# **Worship Theme: Blessing**

May 2017 Newsletter Reflection

May 2013 Newsletter Reflection

May 2009 Newsletter Reflection

#### **BOOKS**

Gilead by Marilynne Robinson

Learning to Fall: The Blessings of an Imperfect Life by Philip Simmons Listening to Your Life: Daily Meditations with Frederick Buechner

**Braiding Sweetgrass** by Robin Wall Kimmerer

Blessed Unrest by Paul Hawken

Plain and Simple: A Woman's Journey to the Amish by Sue Bender

The Soul is Here for Its Own Joy: Sacred Poems from Many Cultures. Robert Bly, editor

Breakfast at the Victory: The Mysticism of Ordinary Experience by James Carse

# MOVIES/FILM/VIDEO

The Trip to Bountiful (1985)
Pay It Forward (2000)
Lion (2016)
Collateral Beauty (2016)
Fiddler on the Roof (1971)
The Color Purple (1985)
The Wrestler (2008)

### **FAMILIES**

On The Day You Were Born by Debra Frasier

## **WORSHIP MEDITATION**

"The Invisible Blessings of Mothers" by Karen Hering, May 10, 2009

#### **PODCASTS**

Unity Church "blessing" tagged sermons and services.

Unity Church-Unitarian follows a four-year cycle of monthly worship themes, with each year beginning in September and ending in June.