1st Church of Christ, Scientist, Vero Beach

1-Exploring the Psalms

2-Luke: Revealing's God's Universal

Embrace

3- Acts of the Apostles: The Holy Spirit at Work



You are warmly invited to attend three (3) talks beginning with the Psalms on Friday night; then 'Luke' and 'Acts' talks on Saturday.

> Friday, May 4th 6:30 - 8:30 pm

Saturday, May 5th 9:30 am - Noon 1:00 - 4:00 pm

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Plenty of Free Parking. Bring your Bible and a friend. All are welcome!

## Bible Talks with Madelon Maupin

**Friday night** we begin with Psalms, the glorious poetry of the Hebrew Scriptures. Who wrote them? What types are there? How is the Psalter organized? How can we pray with them more deeply?

**Saturday morning** we explore the first volume of Luke's work, the Gospel. Looking at historical context, structure, themes, unique material, we'll see how this only Gentile writer of the entire Bible provided such a gifted look into the story of Christ Jesus and his ministry.

**Saturday afternoon** we explore Luke's 2nd volume, "The Acts of the Apostles", where he continues themes established in the Gospel but this time on the life of the early Church. What did they face and how does Luke unfold his story geographically, theologically, historically? How does their example serve Christians today? We'll explore these and other major parts of Acts, such as the role of the Holy Spirit.

**Cost:** Each session is \$20 or \$50 for all three. Sunday School students are welcome at no charge. Please pre-register with the attached form and RSVP to Tori Blackhart at **torimedia@gmail.com** or call Tori at **617-678-2667**. Lunch will be available for purchase at the Church. See the registration form.

Madelon Maupin has a Masters in Theological Studies from San Francisco Theological Seminary, has lectured for Princess Cruises for their Holy Land tours and led groups to Israel, Turkey, Italy and Greece. Madelon's company, BibleRoads.com, provides Biblical education materials in the form of talks, online video courses and Bible Study workbooks, etc. She is a frequent contributor to the Christian Science magazines, serves on the national ecumenical team for First Church of Christ, Scientist, and has shared her love of the Bible with audiences worldwide for several decades. She lives in Newport Beach CA with her husband, George Birdsong, and their cocker spaniel, Parker.