

Adult Sunday School

June 10th, 2018

Choose to grow your faith in one of our five adult classes, offered between worship services, 9:45–10:45.

Challenges and Choices – Room 11

On this past Wednesday, fifty years ago, Senator Bobby Kennedy was murdered. Join us in Challenges and Choices as we discuss why we should remember his life and why his actions and words still have relevance to our world today. "Some men see things as they are and ask why. I dream things that never were and ask why not."

Seekers' Class – Room 12

This class is finishing their series this week from The Work of the People titled "The Bible Tells Me So" with Peter Enns. What if the Bible is fine just the way it is? Not a well-behaved Bible, where everything lines up and makes sense, but the messy, troubling, and weird Bible we actually have? What if the Bible doesn't need to be protected and defended, but understood—just as it is? What if the real problem isn't the Bible but the false expectations we sometimes bring to it? Perhaps, when we let the Bible be the Bible rather than what we expect it ought to be—or need it to be—we will find a deeper faith in the process.

Roots and Wings Class— Community Hall

This class made up of mostly parents of young children is continuing their study *Painting the Stars: Science, Religion, and an Evolving Faith*. Celebrating the communion of science and faith, *Painting the Stars* explores the promise of evolutionary Christian spirituality.

Listening for God Class – Room 6

This class is starting a new book from the Center for Action and Contemplation titled *Oneing: Religion and Politics*. At this point in history, with the current state of political and religious events shifting daily, this edition of *Oneing* is especially critical. As Richard Rohr states in his Introduction, "There is no such thing as being non-political. Everything we say or do either affirms or critiques the status quo. Even to say nothing is to say something."

Young Adult Class—Hannah's Office

This group of 18-29 –year-olds is continuing their series titled "Living Our Principles" produced by the Church and Society committee of the United Methodist Church. "Living Our Principles" illustrates how valuable the United Methodist Social Principles are to our world community. In this series, you will travel from the farmlands of Kenya to the coal mining communities of Appalachia to organic farms in the Philippines. You will hear stories of sexual exploitation in the Congo and how United Methodists advocate for restorative justice in Zimbabwe.