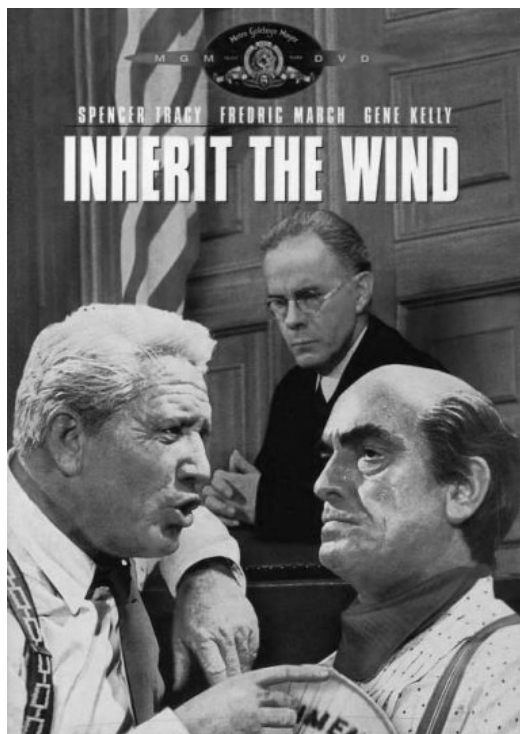


Join **St. James United Church of Christ** for a screening of the classic 1960 film

# ***INHERIT THE WIND***

This compelling Academy Award-winning film tells the story of the famous Scopes “Monkey Trial” of 1925. At a time when some of our contemporary religious leaders are insisting on an irreconcilable conflict between faith and science, the issues addressed in this great courtroom drama are still very much with us today.



**SATURDAY, FEB. 9  
6:00 PM**

- Followed by a facilitated discussion-
- Soup and sandwiches will be served-
- Free admission-

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In 1925, a state law forbid the teaching of Darwin’s theory of evolution in Tennessee Public Schools. John T. Scopes, a high school biology teacher, defied that law. What followed was one of the greatest courtroom dramas in American history.

This event is presented in conjunction with **Evolution Weekend** and **The Clergy Letter Project**, created in the interest of ending divisiveness. The letter, signed by more than 11,100 Christian clergy members in America, reads in part: *“religious truth is of a different order from scientific truth. Its purpose is not to convey scientific information but to transform hearts.”*

As essayist Roger Rosenblatt said, *Inherit The Wind* “was and is about the right to be wrong...the right to think. And having established that, it is about something more important still and more fundamental to the question of not how, but why we came to be. It is about the wisdom and necessity of being kind.”

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