Key Points

On the Wing

Rev. Jamie Butcher

- Rev. Jamie Butcher shares two personal encounters with the rosy maple moth, emphasizing the stunning beauty and craftsmanship of God's creations.
- In Isaiah's message to the exiled Israelites, he offers encouragement to wait on the Lord, promising renewed strength and the ability to soar like eagles.
- Pastor Debbie Blue challenges conventional interpretations by suggesting the Hebrew term "nesher" in the passage may refer to a griffon vulture instead of an eagle.
- Vultures, often associated with death and decay, possess surprising characteristics and significance in various cultures, revered for their role in purifying the environment.
- Covenant Presbyterian Church had a new member luncheon, where someone asked about the congregation's losses that year, prompting a discussion on holding space for grief and providing hope in times of sorrow.
- Rev. Butcher concludes by reflecting on the church's tendency to strive for success and power but encourages embracing the unexpected aspects of faith and serving a surprising God.