

## **PRESENTATIONS**

### **Public Speeches**

- 2004: "The Super Bowl as Religious Festival"  
Whittier Rotary Club, January 30
- "The Super Bowl as Religious Festival"  
Whittier College Women's Auxiliary, January 28
- "The Super Bowl as Religious Festival"  
East Whittier Lions Club, January 23
- 2003: "The Religious Rituals of Baseball"  
East Whittier Lions Club, August 22.
- "The Roots and Routes of California's Religious Diversity." 2 presentations  
M & M Adult Class, First United Methodist Church, Whittier, June 15, 29.
- "The Unity of Islam and the Diversity of Muslims."  
Downey Kiwanis Club, May 22.
- "American Sports as Spiritual Exercise."  
Los Coyotes Social Studies Council, May 14.
- "Introduction and Interview of Jennifer Allen."  
Whittier Bookfaire, March 22.
- "The Diversity of Islam and the Unity of Muslims."  
Santa Fe Springs Kiwanis Club, March 18.
- "Pursuing Justice and Promoting Peace."  
Whittier Area Peace Coalition, March 2.
- 2002: "Always Coming Home." Homecoming sermon.  
First Friends Church, November 3.
- "The Rituals of Baseball."  
The University Club of Whittier, September 18.
- "Quaker Values and the Pursuit of Chinese Unification."  
Seventh Annual Conference on the Re-Emergence of China, sponsored by  
The Institute of Sino Strategic Studies. Whittier Hilton Hotel, August 17.
- "Patriotic Possibilities for Pacifistic Christians."  
First Friends Church, July 7.

- “Common Links: Muslims and Christians,” 3 presentations.  
Unified Adult Classes, First United Methodist Church, Feb. 10, April 21, 28
- 2001: “Who Are Arabs and Muslims?”  
Whittier Chamber of Commerce Seminar Series, November 30.
- “The Compassionate Face of Islam”  
TWIGS Adult Class, First United Methodist Church, November 11,25
- “Introduction and Interview of Al Martinez.”  
Whittier Bookfaire, March 31.
- “Baseball Salaries and Cultural Malaise.”  
Whittier Sertoma Club, March 23.
- “Whittier College in the New Millennium.”  
Whittier Y’s Men Club, March 8.
- “Whittier College in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century.”  
East Whittier Women’s Club, February 25.
- “The Super Bowl as Religious Festival.”  
Whittier Area Clergy Association, January 10.
- “Whittier College in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century.”  
Whittier PEO, January 9.
- 2000: “Foundations of Faith,” 2 presentations.  
M&M/Challengers Class, First United Methodist Church, September 10,17
- “Foundations of Faith,” 3 presentations.  
TWIGS Class, First United Methodist Church, February 6, 20, 27.
- 1998: “Theological Turning Points in Christian History,” 3 presentations.  
TWIGS Class, First United Methodist Church, February 1, 15, 22.
- 1996: “Pilgrimage to the Super Bowl.”  
Whittier University Club, May 15.
- “Theological Turning Points in Christian History,” 4 presentations.  
Adult education classes, First United Methodist Church, February, May.
- 1995: “Silent Faith and Spoken Doubt,”  
Adult education class, First Friends Church, June 4.
- “Faith and Doubt,” 2 Presentations.

- CCB Class, First United Methodist Church, Whittier, May 21 and 28.
- “Faith and Doubt,” 2 Presentations.  
TWIGS Class, First United Methodist Church, March 19 and 26.
- 1994: “Super Bowl as a Religious Experience,”  
Whittier Host Lions Club, January 27.
- 1993: “National Holidays and Religious Holy Days,” 2 presentations.  
CCB Class, First United Methodist Church, June 6, 13.
- 1992: “Football as Faith.”  
Whittier Sertoma Club, October 23.
- 1991: “Christmas Around the World.”  
Whittier Business Leaders Breakfast, YMCA, December 11.
- “Seeking Peace during the Soviet Coup.”  
Whittier Area Peace Coalition, First Friends Church, October 1.
- “Religious Life in Russia,” 3 presentations.  
CCB Class, First United Methodist Church, September 8, 15, 22.
- “I Doubt It: Fretting about Faith.”  
First Unitarian Church, February 3.
- “Why Husbands Watch the Super Bowl.”  
Whittier College Women’s Auxiliary, January 22.
- 1990: “The Parables of Jesus,” 4 presentations.  
CCB Class, First United Methodist Church, September 9, 16, 23, 30.
- “The Parables of Jesus,” 4 presentations.  
M&M Class, First United Methodist Church, April 29, May 6, 13, 20.
- “Baseball and Religion.”  
Whittier University Club, April 19.
- “The Super Bowl as Religious Festival.”  
East Whittier Women’s Club, February 28.
- “The Super Bowl as Religious Festival.”  
Whittier Kiwanis Club, February 6.
- “Waiting to Worship on Super Sunday.”  
Whittier Kiwanis Club, January 24.

