



## Spring 2026 Events Calendar

NOTE: All Events are ONLINE (unless otherwise noted) and Times Listed are in the Pacific Time Zone

28 January 2026  
Wednesday

A CLGS *Queering the Word Workshop*: **Lenten Preaching**  
with Rev. Dr. **Tijuana Gray** and Rev. **Jakob Hero-Shaw**  
1pm to 2pm



25 February 2026  
Wednesday

A CLGS *Lavender Lunch* with **The Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence**  
**The Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence: Ruining it for Everyone Since 1979**  
1pm to 2pm



27 February 2026  
Friday


A CLGS *African American Roundtable* **In-Person** Gathering in **Oakland, California**  
**Sacred Black Lounge Experience: Navigating Queerness and Belonging**  
12pm to 5pm



10 March 2026  
Tuesday


A CLGS *Lavender Lunch* with the **Authors**  
**Trans Biblical: Fresh Perspectives on Gender Identity, Scripture, and Embodiment**  
1pm to 2pm





**MELANIN: The Good...  
The Bad... and the Sacred**

The 19th Annual CLGS John E. Boswell Lecture  
Thursday, **16 April 2026** @ 4pm (Pacific Time) | **ONLINE**

  
Bishop Tonyia Rawls

16 April 2026  
Thursday

The **19<sup>th</sup> Annual CLGS John Boswell Lecture**  
with Bishop **Tonyia Rawls** | **MELANIN: The Good... The Bad... and the Sacred**  
4pm to 5:15pm



22 April 2026  
Wednesday

A CLGS *Queering the Word Workshop*: **Baptisms, Weddings, and Funerals**  
with Revs. **Lauren Bennett** and **Jakob Hero-Shaw**  
1pm to 2pm



6 May 2026  
Wednesday

A CLGS *Lavender Lunch* with the **CLGS Catholic Roundtable**  
**Catholic and Transgender: A Conversation**  
1pm to 2pm



14 May 2026  
Thursday

A CLGS & LGBTQ-RAN Author Event with Steven Law and Bernard Schlager  
**The Story of Bob: The Life and Times of Rev. Robert W. Wood**  
6pm to 6pm



20 May 2026  
Wednesday

A CLGS *Queering the Word Workshop*: **LGBTQ+ Holydays/Holidays**  
with Rev. **Lauren Bennett**, Rev. Dr. **Tijuana Gray**, and Rev. **Jakob Hero-Shaw**  
1pm to 2pm



12-14 June 2026

The **2026 International Queer Women of Color Film Festival**  
CLGS is a proud Community Sponsor of QWOCMAP's 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Film Festival  
Presidio Theater, San Francisco CA



30 August 2026

**Berkeley PRIDE**  
CLGS is a proud community sponsor of this annual LGBTQ+ Pride Event  
Berkeley, CA



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*1 April 2026*