Sunday, August 6, 10:30 a.m. "In the Light of Truth" Rev. Tom Schmidt

We have learned in the past century that light consists of both particles and waves. We know this because when our experiments are designed to find waves, that is what we find. Likewise, we find particles when that is what we are looking for. Perhaps this truth of light can help point us to the light of truth.

Sunday, August 13, 10:30 a.m. "A Question of Balance" Mark Yount

Is global warming the fever symptom of a planet consumed by humanity's virulent progress? The scientific evidence is clear enough, but we need to reflect on the mindset that got us to this point. Ecofeminists trace the problem to our historically masculine domination, sometimes evoking the Gaia myth as an image of balance. Since "male" science offers such stark confirmation of the problem, let us also draw a scientific thread into the weaving of our 7th principle's healing vision.



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Sunday, August 20, 10:30 a.m. "Where Two or More are Gathered" Rev. Tom Schmidt

Since time immemorial people have gathered in community to embody the eternal mysteries of life. Through patterns of sound and light and movement we synchronize our individual thought patterns with each other and with the universe itself. The ancients understood the power of ritualized drumming, dancing, and story telling, yet these practices are now considered fringe or alternative. Who and what benefits by our keeping this power out of the mainstream of society? What can we do to bring it out of the shadows and into the light?

Sunday, August 26, 10:30 a.m. "The Nazi Hunters" Andrew Nagorski



More than seven decades after the end of WWII, the era of the Nazi hunters is drawing to a close. Their full saga can now be told. *The Nazi Hunters* focuses on the small band of men and women who refused to allow their crimes to be forgotten and who were determined to track them down to the furthest corner of the earth. At first the Nazi hunters wanted revenge, but soon their story was transformed into a relentless struggle for justice. What are the lessons learned which we may apply to our world today?

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