## The Soul of Leadership "Mini:" Leading From Within February 9, 2015 – April 23, 2015 Portland, OR

A 10-week program led by Dr. Margaret Benefiel and Rev. Margaret Marcuson

In twenty-first century Western culture, leaders are rewarded for their drive, decisiveness, productivity, and long work hours. What would it look like for a leader to cultivate the inner life, to step off the treadmill, to take time apart for personal reflection? What would leadership arising from a core of spiritual groundedness and compassion look like?

In this 10-week program, participants will:

1) Identify the times they have led with soul and learn how to do so more consistently.

2) Reflect on their own leadership experiences in light of the readings.

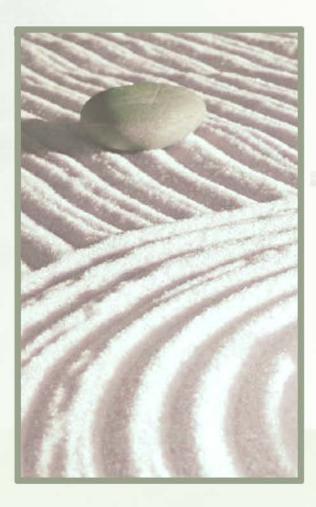
3) Learn to practice discernment in difficult leadership challenges.

4) Reflect on their own spiritual awareness and resources in relation to their particular leadership situations.

5) Learn to apply several leadership approaches and discern which is best for their own style and situation.

6) Learn to break the cycle of destructive communication through nonviolent communication practices.

7) Reflect on their own family emotional and spiritual formation and how it can be a resource for their leadership.



We will meet in person twice – February 9 and April 23 (these will be day-long gatherings in Portland, OR). In between, there will be three small group meetings, and online community.

Cost: The cost of attending the 10-week program is

\$750 - non-profit or individual

\$1500 - corporate

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## Rev. Margaret Marcuson

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To learn about other events and opportunities to work with Dr. Benefiel and Rev. Marcuson, please visit the Executive Soul website: www.ExecutiveSoul.com