

FALL 2016 RELIGION EVENT
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“Religious Literacy, Religious Liberty,
and the Bible in American Public Schools”

Tuesday, October 4 at 4:30 pm
Jockey Room of the Todd Wehr Center
Free and open to the public

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