

**A provocative speaker who is reclaiming the lost meaning of the name 'Christian'.**

## The "GOD crisis" in the Church Today

### Dr. Robin Meyers

International speaker, professor, peace activist and author of numerous books including the best seller



**'Saving Jesus from the Church: How to stop worshipping Christ and start following Jesus'**



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**FREE PUBLIC LECTURES**

**Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup> 9:30 & 11:00 AM**

**HOUSTON, WE HAVE A GOD PROBLEM**

**THE RISKS AND REWARDS OF FEARLESS PREACHING**

**Sunday Worship September 30<sup>th</sup> 10:30 AM  
Rev. Dr. Meyers will be the Guest Preacher**

Chalmers United Church, 212 Barrie Street, Kingston, ON

**2018 HILLIKER PREACHING LECTURESHIP**

Information and Registration Email:



**ChalmersHPLLectures@gmail.com**

(registration for lectures preferred but not necessary)



## Exploring the theological shift in our thinking about Jesus

There is no getting around the fact that, for many Christians, our understanding of God is changing. Previously held beliefs, ie. our embedded theology, can feel inadequate in this changing world of ours. Some of what we hear said, sung, or read in worship on Sunday morning, can end up having little connection with the questions we bring and the lives we are actually living. In our search for meaning and purpose we may find ourselves reconsidering our understanding of God and, more specifically, what it means to be a follower of Jesus.

Someone who has been exploring this theological shift in our thinking about God and about Jesus, is the Rev. Dr. Robin R. Meyers, pastor of Mayflower United Church of Christ in Oklahoma City. He is the author of 7 books including one with the provocative title *"Saving Jesus from the Church"*. It has as its subtitle: *'How to stop worshipping Christ and Start Following Jesus'*. About this book, Archbishop Desmond Tutu has written, *"Every once in a while, a book comes along that changes everything. This is the book."*

Most recently, Dr. Meyers has become a highly sought after international speaker on the movement which has come to be known as Progressive Christianity. To get a taste of Dr. Meyer's preaching, simply click on 'sermon archives' after you have turned to [mayflowerucc.org](http://mayflowerucc.org) be sure to watch and listen to his recent Easter Sunday sermon entitled *"The Death That Would Not Die"*.

Those within driving distance to Kingston will be pleased to learn that Dr. Meyers is coming to this region. Dr. Meyers has accepted the invitation to be the 2018 Hilliker Preaching Lectureship speaker at Chalmers United Church in Kingston. There, he will address the theme: *"The GOD crisis in the Church today."*

**On Saturday morning September 29<sup>th</sup> Dr. Meyers will be delivering 2 free public lectures with discussion following:**

**9:30am - Houston, We Have a God Problem**

**11:00am - The Risks and Rewards of Fearless Preaching**

(Registration for these lectures is preferred but not necessary.)

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**On Sunday morning September 30<sup>th</sup> he will be the Guest Preacher at the joint worship service of Chalmers/Sydenham St United Churches.**

**\*\*\*Everyone is welcome to any or all of these events\*\*\***