



PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH
OF THE ROSES

Reaching Out with Nurturing Love to All



Sacred Space
September 5, 2020
Outdoor Service 5 pm

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE

"Wartime Prayers"

by Paul Simon

GATHERING SONG #727 *"Will You Let Me Be Your Servant"* by Richard Gillard

*Will you let me be your servant, let me be as Christ to you?
Pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant too.*

*We are pilgrims on a journey, we're together on the road,
We are here to help each other walk the mile and bear the load.*

*I will weep when you are weeping, when you laugh I'll laugh with you,
I will share your joy and sorrow till we've seen this journey through.*

WELCOME & INTRODUCTIONS

OPENING PRAYER

MEDITATION MUSIC

"The Wedding Song"

by Noel Paul Stookey

*He is now to be among you at the calling of your hearts.
Rest assured, this troubador is acting on His part.
The union of your spirits here has caused Him to remain,
For whenever two or more of you are gathered in His name
There is Love. There is Love.*

*For a man shall leave his mother and a woman leave her home,
They shall travel on to where The two shall be as one.
As it was in the beginning, is now until the end,
Woman draws her life from man and gives it back again,
And there is Love. There is Love.*

*Well then what's to be the reason for becoming man and wife?
Is it Love that brings you here or Love that brings you life?
For if loving is the answer, then who's the giving for?
You believe in something that you've never seen before,
And there is Love. There is Love.*

*Oh the marriage of your spirits here has caused Him to remain
For whenever two or more of you are gathered in His name
There is Love. There is Love.*

FIRST SCRIPTURE: Romans 13: 8-14

THEME: "Love One Another. Live Like Christ in the Light"

MEDITATION "Love Thy Neighbor?" Commissioned Elder, Chris Rhodes

TIME OF SILENCE AND SHARING

CLOSING PRAYER

SACRED SONG #749 "Come, Live in the Light" by David Haas

Come! Live in the light! Shine with the joy and the love of the Lord!

We are called to be light for the kingdom,

To live in the freedom of the city of God.

Refrain:

We are called to act with justice; we are called to love tenderly,

We are called to serve one another, to walk humbly with God.

Come! Open your heart! Show your mercy to all those in fear!

We are called to be hope for the hopeless,

So hatred and violence will be no more. Refrain

Sing! Sing a new song! Sing of that great day when all will be one!

God will reign, and will walk with each other,

As sisters and brothers united in love. Refrain

SENDING SONG "Hand It Over"

by Keb' Mo'

Verse One:

If your problems won't go away,

And you're worried both night and day,

Hand it over. Get on your knees and pray.

Verse Two:

If you're sick, feeling low,

Got no money, got nowhere to go,

Hand it over. Get on your knees and pray.

Chorus:

Hand it over. Hand it over. Give it up. Give it over.

Hand it over. Get on your knees and pray.

Bridge:

*Ain't no mountain you can't climb.
Ain't no answer you can't find,
All you need is a hand to hold,
It'll heal your body and feed your soul.*

Verse Three:

*If the road is dark and you can't find your way
Just let the spirit light the way,
Hand it over. Get on your knees and pray.*

Break

Sing Bridge , Verse Three and Chorus

BLESSING

Pastor: *Rev. Dr Cindy Alloway*
Guest Preacher: *Commissioned Elder, Chris Rhodes*
Music: *Steve Yeager, Nate Scoble*

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