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Facilitators ...

We wish to express our appreciation for the facilitators who have generously donated their time to support the dialogue tonight.:

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Interfaith Communities for Dialogue

How We Worship in the Abrahamic Faiths



Building community by promoting understanding, encouraging respect, and strengthening relationships within our culturally and religiously diverse neighborhoods.

Wednesday, November 7, 2007

**Ravensworth Baptist Church
6:30 p.m.—9:00 p.m.**

Dialogue Ground Rules ...

- The time is shared equally.
- One person speaks at a time.
- Speak from your own experiences; use "I" not "we/they."
- Listen carefully and respectfully to increase your understanding – not to formulate your response.
- Ask questions out of curiosity.
- Be willing to examine your assumptions and judgments.

The Ground Rules will foster community dialogue:

- ♦ Open-mindedness by listening to and respecting all points of view;
- ♦ Acceptance by suspending judgment;
- ♦ Curiosity by seeking to understand rather than to persuade;
- ♦ Discovery by questioning old assumptions; Looking for new insights;
- ♦ Sincerity by speaking for yourself about what has personal heart and meaning;
- ♦ Brevity by going for honesty and depth.

Program ... 6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

- ♦ Reception/Registration
- ♦ Introduction & Welcome Marie Monsen, Chairperson
Interfaith Communities for Dialogue
- ♦ Speakers:

Rabbi David Kalender
Congregation Olam Tikvah

Imam Johari Abdul-Malik
Dar Al Hijrah Islamic Center

The Reverend Stephen Hyde
Ravensworth Baptist Church
- ♦ Questions & Answers

B · R · E · A · K
- ♦ Small Group Dialogues
- ♦ Small Groups Report Out
- ♦ Remarks