



THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF STILLWATER TOWNSHIP

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Harmony Hill United Methodist Church

Present



FOCUS ON CULTURE SERIES

Recollections of a Green Pastor: *Stories from Stillwater in the 70s*

with

Larry Brasher



Dr. J. Lawrence Brasher served as the pastor of Harmony Hill United Methodist Church from 1971 until 1979. A native of New Jersey, he was educated at Duke University and Yale University and is now the Denson N. Franklin Professor of Religion Emeritus at Birmingham-Southern College in Alabama. His publications cover a wide range of topics including religion in America, Revolutionary War history, and the histories of environmental and botanical studies.

While still a student in Divinity School, Larry Brasher was only twenty-four when he arrived in Stillwater in 1971 to take up his first pastorate. For eight years he immersed himself in the daily lives of his flock and in the verdant natural world which surrounded them. His stories are about the humanity and humor of that experience and about the people who embodied what he describes as the “lived religion” of the community.

Sunday, August 13, 2023 4:00 pm

**Harmony Hill United Methodist Church
(Sanctuary)**

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(Parking at the church)**

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The **Focus on Culture Lecture Series** is an initiative of the Historical Society of Stillwater Township. The aim is to increase awareness of the many cultures that built our county by exploring their history, occupations, religious traditions and their contributions to the development of the region.

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