

Monday Morning Memo – 03.01.2021

Dear *Wider Horizons* Members and Friends,

Wider Horizons Events and Information this Week

1. Life is what happens while you are making other plans! **Wren Campbell** learned this again recently when her landlady told her she would need to move by the end of May. If you know of any good 1-bedroom apartments in Central Seattle, let Wren know, please.
2. Kathleen O'Connor recently interviewed new member **Nick Utzinger**. Here is an excerpt from that interview and you can go to the website (www.widerhorizonsvillage.org) to read all of it: *Nick joined Wider Horizons because he thought it was an interesting idea and decided to give it a try. Nick is retired and his husband **John Rochford** is also a new member and a new Board member for Wider Horizons. Nick likes to read and enjoys periodicals, books, and small social gatherings. Nick spent his career in high fashion starting in the designer section of Frederick and Nelson. He selected items from couture clothing to Hermes handbags for Frederick and Nelson, I Magnin, and Saks 5th Avenue. Consequently, his work entailed travel to New York, London, Paris, Rome and Milan among other cities known internationally for gorgeous, tasteful designs.*
3. **Thursday Morning's Zoom** with **Sue Lerner** and **Debbie Ward** will happen, as always, at **9:30 am**. Sue will send out the questions and the link on Wednesday. Please join us for one or both of these wonderful all-member events!
4. There's still room to participate in our new program, *Speaking of Death....* Let me know if you are interested in joining a small discussion group (we'll actually have 3-4 groups) that will meet for the first time on a Thursday or Friday at 4 pm in April. Lots of good resource material, too!

Members and Friends Share Recommendations

1. From **Bill Lippe**, a highly entertaining "lecture" by an American doc who, at the very beginning of his career, was called to India to treat Mother Teresa: <https://youtu.be/vD9RI2Bm69U>
2. From **Maggie Pheasant**, a Zoom about *Winter Birds in the Skagit Valley* on March 11 (see attached).
3. **Ann Lawrence** shared the attachment about spring courses at Olli-UW – check it out!

4. **Barb Klube** is interested in a Zoom lecture/discussion about Neila Larsen's *Passing* led by the novelist Brit Bennett and thought you might be as well: 4 pm Pacific Time: <https://nyti.ms/2Mokx39>
5. From **Bob Anderson**, an inspiring international video concert of more than 17,500 singers and musicians from 129 countries singing *Sing Gently for Peace...sixth virtual choir*. The creator is Eric Whitacre.
6. More from **Nora Langan** on "Stopping the Money Pipeline" -- see the attachment about a webinar on March 4, 6-7 pm: "Tar Sands pipeline 3 update....It is still scheduled to be built across indigenous land and important waterways. Call or email Nora Langan, 206.852.4163 noralangan@msn.com"

Have a lovely week!

Yours,

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