

Faculty Sponsored Community Conversation



A Fresh Way for Understanding How People Listen to Sermons: Content, Relationship, and Feeling

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12:00 noon in Weatherly Hall

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Ronald Allen, Nettie Sweeney and Hugh Th. Miller Professor of Preaching and New Testament, Christian Theological Seminary Ron Allen has published 35 books most recently *Preaching and the Other* (Chalice Press), *Thinking Theologically: The Preacher as Theologian* (Fortress Press) and *The Life of Jesus for Today* (Westminster John Knox Press). *A Faith of Your Own: Naming What You Really Believe* (Westminster John Knox Press) will be published early in 2010. He recently directed a study of people who listen to sermons to determine the qualities in preaching that encourage them to pay attention, including *Hearing the Sermon: Relationship, Content, Feeling* (Chalice Press, 2004).

Lunch will be provided.