



# UCC NEWS

**Monday, November 13, 2023**

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**Rev. Kera Watts Ordination**





The ordination of Rev. Kera Watts was celebrated November 10 in our Sanctuary. We give thanks for Kera, her ministry to children and families, and look forward to the next chapter of her ministry at UCC.

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## UCC Calls Rev. Allen Lutes as Minister of Outreach





Allen and his wife Lynaia and two boys, Caden and Gabriel.

A warm UCC welcome to Rev. Allen Lutes as he accepts the call to be our new Minister of Outreach. Allen comes to us an ordained deacon in the United Methodist Church with a heart for mission and connecting people to God and community.

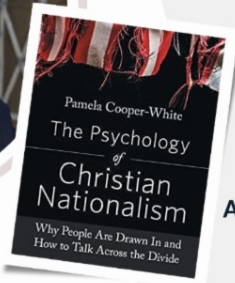
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GUEST SPEAKER  
**DR. PAMELA  
COOPER-WHITE**

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# COURAGEOUS CONVERSATIONS

CHRISTIAN NATIONALISM

**NOVEMBER 15**

**6:30 PM**

**WALKER HALL**

How do we overcome polarization in American society? How do we advocate for justice when one side won't listen to the other and cycles of outrage escalate.

Dr. Pamela Cooper-White will help us uncover the troubling extent of Christian nationalism and look at ways to talk across the deep divides in our society.

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now

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# CONSTRUCTION HAS STARTED!

FOR YOUR SAFETY, THE SANCTUARY'S  
NORTH BALCONY AND 3RD-FLOOR  
ARE TEMPORARILY CLOSED.

HELP!

# Prayer

THANKS! WOW! 101:

THREE ESSENTIAL PRAYERS

Nov. 12	Help!	Psalms 130 & Mark 5: 21-34
Nov. 19	Thanks!	Psalms 30:1-5, 11-12 & Luke 17:11-19
Nov. 26	Wow!	Psalms 8 & Luke 1: 46-55

Anne Lamott: "I do not know much about God and prayer, but I have come to believe that there's something to be said about keeping prayer simple. Help. Thanks. Wow." Join us for a 3-week worship series focused on the power of simple prayer.

## Join Us for Worship

### Traditional Worship

9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m., Sanctuary  
with *Rev. Dr. Russ Peterman*.



## Simple Worship

9:30 a.m, Chapel of the Good Shepherd  
*with Shannon Moore.*

## Ten:10

Informal worship in an acoustic,  
coffee house setting.

10:10 a.m, Walker Hall  
*with Rev. Dr. Russ Peterman.*

Live Stream is now available on  
[our website.](#)

## Live Stream Worship

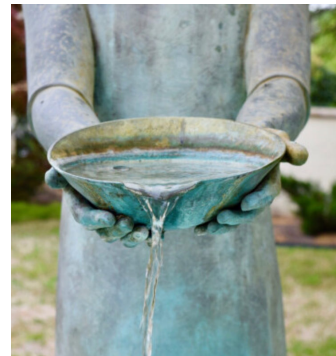
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