

Let your acceptance change us, so that we may be moved
In living situations to do the truth in love
To practice acceptance until we know by heart
The table of forgiveness, and laughter's healing art.

Lord, for today's encounters with all who are in need,
Who hunger for acceptance, for righteousness and bread.
We need new eyes for seeing, new hands for holding on;
Renew us with your Spirit, Lord. Free us. Make us one.



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Klamath Falls Friends Church
Semi-programmed Worship
Sunday, May 26, 2024
10:00 AM

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All Are Welcome Here

Because we believe each person represents an image of the Divine and welcome the light that each individual brings, we open our doors to everyone. We encourage full participation by all in the life of our meeting. We recognize one another as equal travelers on the journey, seeking always to celebrate our joys and share our struggles together. May we create and tend an ethic of respect, reverence, safety, and listening. May we delight in our differences.

Meeting for Worship

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Welcome

First Word

Opening Song: Diverse in Culture, Nation, Race

*Diverse in culture, nation, race,
we come together by your Grace.
God, let us be a meeting ground
where hope and healing love are found.*

*God let us be a bridge of care
connecting people ev'rywhere.
Help us confront all fear and hate
and lust for pow'r that separate.*

*When chasms widen, storms arise,
O Holy Spirit, make us wise.
Let ourselves, like steel, be strong,
to stand with those who suffer wrong.*

*God let us be a table spread
with gifts of love and broken bread,
where all find welcome, grace attends,
and enemies arise as friends.*

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 12:18-22,33-34

Message: Lord's Style Supper

Open Worship

Queries –

How do you break the barriers between us?
How can our potlucks today be a moment in the Kingdom of God?

Are all Hearts and Minds clear?

Joys and Concerns

Closing Prayer

Announcements:

- May 26 – Pot Luck Luncheon – sign up sheets on the entry table
- June 2 will be our book group. We will be discussing chapters 5&6 of Thich Nhat Hanh's *Living Buddha Living Christ* directly after meeting for worship
- The Food Pantry will be at 1175 Crescent Ave at Klamath Lutheran Church at 5:30 on Tuesday the 28th. Please bring. Toiletries for men and women (soap, shampoo, deodorant) full sized and travel sized and toilet paper. If you want to volunteer, please see Linda Warner
- There is a prayer vigil each Wednesday at 6:30 here at the church – It's focus is a ceasefire in the wars, particularly in Israel/Gaza

Closing Song: Help Us Accept Each Other

Help us to accept each other as Christ accepted us

Teach us as sister, brother each person to embrace
Be present, Lord, among us and bring us to believe
We are ourselves accepted and meant to love and live.

Teach us, O Lord, your lessons as in our daily life
We struggle to be human and search for hope and faith.
Teach us to care for people, for all, Not just for some,
To love them as we find them, or as they may become.