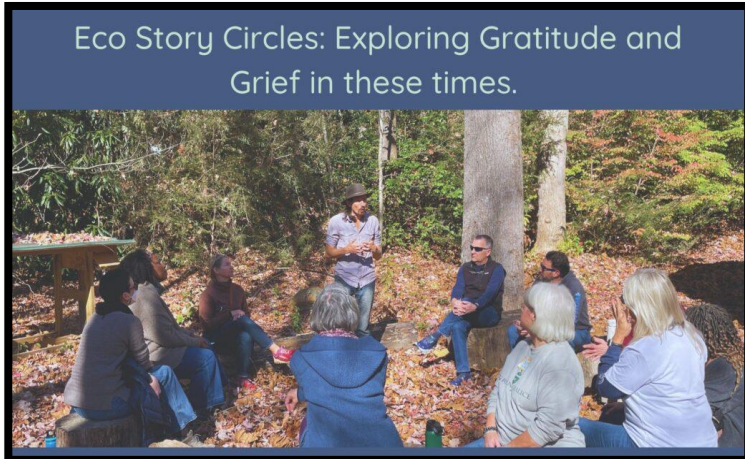


# Ponca City Christian

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Seeking, Serving, Sharing  
March 2, 2025



Eco Story Circles: Exploring Gratitude and Grief in these times.

## March 6th–April 17<sup>th</sup> ~ Thursdays, 12-1:15 pm ET

This 7-week Lenten learning experience is designed by therapists, pastors and chaplains. Together, we will explore emotional and spiritual responses and share stories in the face of current ecological and social challenges. Responses like grief and sorrow, anxiety and fear, guilt and shame, anger, and despair are normal responses in unprecedented times. This course is designed to offer mutual support, healing, insight, and compassion, not a therapy experience.

\*Registration Fee = \$20

\*Scholarships available, Email  
Shardinnieri@gmail.com

Past participants expressed profound gratitude for being among people who could talk honestly about grief, suffering, and the ecological and social challenges of our time.

The movement of these 7-weeks together will include the following:

1. Introductions/Orientation
2. Sorrow/Grief
3. Anger
4. Fear/anxiety
5. Shame/Guilt
6. Despair/Hopelessness
7. Integration and wholeness

Led by Rev. Scott Hardin-Nieri and therapists Connie Burns and Sydne Stone.

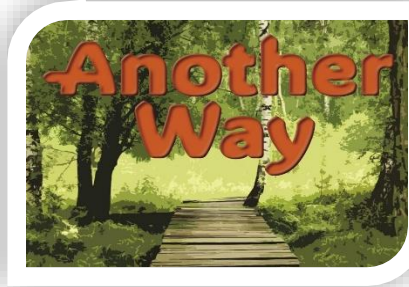
Register Here. [Blackbaud](#)

Source: [Lent Archives - Disciples Home Missions](#)

### Giving in Review

As of January 31, 2025

Income Received YTD	\$36,717.19
Actual Expenses YTD	\$26,200.56
Budgeted Expenses YTD	\$29,537.46



Experience  
Hbly Ground  
this Summer

### Church Camp Registration Is Open

Jesus often confronted people around him with another way of being in the world, and by his example, we are reminded that God always invites us to reimagine who we are and how we do things. Campers and Counselors will explore some of these scriptures this summer.

- Psalm 46
- Luke 18:9-14
- Acts 9:1-22
- Matthew 3:1-6
- Numbers 27:1-8
- Acts 10:1-36
- Isaiah 43:19-21

Camp Directors are beginning their work recruiting counselors, thinking about the camp schedule, and reviewing the curriculum. Register between February 5th and April 23rd to receive discount rates. Regular Rates (April 24-May 15) are a bit more expensive.

[Home - Christian Church in Oklahoma](#)

[2025 Summer Camp Registration](#)

### Service Attendance ~ February 23, 2025

In Person: 63      Live Online: 24  
Social Media Hits: 81

### Sunday, March 2 ~ Service Information

Luke 9:28-36

*"They saw his glory."*

Sunday School @ 9:30 ~ Fellowship Time @ 10:30  
Services @ 8:30 & 11:00

