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Lecture Series Presents Perspectives from Three World Religions

If you ever thought about how similar, or dissimilar, your religion is from others; you should consider attending an informative series of lectures coming to Living Waters Church in Lino Lakes. Each Sunday, from January 6 through February 10, speakers representing; Buddhism, Hinduism, and Bahá'í faiths will present an overview of these religions' traditions and beliefs. Living Waters is calling this series, *Christians & Our Neighbors in Faith*. This series will run between their two Sunday worship services, starting at about 9:45 a.m. There is no charge, and everyone is welcome to participate.

Living Waters' senior pastor, Rev. Kathryn Tiede, will present an introduction to the series on January 6. Her objective will be to put Christianity in perspective to other world religions. The following Sunday, an introduction to Hinduism, Bahá'í, and Buddhism will provide a foundation for a deeper look into these individual religions as the series progresses. Guest speaker, Sandihya Mangalick will describe the Hindu faith on January 20. Jill Hennes has consented to provide an informative look into the Bahá'í religion on January 27. Then, Buddhism will be the focus, as presented by Bhante Seewalie from the Minnesota Buddhist Vilara. The series wraps up on February 10 with Rev. Tiede answering the question, "How are Christians to live in a world of diversity?"

Last year, Living Waters presented an in-depth look into Judaism and Islam, with speakers on each religion invited to provide perspectives on these faiths. That series was so successful, church leaders are bringing the format back with a look into three more neighboring faiths this year.

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