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## Bishop Geralyn Wolf

### Down and Out: Memoirs of a Homeless Bishop

Working extensively in urban ministry, Bishop Wolf decided to go “undercover” for a month to live as a homeless person, “Ally,” in Providence, Rhode Island. Hear what she learned about herself, the homeless, her “moments of grace and moments of deep disappointment.”



**Tuesday, March 21, at 7 p.m.**

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Rt. Rev. Geralyn “Gerry” Wolf was ordained in 1977, serving in the Diocese of Pennsylvania. In 1995, she became only the second woman in U.S. Episcopal Church history to be ordained a bishop. Her book, “Down and Out in Providence: Memoirs of a Homeless Bishop,” chronicles her homeless experiences in soup kitchens, shelters and churches.



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