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NOVEMBER 11 and 18

**Mr. Rogers,
Fireside Room, 9:30 am.**

Dr. Tara Stoppa returns to present a two-part series on Fred Rogers. We will learn from the timeless and deeply spiritual wisdom of Mr. Rogers. You may have seen the recent documentaries, but together let's dig deeper into the many lessons of life-long Christian Mr. Rogers, as we explore how we can learn to live and love well.



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SUNDAY MORNINGS

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SEPTEMBER 9

Fall Kickoff, Chapel, 9:30 a.m.

Come meet and hear Wayne Presbyterian Church's interim Associate Pastor Dr. Adam Hearlson, who will kick off our fall Sunday morning education programs.



STARTING SEPTEMBER 16

The Book of Amos, Knox Room, 9:30 a.m.

This fall, Dr. Joe Modica will lead a Bible study on the book of Amos. One of the minor prophets, Amos is theologically rich and culturally relevant. Together, the class will work to understand the book's historical context, its unique structure and the wise themes it holds for living in our current age. Joe will be using J. A. Motyer's *The Message of Amos: The Day of the Lion* as the guide for the course. The class begins September 16 and ends December 16, with breaks on November 4, when Joe will be away, and November 25, Thanksgiving weekend. On November 4, the substitute class will be *Minding Your Mind*, discussing issues related to mental health.



SEPTEMBER 16, 23, and 30

Family Systems, Fireside Room, 9:30 a.m.

Drs. Tara Stoppa and Landi Turner will discuss family systems for three weeks. This class will be focused on learning about the hallmarks of a healthy family. We will look at individuals and relationships within the family, the system of the family as a whole, and the generational influences on both from a Christian perspective.



SEPTEMBER 23 and 30

East of Eden, Fireside Room, 11:00 a.m.

The first selection of the Wayne Presbyterian Church Book Club features John Steinbeck's *East of Eden*. The themes of love, loss, acceptance and conflicted family relationships mirror the Biblical story of Cain and Abel. Dr. Anne Clarke Duncan will lead the discussion on September 23 and Janice Mack will facilitate on September 30.



OCTOBER 7, 14, and 21

Our Call to Care for Creation, Fireside Room, 9:30 a.m.

This series will raise awareness of the serious environmental problems that face us and help us understand how we as a church and as individuals may be more responsible stewards of God's Creation. In addition, information will be presented regarding our church's application to become a PC-USA Earth Care Congregation.

- **October 7:** Theology of Creation Care – Dr. Adam Hearlson
- **October 14:** God & Garden: Eden, Gethsemane, Farminary – Dr. Nathan Stucky, Director of Farminary Project, Princeton Theological Seminary
- **October 21:** Environmental Racism and Injustice in Southwest Philadelphia. Its Effects and Possible Solutions – Russell Zerbo, Clean Air Council



OCTOBER 21

Science as a Christian Vocation, Library, 9:30 a.m.

Dr. Deborah Haarsma, the President of BioLogos, a national Christian organization that seeks to harmonize science and Christian faith, will be leading a joint session with our youth group related to the subject of how we can believe in both Scripture and science.



OCTOBER 28 and NOVEMBER 4

Dr. David Bradstreet, Chapel, 9:30 a.m.

Dr. David Bradstreet, professor and chair of the Astronomy and Physics department at Eastern University, has been teaching science and faith to students of all ages for the past 42 years. Dr. Bradstreet will be presenting on a new and invigorating way of interpreting scripture in light of God's love and provision. Marrying science, scripture, and theology, Dr. Bradstreet's class is sure to be an invigorating morning.



NOVEMBER 4

Minding Your Mind, Knox Room, 9:30 a.m.

A workshop designed to educate adults on basic mental health issues and how they impact daily life in the workplace, at home, and during interactions with others. *Minding Your Mind* seeks to remove the stigma surrounding depression, anxiety, substance abuse, and self-harm.