence all around us, and in everyone we meet. Thought-provoking, practical, and full of deep hope and vision, *The Universal Christ* is a landmark book from one of our most beloved spiritual writers, and an invitation to contemplate how God liberates and loves all that is. "Here Fr. Richard helps us to see and hear Jesus of Nazareth in what he taught, what he did and who he is—the loving, liberating and life-giving expression and presence of God. In so doing he is helping Christianity to reclaim its soul anew." —Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal Church in America. Join us for this new book group at GSP, meeting on the fourth Saturday of each month, and focused on reading that aims to stretch our spiritual and theological muscles. Bring your morning coffee! All are welcome.

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