

**SOUTH SIDE FALL 2009-2010**  
**OPEN UNIVERSITY CLASSES:**  
St. Luke Lutheran Church, 7757 Chippenham Parkway  
Mondays, September 28 - November 16, 2009

**9:45 - 10:45**

<b>Bizet's Carmen</b>	Bob Jones
<b>Modern Poetry</b>	Mary Baxter
<b>The Future of Religion</b>	Dan Smith
<b>Ooh-la-la! Beginning French</b> Enjoy the beauty of French language and the richness of French culture in this introductory course. Newcomers are welcome.	Suzanne Wiltshire

**11:00 - 11:50**

<b>The Chronicles of Narnia</b>	Pat Brodie
<b>17th and 18th Century Origins of American Institutions</b>	Emory Bogle
<b>The Korean War: Version 2</b>	Dick Lennard

**12:00**

**BROWN BAG LUNCH (Bring a sandwich) - coffee and dessert on sale**

**12:30**

**BEHIND THE HEADLINES**

- Sept 28: Rubbing Aladdin's Lamp: WWII and the Transformation of the South**  
Paul Levensgood, Virginia Historical Society
- Oct 5: The Lives of Gene Kelly and Fred Astaire**  
Irene Latham, Pianist, Singer and Lecturer
- Oct 12: Community Idea Stations: Where We've Been and Where We're Headed**  
Curtis Monk, President and CEO of Community Idea Stations
- Oct 19: The Restoration of Forest Hill Park Lake**  
John R. Pope, Director of Richmond Parks, Recreation and Community Facilities
- Oct 26: A Call to Service: Reflections on the Life of Corrie ten Boom**  
Ellen de Kroon Stamps, author and former companion of Corrie ten Boom
- Nov 2: "Listen, Oh Listen": General Douglas MacArthur in First Person**  
William Young, Talks and Totems
- Nov 9: To the Roof of Africa**  
Dr. Dana Marie Buchanan
- Nov 16: Celebrate Richmond**  
Wayne Dementi, Dementi Milestone Publishing Co.

**WEST END FALL 2009 –2010  
OPEN UNIVERSITY CLASSES:**

First Presbyterian Church 4602 Cary Street at Lock Lane  
Thursdays, October 1 - November 19, 2009

**9:20 - BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING**

**9:45 - 10:45**

<b>So You Want to Take Better Pictures</b>	Gilpin Brown
<b>French II, “Carrefour” (Crossroads)</b>	Ariana Hubbard
<b>What Makes Us Laugh: Exploring the World of Comedy in Neil Simon, Carol Burnett, Noel Coward and Carol Channing</b>	J. Vaughan Gary
<b>Historical Milestones in Medicine</b>	Dr. E. Stan Higgins
<b>The Founding and History of Australia</b>	Tayloe Wise
<b>Genealogy</b>	Emily Golightly Rusk

**11:00 - 11:50**

<b>Southern Women Writers</b>	Elizabeth Scott
<b>Original Attempts to Regulate the American Labor Economy in History</b>	Alan Briceland
<b>How Warfare Determined the Course of History</b>	John Neblett
<b>Personal Finances and Tax Preparation</b>	Wendell Fuller
<b>German, the Fun and Fast Way</b>	Kirsten Taranto
<b>Yoga</b>	Odessa Brooks

**12:00 - BROWN BAG LUNCH (Bring a sandwich) - coffee and dessert on sale**

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**BEHIND THE HEADLINES**

<b>Oct 1:</b>	<b>Growing Up in Church Hill</b> The Reverend Charles Poindexter, Rector of the Church of the Epiphany
<b>Oct 8:</b>	<b>The Crooked Road to Civil War</b> Nelson Lankford, Virginia Historical Society
<b>Oct 15:</b>	<b>Community Idea Stations: Where We’ve Been and Where We’re Headed</b> Curtis Monk, President and CEO of Community Idea Stations
<b>Oct 22:</b>	<b>A Story Teller</b> Bill Arnold, Retired Presbyterian Minister
<b>Oct 29:</b>	<b>A Call to Service: Reflections on the Life of Corrie ten Boom</b> Ellen de Kroon Stamps, author and former companion of Corrie ten Boom
<b>Nov 5:</b>	<b>“Listen, Oh Listen”: General Douglas MacArthur in First Person</b> William Young, Talks and Totems
<b>Nov 12:</b>	<b>Miss Minerva and William Green Hill</b> Barclay DuPriest, Manager, Randolph-Macon bookstore
<b>Nov 19:</b>	<b>Celebrate Richmond</b> Wayne Dementi, Dementi Milestone Publishing Co.

