



NEW BEGINNINGS // WINTER 2022

OUR MISSION

Theological Horizons supports Christians and seekers by providing a welcoming community for engaging faith, thought and life.

“Dear friends, I hope all is well with you — that you are as healthy in body as you are strong in spirit.”
(3 John 1:2)

This biblical greeting speaks with freshness, doesn't it? We cherish the gift of physical health, newly aware of our vulnerability.

Join us over the coming months as we seek deep understandings of healing, grounded in the wisdom and wellness that come from God in Christ. On behalf of all of us at Theological Horizons, *“I hope that I will see you soon, and we will speak face-to-face. Peace be with you! Your friends here greet you. Greet our friends there by name.”* (3 John 14-15). Be well!

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THE SCOPER LECTURE SERIES IN CHRISTIAN THOUGHT presents



The Wisdom of the Generative Self

Sunday, April 3, 2022
3:30pm → Old Cabell Hall
at the University of Virginia

Kate Bowler Save the Date

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Join us for the 2022 inaugural Scoper Lecture in Christian Thought featuring renowned scholar, author and professor, Kate Bowler. Register now at www.theologicalhorizons.org/katebowler for free tickets to “UNFINISHED: The Wisdom of the Generative Self” taking place at 3:30pm on April 3rd at the University of Virginia’s Old Cabell Hall. The lecture will not be live-streamed, though an online video premiere will follow at a later date.

“Our lives are not problems to be solved. We can have meaning and beauty and love, but nothing even close to resolution...All of our masterpieces, ridiculous. All of our striving, unnecessary. All of our work, unfinished, unfinishable. We do too much, never enough, and are done before we’ve even started. It’s better this way.” – Kate Bowler, PhD, *New York Times* bestselling author, podcast host, and professor at Duke University.



"UNFINISHED: The Wisdom of the Generative Self" with Dr. Kate Bowler

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Can we ever make spiritual sense of the good or bad in our lives?

Renowned scholar of the history of Christianity in North America, Duke University associate professor Kate Bowler has received widespread media attention and academic praise for scholarly studies of movements based on divine promises of health, wealth, and happiness. With the brave realism of a cruciform faith, Dr. Bowler critiques the shallow pieties we often hear around illness and suffering.

Dr. Bowler brings her intellectual and personal insights to the inaugural Scoper Lecture in Christian Thought, "*UNFINISHED: The Wisdom of the Generative Self*," to UVA (Old Cabell Hall) on Sunday, April 3rd, 2022 at 3:30pm

To learn more visit

www.TheologicalHorizons.org/KateBowler

About Kate Bowler

Kate Bowler, PhD, is a *New York Times* bestselling author, and podcast host, and professor at Duke University. After being unexpectedly diagnosed with Stage IV cancer at age 35, she penned the memoir *Everything Happens for a Reason (and Other Lies I've Loved)*. Her new book is *No Cure For Being Human (And Other Truths I Need to Hear)*. Her work has been featured in *The New York Times*, *The New Republic*, *The Guardian*, *TIME Magazine*, *The Atlantic*, *The Economist*, *The Washington Post*, NPR, and the BBC. She lives in Durham, North Carolina with her family.



STUDENTS SPEAK

"Being a part of the Theological Horizons community has shown me the richness of diversity in faith and fellowship. Every person comes into this space with their own story and perspective; unique in how they have experienced the love of Jesus, and yet we are united in the fact that we choose to respect and even admire the differences between us and grow together."
– 3rd year student

"At TH, everyone is welcome, always. Theological Horizons has been such a welcoming and refilling space for me the past 2 years where I have been able to really engage with deep questions about my faith and life both individually and with others in a space that is just so restful and peaceful in ways my words cannot even describe!"
– 4th year student

On Healing with Dean Ian Solomon

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It's almost time for our fifth Deeper Dialogue @ UVA! On February 24th at 5:30, we kick off the exploration of Healing with a Spark Talk by Ian Solomon, Dean of the Batten School of Leadership and Public Policy.

Deeper Dialogues @ UVA engage faculty, students, staff and administrators in structured conversations around meaning and purpose, fostering a university culture of greater compassion and care. We are grateful to the UVA Parents Fund for their generous support of these in person gatherings. Visit our web page to register.



COMING UP

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- February 15 @ 10:45am | Faith and Work Forum with Dean Nicole Jenkins | Rotunda
- February 24 @ 5:30pm | Healing Deeper Dialogue @UVA with Dean Ian Solomon | Batten School
- February 13 @ 1pm | Personal Finance with a Social Justice Lens | Zoom
- February 18 @ 1pm | Everyday Mental Health | Westminster Presbyterian
- January 30 - February 27 Sundays @ 3pm | Personal Finance for the Real World | Zoom
- March 15 @ 12:30pm & 8pm | Kate Bowler Book Clubs | Zoom
- April 3 @ 3:30 | Scoper Lecture with Kate Bowler | Old Cabell Hall
- April 4 morning | Scoper Lecture Medical Hour | TBD
- Fridays @ 1pm | Vintage Lunches | Westminster Presbyterian & Zoom
- Fridays @ 12:15pm | Fresh Air Prayer | outside the UVA Chapel
- Throughout the Spring | Saints of the City Gatherings | Atlanta, Charlottesville, Richmond & Washington, DC

To learn more and join us, email info@theologicalhorizons.org

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Faith & Work Forum with Dr. Nicole Jenkins

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Glimpse the personal side of a meaningful, purpose-driven life at our next Faith & Work Forum featuring Nicole Thorne Jenkins, John A. Griffin Dean of the McIntire School of Commerce at the University of Virginia, in conversation with Diamond Walton of the Tipping Point Fund, on Tuesday, February 15, at 10:45 a.m. in the Multipurpose Room of the Rotunda. Due to the personal nature of this event, it will not be recorded or live-streamed. To RSVP, email christy@theologicalhorizons.org.



GIVING

Growing in Gratitude

Support Theological Horizons with an impactful gift to our global ministry. Now more than ever, your generosity equips us for the critical work of creating connection and community at the intersection of faith, thought and life. While this has been such a challenging time, especially for nonprofits, by the grace of God our ministry continues to soar and grow. We thank you for your sustaining provision.

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