



AHS: Fellowship & Fare Series

Dr. Karen Westerfield Tucker:

*“When the Cradle is Empty:
Rites for Miscarriage and Stillbirth.”*



Thursday March 25, 2010

12:30p.m.-1:15p.m.

Anna Howard Shaw Center STH Rm 320

Dr. Westerfield Tucker is a Professor of Worship at BUSTH. She received her M.Div from Duke University and an M.A. and Ph.D. from the University of Notre Dame. Karen Westerfield Tucker is a United Methodist elder (presbyter) affiliated with the Illinois Great Rivers Conference. She served a congregation in Rock Island, Illinois and the Wesley Foundation at the University of Illinois (U-C) before pursuing the doctorate in liturgical studies at the University of Notre Dame. She was on the faculty at Duke University for fifteen years, and has taught seminary and continuing education courses throughout the United States and Canada, and in Asia, Pacifica, and Europe. Her academic and research interests include North American liturgical history and theology, Methodist/Wesleyan liturgical history and theology, liturgy and pastoral care, and hymnody. In 2002-2003 she was selected as a Henry Luce III Fellow in Theology to study the theological and cultural dynamics of hymnals.



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