

**Rev. John Heeckt, Pastor of Ridgebury Congregational Church, to  
continue his popular series on Religion in Early Ridgefield,  
October 30 and November 6**

The Ridgefield Historical Society is pleased to again sponsor Rev. John Heeckt, Pastor of Ridgebury Congregational Church, as he continues his talks, "Religion in Early Ridgefield". Rev Heeckt notes, "History is mainly about people. If we understand the role of religion in the lives of our predecessors, we can get a better picture of the role the churches played in our town's development".

The Rev. is uniquely qualified to talk on this subject because he supports his active pastorate with impressive academic credentials: Masters Degree in Divinity- Yale, Masters Degree in Sacred Theology- Boston University, Masters Degree in Liberal Arts History- Harvard, and is pursuing a Masters of Arts in History- Western Connecticut State University.



**Rev. John Heeckt preparing his lecture series, "Religion in Early Ridgefield", to be given on October 30 and November 6 in the Loundsbury House at 7 PM.**

This lecture series will take place on October 30 and November 6 at the town's community center, the Loundsbury House, at 7 PM. Last year,

Rev Heeckt had a “full house” so please call the Ridgefield Historical Society at 438-5821 to reserve your place at this year’s series.

For more information about the lecture series or other programs, you can also contact the Ridgefield Historical Society via email at [ridgefieldhistory@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ridgefieldhistory@sbcglobal.net) . The Scott House, the society’s headquarters, is open Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, 1 – 5 PM. Visitors are welcome. Special research group requests can be honored.