

As part of our Bicentennial year celebrations, we are welcoming back our friends from Ted & Co. to share their play, *The Jesus Stories*, during our usual Sunday worship time. In fact, this will be a worship service, just a little different. It will also be World Communion Sunday, and this play will provide a wonderful lead-in to our celebration of Communion. So be sure to join us, and invite a friend or two. There will also be some time after worship for conversation with the folks from Ted & Co. All are welcome!

In The Jesus Stories, writers and performers, Ted Swartz and Jeff Raught, offer a fresh look at

the Gospel stories and discover that when uncorked, these stories pour out sparkling drops of laughter that Jesus must have found in the people he met



along the way. A healthy community is one that knows the difference between solemn and serious, and Ted and Jeff are serious about the value of laughter. Healthy communities are also generous communities, and *The Jesus Stories* is gently subversive in asking, "Who gets to sit at our tables?"

