



CLGS News and Updates | November 2024

Dear CLGS :

Greetings from CLGS on Election Day 2024! As we await the results of this important US presidential election, we invite you to view recordings of the workshops from our **Queering the 2024 Vote Workshop Series**. We also invite you to join us for our fifth (and final) event in this series as we live into a post-election world and ask how we can work to repair the divisions so apparent in US society today and contribute to building a world where all can thrive.

[Click HERE to view our Queering the 2024 Vote Workshop Series](#)



CLGS Welcomes
Rev. Terence L. Mayo
as the new Coordinator
of our
African American Roundtable!



After an intensive search for a new Coordinator of the CLGS African American Roundtable, which yielded several excellent candidates, CLGS has recently hired **Rev. Terence L. Mayo** into this position.

Welcome, Terence, to CLGS!

Click [HERE](#) to read more about Rev. Terence Mayo



Our November 2024 Queer Book Club |
Queer God de Amor by Miguel Díaz |
A CLGS Latinx Roundtable Event

Join us as we read the book *Queer God de Amor* by Miguel Díaz for this 3-session CLGS Queer Book Club, sponsored by the **CLGS Latinx Roundtable**!

We will meet **ONLINE** from 4pm to 5pm (Pacific Time) on these Tuesdays: **5, 12, and 19 November 2024**.

Click [HERE](#) for more information!

Queering Advent

An Online *CLGS Sacred Texts*
Workshop with Revs. **Lauren Bennett**
and Jakob Hero-Shaw

A new liturgical year starts with Advent, a time of watching, waiting, and preparing our hearts for justice and love!

As we enter year C, this workshop will prepare you for queering Advent and set the foundation for the coming liturgical year.

Thursday, 14 November 2024 @ 1pm
(Pacific) |ONLINE



Click [HERE](#) to join this CLGS workshop via Zoom



Living Together in Our Post-Election World
with **Dr. Leonard McMahon**

Join us as we explore with Dr. **Leonard McMahon**, PSR Professor and founder of Common Ground Dialogue, how we might contribute to **healing the post-election rifts in US society** and building a world where LGBTQ people – and everyone else! – can truly thrive.

Thursday, 12 December 2024 @ 1pm (Pacific)
ONLINE

Click [HERE](#) to join this **ONLINE CLGS Event**

As we approach **Trans Day of Remembrance (TDOR)** on 20 November 2024, we invite you to view a video recording of our recent workshop designed to equip faith leaders and their communities to prepare for this day which honors the lives of individuals lost to transphobic violence.



[Click HERE to view a video recording of this CLGS Event](#)



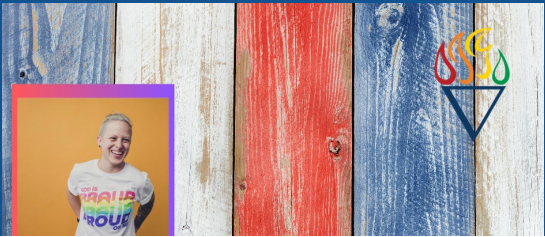


CLGS Job Opening
Coordinator
The CLGS Jewish Roundtable

CLGS is seeking a part-time Coordinator of our Jewish Roundtable!
[Click HERE for a Job Description for this position](#)

Check Out These CLGS **Queering the 2024 Vote** Resources!

In this third workshop in the CLGS **Queering the 2024 Vote** series, we explored the United Church of Christ's **Love is Louder campaign** with **Rachael Ward**, Minister and Team Lead of Gender & Sexuality Justice for UCC, and we considered ways to support the spiritual, physical, and mental well-being of our LGBTQIA+ siblings during this election season.





Love is Louder Campaign

Queering the 2024 Vote



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In our recent **Sitting in Stillness and Prayer: Reflection Moments for this Election Season** workshop, Grace Gilliam and Bernie Schlager curated an online retreat space that offered an opportunity for meditation, reflection, and shared presence as we approach Election Day 2024. This was the fourth workshop in CLGS' **Queering the 2024 Vote** series.



Raise Your Voice
&
Vote!

52 Ways to Expand Your Welcome #40

Our fourth edition of our popular weekly blog **52 Ways to Expand Your Welcome to LGBTQ+ People and Our Families!**

Each week in 2024 we post suggestions on how your faith community can become more welcoming to – and inclusive of – LGBTQ+ People and Our Families.

How can YOU expand *your* welcome of LGBTQ+ Folks?

[Click Here to Explore our 52 Ways!](#)



Mi Casa Es Tu Casa: Queer Latinx Reflections on the Family with MT Dávila and Natalia Imperatori-Lee

Check out this offering from the **CLGS Latinx Roundtable** which explores the concept of *familia* through a queer and Latinx lens.

In this online video our panelists reflect on the many ways that this powerful understanding of *familia* is constructed and deployed in Latinx cultures.

[Click HERE for the Video Recording!](#)

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