

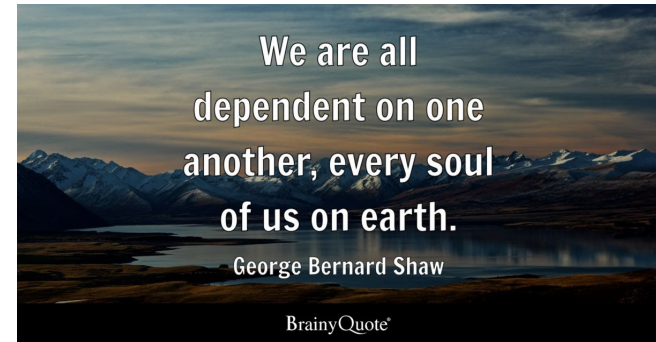
*Financial Information and Encouragement  
The Venmo Account is now closed.*

*We appreciate and need your ongoing financial support! The meeting asks every member and regular attendee to consider giving, according to one's ability, as a spiritual practice. It is not the size of the donation that matters, but the heart from which it is given. You may drop your tax-deductible gift in the box located at the back corner of our meeting room.*

*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.*

As of August 31, 2024

Average Monthly Income -- \$4180  
Average Monthly Expenses -- \$5405  
YTD Expenses: \$43,420  
YTD Income from offerings: \$33,436



Zoom link:

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**Klamath Falls Friends Church  
Semi-programmed Worship  
Sunday, October 20, 2024, 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*

*October 20, 2024*

10:00 AM Semi-programmed worship

A Time to Center Down

First Word

Opening Song: *Let All Things Now Living*

*Let All Things Now Living*

*1 Let all things now living a song of thanksgiving*

*To God the Creator triumphantly raise,*

*Who fashioned and made us, protected and stayed us,*

*Who guideth us on to the end of our days.*

*God's banners are o'er us,*

*God's light goes before us,*

*A pillar of fire shining forth in the night,*

*'Til shadows have vanished and darkness is banished,*

*as forward we travel from light into light.*

*2 God's law God enforces: the stars in their courses,*

*The sun in God's orbit, obediently shine;*

*The hills and the mountains, the rivers and fountains,*

*The deeps of the ocean proclaim Him divine,*

*We too should be voicing our love and rejoicing,*

*With glad adoration a song let us raise,*

*'Til all things now living unite in thanksgiving*

*To God in the highest, hosanna and praise.*

Message: *Spiritual Fellowship and Friendship*

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## Open Worship

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:

- There is a need for more volunteers at the food pantry. If you are interested, please call Linda Warner at 541-281-5535.
- October 20, Circle of Friends at the end of meeting for worship "What does membership in this church mean to you?"
- October 27, Monthly Meeting for Business
- The best disaster relief efforts at this time in NC are through the United Way that is helping to coordinate efforts in Western North Carolina and with the state and federal government.

*Pantry News*

- *Interfaith Food Pantry is collecting new and used (laundered) blankets and sleeping bags for our December/January Warm Up Drive.*
- *December pantry nights have been moved to December 10th and 17th, 5:30 until 7:30. (Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve fall on regular pantry nights.)*
- *We're collecting good used toys for our client waiting rooms--simple toys, not stuffed animals, that can be disinfected and are not choking hazards.*
- *If you'd like to support Klamath Interfaith Food Pantry but can't work at the pantry, you can give your financial support directly to the pantry. Simply mail a check to Klamath Lutheran Church, indicate "pantry" on the memo line and mail it to Klamath Lutheran Church Pantry, 1175 Crescent St. KF, OR 97601. The pantry is a designated non-profit so your donation is tax deductible.*
- *We need volunteers for our Thanksgiving Meal Box distribution on Tuesday, November 19th from 3:30 until 6:30 or as long as you can stay and help.*

Closing Song: *Lean on Me*

*[Verse 1]*  
*Sometimes in our lives, we all have pain*  
*We all have sorrow*  
*But if we are wise*  
*We know that there's always tomorrow*

*[Chorus]*  
*Lean on me when you're not strong*  
*And I'll be your friend*  
*I'll help you carry on*  
*For it won't be long*  
*'Til I'm gonna need*  
*Somebody to lean on*

*[Verse 2]*  
*Please swallow your pride*  
*If I have things you need to borrow*  
*For no one can fill*  
*Those of your needs*  
*That you won't let show*

*[Bridge]*  
*You just call on me, brother, when you need a hand*  
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*[Bridge]*

*You just call on me, sister, when you need a hand*  
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*[Verse 3]*  
*If there is a load you have to bear*  
*That you can't carry*  
*I'm right up the road*  
*I'll share your load*  
*If you just call me*

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