New at Pilgrim Lodge...





Rainbow Camp (LGBT Camp)

Behold! I Make All Things New...

A weekend retreat exploring
the Renewing Power of God's Grace

Friday, May 28, 2010 to Monday, May 31, 2010 (Memorial Day Weekend)

This retreat will be an opportunity for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgendered Christians to gather as a community to explore the renewing and transformative power of God's grace. For over 30 years the United Church of Christ has been committed to a path of radical welcome and inclusion – calling for serious study of human sexuality and supporting the civil rights of LGBT persons.

The UCC proclaims, "Whoever you are, where ever you are on life's journey, you are welcome here!" But there are many who do not experience affirmation in the communities in which we live. How do we live out our faith when we are merely

tolerated and not fully affirmed as being wonderfully created by God? How do we nurture life-giving communities of faith when society does not fully embrace our loving relationships or the gifts we bring when we live out our faith? What is God calling us to do? How do I live my life in a way that is consistent with my faith and values?

It is hoped that each of us will come away with a grace-filled and life-giving understanding of what it means to be a person of faith in these challenging and rapidly changing times. The retreat is open to all who seek spiritual growth, healing, and community among LGBT Christians.

Why not come along with us?

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