



Honoring Holocaust Remembrance Day

The Willow Grove United Methodist Church presents:

The Art of Terezin: Art and Faith in the Midst of the Holocaust

Sunday, January 23, 2022 at 3 pm

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Honoring the memory of those who perished in the Holocaust, Rick Sivvers will present the program, “The Art of Terezin: Art and Faith in the Midst of the Holocaust”. The date coincides with Holocaust Remembrance Day, January 27. The former concentration camp at Terezin, near Prague, the Czech Republic, was visited by Sivvers in response to his friendship with a survivor of the camp and another Holocaust survivor whose live work it was to collect photos of the artwork from the camp. His visit to Terezin and other Holocaust sites in Europe had a profound impact on him and he hopes to inform as many people as possible about the story of Terezin and the lies the Nazis spread about the camp. The presentation will include photos and a talk about the camp and its art.



Rick Sivvers, a United Methodist minister, retired in 2014 after nearly 40 years of active service in local churches across New York State. Born and raised in Oswego, NY on the shores of Lake Ontario, he is a playwright, storyteller and community leader. His plays have been produced and seen in many locations, including Philadelphia with the Old Academy Players. He has published two books, “The Mystic Vision” and most recently, “The Pane of Faith.” Rev. Sivvers has traveled extensively in Europe, has visited England six times, including a 2007 participation in the Oxford Round Table at Oxford University. He currently leads the monthly Faith and Arts series at the Willow Grove United Methodist Church. He lives in Philadelphia.

