

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, January 26

10:10-11:00 Victor Judge, Lecture "The Incarnational Art of Flannery O'Connor"

Presented by Religion in the Arts and Contemporary Culture

The Art Room, Divinity G-20

TUESDAY, January 27

12:00 - 1:00 La Mesa

Common Room

WEDNESDAY, January 28

10:10 a.m. Weekly Worship Service

All Faith Chapel

THURSDAY, January 29

7:39 - 9:00 Cal Turner Program for Moral Leadership in the Professions

University Club Special Guest Speaker: Kelly Hayes-Raitt (details below)

11:30 -1:00 Cal Turner Program for Moral Leadership in the Professions

Tillett Lounge Special Guest Speaker: Kelly Hayes-Raitt (details below)

5:30 p.m. EEC Movie Night

The Art room, Div. G-20

FRIDAY, January 30

10:10 a.m. Coffee Hour – Divinity Reading Room

12:10pm Eucharist Benton Chapel

On Monday January 26th from 10:10-11:00 AM in the Divinity Art Room (G-20), **Victor Judge** will address the prophetic role of the artist in "**The Incarnational Art of Flannery O'Connor.**" This talk will include a biographical overview of O'Connor and explore her views on the craft of writing. A series of slides will be interwoven into the lecture. Presented by Religion in the Arts and Contemporary Culture.

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The Cal Turner Program for Moral Leadership in the Professions Presents:

Leadership Breakfast

Special Guest Speaker: Kelly Hayes-Raitt

Kelly Hayes-Raitt is an activist and author who has worked tirelessly for the past three decades on issues of civil and human rights, as well as for the protection of the environment. As a passionate and effective advocate, she has appeared on more than 500 radio and television public affairs shows including PBS "News Hour with Jim Lehrer," CBS "This Morning," CNN "Financial News," and CNN "Moneyline."

Five weeks before the US-led invasion of Iraq, Ms. Hayes-Raitt was visiting with a women's delegation. The Iraqis touched her deeply and she returned to provide on-air commentaries to National Public Radio. This experience also led to her current book project, "Violating Sanctions: An American Woman's Listening Tour Through the Axis of Evil".

At the Cal Turner Program Breakfast, Kelly will take up the question of effective leadership, drawing on her many years of experience as an activist, political consultant and writer. Please join us for what promises to be an interesting and provocative presentation and discussion

She blogs at www.PeacePATHFoundation.org

Please join us for breakfast with Kelly at the University Club from 7:30 am to 9:00 am. Registration fee is \$10.00 To register, please call our office 615-343-5447.

The Cal Turner Program for Moral Leadership in the Professions Presents:

"Face to Face with the Women of Iraq" Luncheon

Special Guest Speaker: Kelly Hayes-Raitt

In the south this winter as the recent Carson McCullers Center's Marguerite and Lamar Smith Writing Fellow, Kelly is presenting a talk and a reading from her book about her experiences in pre- and post-invasion Iraq and in Syria last summer volunteering with Iraqi refugees.

She has presented her dynamic 35-minute talk, illustrated by portrait photos of Iraqis she met, to more than 200 audiences, including churches, temples, Rotary Clubs, neighborhood associations, journalism and creative writing classes, junior and senior high school students – and Congresswomen in the US Capitol.

To learn more about Kelly's work, visit www.PeacePATHFoundation.org.

Please join us for lunch in the Vanderbilt Divinity School Tillett Lounge from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm. To register, please call our office: 615-343-5447. Lunch will be provided to **students** who pre-register. For all others, lunch can be purchased at Suzy's Café (next to the Reading Room).

Unitarian Universalists are gathering regularly in Clarksville, Murfreesboro and Cookeville, and are interested to have speakers for their Sunday morning services. Each group has 15-30 members in attendance on any Sunday.

You may contact Cleo Hogan at cdmhogan@usit.net, if you are interested to serve in this way.

Reminder: One more EndNote instructional session left!

What is Endnote? EndNote is one example of bibliographic management software, programs that help you to store references to articles, books, and other resources (allowing you to draw on them in multiple documents) and that enable you to insert citations and bibliographies into papers with ease. Read more about such software at <http://divinity.library.vanderbilt.edu/help/bibmanager.html>.

How do I learn more? Sign up for a hands-on session.

When is the session? Thursday, January 29, 2009, at 3.15 – 4.45 pm.

Where is it? The electronic classroom, on the second floor of the General Library Building. Access is through the Divinity Library.

What if I can't make it? If you can't make it, Chris Benda, the instructor, is also available for individual and group consultation at other times.

The Spero Scholarship Foundation is a recently established non-profit in the Nashville area which provides scholarships and training to disadvantaged college students. We are currently seeking applicants for our charter Board of Directors. We are especially interested in those with experience in non-profit law, finance, secondary or post-secondary education, or business management. Applicants with other backgrounds or who are pursuing training in these areas are also invited to apply.

The Board of Directors supervises the CEO's activities and provides oversight for all foundation activities and its endowment. All members are required to attend the annual board meeting in early August and to review CEO activity reports. Individual board members are given specific responsibilities as described in the Foundation's by-laws. These duties may include:

- Developing professional training and personal skills curriculum
- Advising and managing the scholarship endowment
- Designing contracts with outside partner agencies
- Creating annual budget
- Preparing annual donor reports
- Preparing annual tax information
- Reviewing student reports
- Researching trends in education

Interested persons should respond with a cover