Closing Song: O Lord, You're Beautiful

Financial Information and Encouragement The Venmo Account is now closed.

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Financial giving is a concrete way in which we ALL can share in the ministry and outreach of Friends. Thank you to all who faithfully contribute! May we continue to trust God to enable us to give with generous and open hearts! Please pledge for 2024. Forms are near the entry table.

> July Month Pledged: \$2618 Month Donated: \$5430

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Semi-programmed Worship Sunday, August 11, 2024 10:00 am

All Are Welcome

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!

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Meeting for Worship

August 11, 2024 10:00 AM Semi-programmed worship

A Time to Center Down Welcome First Word Opening Song: *There's a Wideness in God's Mercy* Scripture: Luke 24:13-35 Message: Life as The Road to Emmaus Open Worship Queries:

- Can you be authentically peaceful and present and if not, what needs to change? How can we help?
- Can we be patient journey companions while people process their traumas, try to get their spiritual questions answered, or become satisfied with the Great Mystery?
- Can you go "the second mile" like Jesus did?
- Can you be inconvenienced for others sake?
- Can you see the Christ that has been walking with you?

Are all Hearts and Minds clear?

(when the question is asked toward the end of open worship, if you are still in prayer about something or you have something you are led to say, you can shake your head "no," and we will wait for your prayer time to be completed, and we will continue to pray with you in the meantime)

> Joys and Concerns Closing Prayer

Announcements:

- Circle of Friends: 11:00- 12:00 Today at the end of meeting for worship --- "Who we are and Where are we going?"
- Food Pantry is August 20 & 27; There is a need for more volunteers. If you are interested, please call Linda Warner at 541-281-5535. The board meeting for the pantry is this Tuesday, August 13 at noon followed by stocking of the pantry. The July Food Bank was a great success. The July two Tuesday food pantries served 76 households, a total of 180 people (128 adults and 52 kiddos). Forty volunteers gave 150 hours. We also collected 31 pounds of extra food and dozens of non-food items to share with clients. The pantry needs toiletries for women and men (bath wash/soap, shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste) as well as feminine hygiene products.
- August 18 -- Peace and Social Concerns at 9:00 AM downstairs There will be time sensitive information about the upcoming peace supper, the landfill, and preventing election violence
- August 25, 2024 is the August <u>Meeting for</u> Worship with Attention to <u>Business</u>. It will take place at the end of meeting for worship.
- September 14, 2024 6:00 PM Nicole Sanchez will be our guest speaker at the Peace Supper. Her presentation will be on landscaping for a dry climate.