

"A Community Of Many Faithing Communities Where All Belong!"

Living Waters Contemplative Life Center Divine Intervention Ministry to the Homeless Tippecanoe just.good.food Garden "Food Justice Site PCUSA Arts and Science Literacy Camps for Children

Welcome To Worship

October 11, 2020 9:30 a.m.

Day 1 is the start; Day 2 is the struggle; Day 3 is the triumph: We're All In Day Two!



Welcome to this time of being with God and each other.

TODAY'S WORSHIP

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Preparing To Worship...



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- **♦Welcome and Community News**
- **♦Readying Ourselves for Worship**

Surely God is in this place, Holy Ground! Surely God is in this place, Holy Ground!

♦ Becoming Present To God And Each Other...Our Check-in:

How Are You As You Arrive... how is it with your spirit?

♦Affirming Our Faith With Intention (Written by Albert Camus, adapted)

In the midst of hate, I find there is, within me, an invincible love. In the midst of tears, I find there is, within me, an invincible smile. In the midst of chaos, I find there is, within me, an invincible calm. I realize, through it all, that in the midst of winter, I find there is, within me, an invincible summer. And that makes me happy. For it says that no matter how hard the world pushes against me, within me, there's something stronger-something more courageous-something better, pushing right back.

♦Bible's Wisdom Teachings

Exodus 32:1-14 Matthew 22:1-14 Philippians 4:1-9

♦Prompting

Day 2

"Invited"

Inspirations of Brene Brown, thingsilearnt (wordpress.com), Dr. Mulkar

Rev. Karen Hagen

♦A Moment of Personal Reflection



♦Opening Ourselves to God's Grace

♦ Sharing Our Inner Most Lives With God based on today's Wisdom Teachings & Theme

God, You may be inviting me to come to You, but I can hardly hear Your invitation because my life is yelling at me to...

God, You may want me to keep in mind all the things in my life for which I can rejoice, but so often I seem to focus instead on...

God, I give thanks and praise for the things in my life that are honorable and pure and just. Help me...right through my resistance...to...

God what I need most from You today is...

•You may wish to name with God how you feel uninvited in your life; or you may share with God how you are beginning to find a new sense of belonging, a new spirit of rejoicing; or you may simply invite Jesus to come sit beside you this morning shining his healing light all around you.

- **♦Special Music Video ♦Sharing Our Wisdom**
- ♦ Community Prayers: Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer
 ♦ Honoring the Sustaining Financial Gifts of Our Faithing Community
- **♦**Special Slideshow of Wisdom Sayings
- **♦ To Deepen Our Reflection** (Excerpt from BODY AND SOUL, Coleman Hawkins)

I used to think the power of words was inexhaustible... that how we "said" the world was how it was, and how it would be.

I used to imagine that word-sway and word-thunder would silence 'the Silence' ...that "worlds" were the Word... that language could lead us inexplicably to grace, as though it were geographical.

I used to think these things when I was young.

I still do.

♦Benediction...*Becoming a Living Blessing*

What goes with you as life giving from our shared time? What is helpful? Do you have a new idea to ponder? Do you have a better question to be asking?

♦Our Response

Holy One, now we your servants go in peace. Your word lives on in us.

To hear Pastor Karen sharing the prompting, listen to Tippe Talk podcast...link on our website and Facebook.