## WEST END FALL TERM 2009—2010 CLASSES - Continued

**1:30 - 2:30**

**Feldenkrais**

Nancy Dawe, Mary Ann DeTrana, Natalie Easterly, Jane McAllister, Cas Overton, Ruth Shapiro, and Mike Williams

**Current Affairs**

Robert Gomperts & Ralph Graner

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### EVENING SESSION FALL 2009-2010 OPEN UNIVERSITY CLASSES

St. Mary's Catholic Church-9505 Gayton Road  
Tuesday evenings, September 29 - November 17, 2009

#### **5:30 P.M. Chips and Chatter**

"Chips & Chatter" social time to meet new friends

#### **6:00 Evening Speakers**

- Sept 29:** **Newspapers, Books, and Magazines**  
Ray McAllister, editor, *Boomer Life* Magazine
- Oct 6:** **A Lost Boy of Southern Sudan Makes a Difference**  
Alberta Lindsey, Shepherd's Center member and freelance writer
- Oct 13:** **Winter and Ma Nature: The Real Story**  
Kevin Cutlip, lawn and garden expert
- Oct 20:** **How a Lynchburg Native Changed the World: The Story of the Federal Reserve Bank**  
Amanda Gibson, Federal Reserve Bank
- Oct 27:** **State of the Bay**  
Chuck Epes, media relations, Chesapeake Bay Foundation
- Nov 3:** **We Grow Accustomed to Her Face: the "Office" of the First Lady**  
Linda Hobgood, professor, University of Richmond
- Nov 10:** **A Mighty Endeavor: the Liberation of Europe, 1944**  
Brigadier General (R) Jack Mountcastle, historian and teacher
- Nov 17:** **Virginia Indians: Then and Now**  
Stephen Atkins, chief of the Chickahominy Indian Tribe

#### **7:00 P.M. Classes:**

**Creative Writing for Journals and Memoirs**

Meriah Crawford, VCU

**Understanding Terrorism: Four Critical Questions**

Dr. Tom Badey, RMC

**Spanish 101**

Carmen Glass, VCU,  
and Patricia Gray

# **OPEN UNIVERSITY NEWS**

## **Spanish Class Now Available**

You've been asking for a Spanish language class, and we have been looking for a teacher. We are thrilled to let you know that a Spanish class will be available this fall at the Tuesday Evening O.U. at St. Mary's Catholic Church in the West End. Carmen Glass, VCU, will be assisted by Patricia Gray as you learn the basics of Spanish. Newcomers welcome!!

### **Bring a Guest!**



Did you know that you can bring a guest to the Open University for one free visit? With all the great speakers who will be doing presentations this year, there is something to interest everyone. Please invite a friend to come and be your guest. Just have them stop in at the registration table to pick up a guest pass.

### **North Side Open University Location Closes**

After many wonderful years of serving the North Side of Richmond at Ginter Park Presbyterian Church, that O.U. location has closed. In May, after long and careful consideration, The Shepherd's Center Board of Directors reached the decision that, due to limited participation for the past several years, the North Side location should be discontinued. We are grateful for the warm hospitality of GPPC.

### **2009-2010 Open University Schedule**

#### **Fall Term 2009**

##### **South Side**

Mondays, Sept. 28 – Nov. 16, 2009

##### **Evenings**

Tuesdays, Sept. 29- Nov. 17, 2009

##### **West End**

Thursdays, Oct. 1 – Nov. 19, 2009

#### **Winter Term 2010**

##### **South Side**

Mondays, Jan. 11 – March 1, 2010

##### **Evenings**

Tuesdays, Jan. 12 – March 2, 2010

##### **West End**

Thursdays, Jan. 14 – March 4, 2010

#### **Spring Term 2010**

##### **South Side**

Mondays, March 22 – May 17, 2010  
(No classes on April 5<sup>th</sup>)

##### **Evenings**

Tuesdays, March 23 – May 18, 2010  
(No classes on April 6<sup>th</sup>)

##### **West End**

Thursday, March 25 – May 20, 2010  
(No classes on April 1<sup>st</sup>)