

Steps in Creation

Sunday, May 19, 9:30 – 4:30

\$50 – meditations, lunch and handout

Led by Skip Doyle



Theme: “Made a decision to turn our will and our lives over to the care of God, as we understood him.”

In the outdoors, we shall reflect on the many aspects of this decision. How do we experience God? What do we expect of God? What does it mean to turn over our will and our lives? What is faithful acceptance? Is that decision a one-time commitment or continuous action? All are welcome.

Ralph Waldo Emerson writes, “Indians say that they do not think the white man, with his brow of care, always toiling, afraid of heat and cold, and keeping within doors, has any advantage of them. We (must) transcend circumstance continually and taste the real quality of existence. (In Creation) we see God face to face every hour, and know the savor of Nature.” [Conduct of Life, 1860.]



**Chinese depiction of
Jesus & the rich man**

1879 – Beijing, China

Held in the outdoors, we see God face-to-face and taste the real quality of Nature. This day of reflection includes Mass and lunch. Weather in May can vary, so please bring appropriate apparel, hiking boots or sneakers, sunscreen, a sitting pad, and raingear if necessary.

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