

Sunday Forum

Downtown Presbyterian Church

December 2018 Becoming Wise

An exploration of some of the topics in the book “**Becoming Wise: An Inquiry into the Mystery and Art of Living**” by Krista Tippett, facilitated by Mary Rees, Susan Richane, and Carolyn DeHority.

Krista Tippett is a Peabody Award-winning broadcaster and a New York Times bestselling author. In 2014, she received the National Humanities Medal at the White House for “thoughtfully delving into the mysteries of human existence.” She is the host of the public radio program and podcast *On Being*.

● **December 9, 9:50 am –**

After an introduction to Krista Tippett and her book, *Becoming Wise*, we will explore the issues of:

- How our childhood faith and spiritual background influences us throughout life.
- Our inherent ability to grow in compassion and other virtues through rituals and neuroplasticity.

● **December 16, 9:50 am –**

We will explore the issues of:

- The many kinds of love and how our use of the concept of love has been impoverished.
- How does social change happen?
- Hope is a muscle that must be exercised to become part of our spiritual discipline.



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