

WomenExplore

Lecture and Discussion Forum

Fall 2019 Series

Am I Here? Waking Up to What Matters

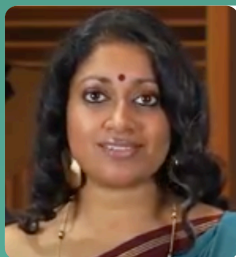
September 19

RIVERS OF LIFE

Display of wildlife photography by Carol Berney

11.30 am Lecture: **CHRISTINA GASBARRO**, Charles River Watershed Association

12.15 pm: **Water ritual**, facilitated by Lindsa Vallee



September 26

MUSIC AS HEALER

Focus and Sound Healing: Comma Williams

Lecture: **ANNETTE PHILIP**, vocalist, composer-arranger, recording artist, choir conductor, artistic director of Berklee India Exchange at Berklee College of Music

October 3

CLEANING UP OUR ACT

Focus: Sue Edwards

Lecture: **MARIAMA WHITE-HAMMOND**, minister for Ecological Justice at Bethel AME Church, Boston, and fellow with the Green Justice Coalition, a partnership for environmental justice



October 10

RESOURCES: HOW MANY PEOPLE CAN THE WORLD SUSTAIN?

11.30 am: **JONATHAN HARRIS**, Tufts University Global Development and Environment Institute (GDAE)

12.15 pm: **ANNE-MARIE CODUR**, GDAE, North American coordinator of *Dialogues en humanité*



October 17

WHY IS LIFE SO BUSY?

Focus: Dorianne Low

Lecture: **PAMELA KRISTAN**, teacher, consultant and author of *Awakening In Time: Practical Time Management For Those On a Spiritual Path*, and *The Spirit of Getting Organized*



October 24

INFLATION AND POVERTY: EROSION OF THE MIDDLE CLASS

Focus: Liz Wilson

Lecture: **CHARLES DERBER**, Boston College, sociologist focusing on today's global social, economic and environmental crises

October 31

AFFORDABLE HOUSING: KEEPING OUR COMMUNITY

Focus: A panel of WomenExplore participants

Lecture: **LARRY FIELD**, deputy director Massachusetts Smart Growth Alliance, promoting equitable, sustainable communities



November 7

OVERCOMING OUR INTERNALIZED PATRIARCHY

11.30 am: **UKUMBWA SAUTI**, creator of men's work initiative, educator, cultural studies facilitator, consultant

12.15 pm: **JUDITH JORDAN**, director Jean Baker Miller Training Institute at Wellesley Centers for Women



November 14

AUTISM TOUCHES US ALL

Focus: Mary Rose Muti

Lecture: **DANIA JEKEL**, executive director of the Asperger/Autism Network, supporting those on the autism spectrum

November 21

MINDFULNESS: BEING PRESENT TO WHAT MATTERS

Focus: MaryMargaret Halsey

Lecture: **NARAYAN LIEBENSON**, Cambridge Insight Meditation guiding teacher, author of *The Magnanimous Heart* and *Life as Meditation*



Thursdays in Harvard Sq, Cambridge MA

11 am Registration

11:30 am Focus*

12 noon–1 pm Main Lecture*

1 pm–1:30 pm Discussion

*Unless otherwise indicated

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