



# UCC NEWS

**Monday, November 6, 2023**

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HELP!  
*Prayer*  
THANKS!  
WOW! **101:**  
THREE ESSENTIAL PRAYERS

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

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## Casting Call for Boars Head & Yule Log Festival

UCC reception area  
November 5 & 12 | 8:30 am - 12:30 pm

Attention, One and All... casting for the 46th Annual Boar's Head & Yule Log Festival will be held in the UCC Reception area on Sundays, November 5 and 12, 8:30 am-12:30 pm. Please consider joining the cast as we share the message of Epiphany with our community. Contact Cathy Taylor for more information: [ctaylor@helenpainter.com](mailto:ctaylor@helenpainter.com).

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## Service of Ordination for Rev. Kera Watts

November 10 | 6:30 pm | Sanctuary

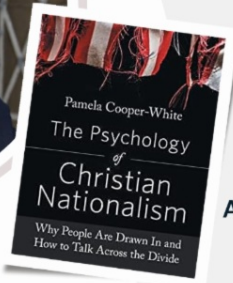
After several years of study and preparation, Kera Watts has been approved for ordination into Christian ministry. Please make plans to attend this Service of Ordination as we celebrate an important step in Kera's life and ministry, and in the life and ministry of UCC and the larger Church. A reception will follow in the Gallery.

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

**REGISTER NOW**



# **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.

Register  
now



**Wednesday, November 29 | 6:00 pm | Walker Hall**

Mark your calendar for November 29 at 6 pm for our first event of the Advent season. It's an old-fashioned Christmas party for all ages—we gather around the table for soup and sandwiches, decorate trees, play games and sing Christmas songs and carols.



Scan to Register



# Men's Ministry Quarterly Breakfast

Saturday, December 9 | 8 am | Room 207

Save the date and bring a friend for a delicious meal and program. We'll also discuss our new partnership with One Man's Treasure, an organization that seeks to empower men recently released from prison. To read more about this ministry, visit <https://www.onemanstrong.org/>

Register here

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## 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

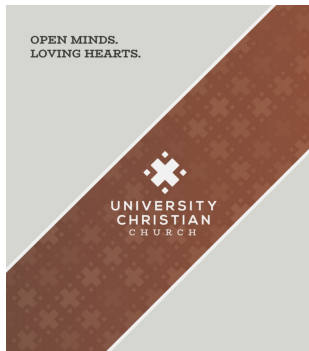
Informal worship in an acoustic,  
coffee house setting.

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

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

## Live Stream Worship

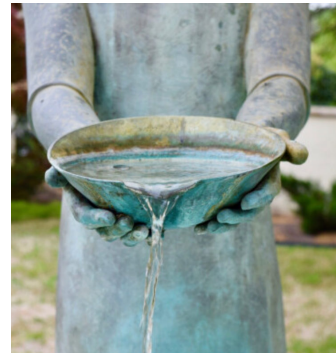
Worship with us from home or on the road every Sunday for online worship. Click [HERE](#) to stream our services.



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