

The Word and Life Community announces our new series as a Zoom Community - online this Fall.

Ten outstanding speakers will lead us on a heart/mind journey of discovery and faith-in-action that will allow us to play our part in Healing the Heart of Democracy.

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## WORD AND LIFE –FALL 2020

# Healing the Heart of Democracy



10 weeks of Zoom meetings on Thursday mornings

10:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Drawing from two source books:

Arthur Brooks' - Love Your Enemies

Parker Palmer's- Healing The Heart of Democracy

Sept. 10 ... Tim Burnette - The Righteous Mind: Why Good People Are Divided by Politics and Religion

Sept. 17 ... Bart Tarman and Thomas Jayawardene - Dealing With The Culture of Contempt: Loving Your Enemies

Sept. 24 ... Steve Jacobsen - Political Implications of The Beatitudes : the neuroscience and practice of loving our enemies

Oct. 1 ... Dave Richo - The Loom of Democracy: moving beyond trigger reactions to holding tensions in life-giving ways (intro to Palmer work)

Oct. 8 ... Lois Capps - Healing the Heart of Democracy - in the U.S. Congress

Oct. 15 ... Georgia Noble and Nancy Edmundson - Engaging with the Heart of Democracy - part 1  
*When the "Other" is My Twin: Appreciation of the Value of Otherness*

Oct. 22 ... Georgia and Nancy - Engaging with the Heart of Democracy - part 2  
*Embracing the Change: Faithfully Holding Tension in Life-giving ways*

Oct. 29 ... Georgia and Nancy - Engaging with the Heart of Democracy - part 3  
*Hope and Courage in the Face of Despair and Fear: A Sense of Personal Voice & Agency*

Nov. 5 ... Georgia and Nancy - Engaging with the Heart of Democracy - part 4  
*From Inner Liberation to Outer Transformation: A Capacity to Create Community*

Nov. 12 ... Fr. Jim Clarke - Now What??? Navigating the Post-Election World