- 1989: "The Gospel of Luke," 4 presentations.  
TWIGS Class, First United Methodist Church, September 17, 24, October 1, 8.
- 1988: "Christmas Narratives," 3 presentations.  
TWIGS Class, First United Methodist Church, November 27, December 4, 11.
- "Humor in Teaching."  
Whittier Soroptomist Club, November 15.
- "The Pilgrim's Recess." Sermon for Homecoming Weekend.  
First Friends Church, November 6..
- "The Gospel of Luke," 4 presentations.  
M&M Class, First United Methodist Church, September 11, 18, 25, October 12.
- "The Divine Character of Baseball."  
Kiwanis Club, June 10.
- "Latin American Liberation Theology," 4 presentations.  
CCB Class, First United Methodist Church, May 8, 22, 29, June 5.
- "Liberation Theology for Liberating Faith." May 15.  
Unitarian-Universalist Church of Whittier. Whittier.
- "Latin American Liberation Theology," 3 presentations.  
M&M Class, First United Methodist Church, April 10, 24, May 1.
- "Foundations of Christian Doctrine," 4 presentations. February 7, 14, 21, 28  
CCB Class, First United Methodist Church, February 7, 14, 21, 28.
- 1987: "The Miracle of Christmas."  
CCB Class, First United Methodist Church, December 13.
- "Christmas Narratives," 3 presentations.  
CCB Class, First United Methodist Church, November 15, 22, 29.
- "Violence in Liberation Theology and the Quest for Peace."  
Pathways to Peace Workshop, Whittier First Friends Church, November 7.
- "Flannery O'Connor's Wise Quest for the Holy."  
American Association of University Women, September 16.
- "Vacuuming and the Vacuum: The Spirituality of Housework."  
Quaker Campus Women, Whittier, April 7.
- "The Political Energy of Theology."  
M&M Class, First United Methodist Church, April 5.

- “The Gospel of Mark,” 3 presentations.  
TWIGS Class, First United Methodist Church, March 1, 8, 15.
- “The Gospel of Mark,” 4 presentations.  
CCB Class, First United Methodist Church, February 1, 8, 15, 22.
- 1986: “Tailgating and Communion: Football and Faith.”  
Whittier Exchange Club, November 6.
- “The Gospel of Mark,” 2 presentations.  
TWIGS Class, First United Methodist Church, September 21, 28.
- “Christian Problems with the Resurrection.”  
Rotary Club of Whittier, March 28.
- 1985: “The Super Bowl as Focus for Pilgrimage.”  
Whittier College 11-9-5 Club, October 7.
- “Contemporary Ethical Issues,” 8 presentations.  
CCB Class, First United Methodist Church, September, October.
- “Quasi-Religion Competes with Churches,” 2 presentations.  
Adult Class, First Christian Church, April.
- “Contemporary Ethical Issues,” 4 presentations.  
TWIGS Class, First United Methodist Church, March.
- 1984: “Religion in America,” 4 presentations.  
TWIGS Class, First United Methodist Church, September 9, 16, 23, 30.
- “Running the Race.”  
First Baptist Church, July 29.
- “Religion in America,” 8 presentations.  
CCB Class, First United Methodist Church, April 1, 8, 15, 29, May.
- “Religion in America,” 6 presentations.  
M&M Class, First United Methodist Church, Feb. 12, 19, 26, March 4, 11, 18.
- 1983: “Religions in America.”  
TWIGS Class, First United Methodist Church, November 27
- “Process Theology,” 6 presentations.  
Adult Class, First Friends Church, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, November 7.
- “Process Theology,” 6 presentations.

TWIGS Class, First United Methodist Church, May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, June 5, 12.

1982: "The Significance of Archeology for Hebrew Scriptures."  
Beth Shalom Synagogue, November 3.