

Friday digest

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- Diane Roth on [storms, death and other things she can't control](#)
- "[On our anniversary](#)," a poem by Anya Silver

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- [Donations to religious institutions decline for second straight year](#)
- [Southern Baptists approve alternate name, but barely](#)