

## **Worship Theme: Redemption**

[April 2017 Newsletter Reflection](#)

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### **BOOKS**

*The Kite Runner* by Khaled Hosseini

*Bone to Pick: Of Forgiveness, Reconciliation, Reparation, and Revenge* by Ellis Cose

*A Man Called Ove: A Novel* by Fredrik Backman

*The Redemption of God: A Theology of Mutual Relation* by Carter Heyward

*Americanah* by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie

*The Unlikely Pilgrimage of Harold Fry* by Rachel Joyce

*Growing an Inch* by Stanley Gordon

*Peace Like a River* by Leif Enger

*A Long Way Gone: Memoirs of a Boy Soldier* by Ishmael Beah

### **MOVIES/FILM/VIDEO**

*Les Misérables* (2012)

*As It Is in Heaven* (2004)

*Seven Pounds* (2008)

*Gran Torino* (2008)

*Maya Angelou: And Still I Rise* (2017)

*Shawshank Redemption* (1994)

*The Negotiator* (1998)

*The River Wild* (1994)

### **FAMILIES**

*Tico and the Golden Wings* by Leo Lionni

*Martha Walks the Dog* by Susan Meddaugh

*Mr. Lincoln's Way* by Patricia Polacco

*Holes* by Louis Sachar

*The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe* by C.S. Lewis

*The Missing Piece* by Shel Silverstein

### **ARTICLES**

["The Case for Reparations"](#) by Ta-Nehisi Coates (The Atlantic, June 2014)

### **PODCASTS**

Unity Church "redemption" tagged sermons and services.

Unity Church-Unitarian follows a four-year cycle of monthly worship themes, with each year beginning in September and ending in June.