

Awakening Souls, Transforming Lives!



Spiritual Tools For An Abundant Life- "The 12 Powers of Man"

Using the Powers, One Month at a Time

June— Imagination

The ability to imagine, picture, conceptualize, envision, dream.

I imagine good unfolding in every area of my life.

MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD

It is June and we are all looking forward to the abundance of all good things that the Summer season brings. As we start out this month, Unity Christ Church will be providing its Spiritual Community with a number of marvelous opportunities for Spiritual growth and learning.

On **June 3, 2018** Reverend Toni Boehm will be presenting the Sunday Lesson entitled "Mastering Abundance". She will also be presenting a workshop that provides greater depth and understanding of this Spiritual Principle. Please plan to attend this enlightening event and invite your family and friends. Rev Boehm will be sharing and we will be learning principles that will assist us in prospering abundantly in all areas of our lives.

The following Sunday, **June 10th**, Reverend Melissa Bennet will be sharing a powerful Spiritual message that will not only provide us with some nourishing spiritual food, but will help us continue to grow in Spiritual Understanding.

June 17th is Father's Day and one our own members, Reverend David DeChristo will be sharing the Father's Day message. Please join with us as we celebrate our Fathers, with David's thought provoking Lesson entitled, "Who Is My Father".

On **June 24th** we have a special surprise. We will experience a LiveStream of the Sunday Lesson from Unity Village Chapel. Reverend Erin McCabe is the Minister at the Village and she is a very inspiring dynamic Spiritual leader. This will give us all an opportunity to experience Unity at its World Headquarters. Please mark your calendars and join us for the special event.

The Board of Trustees would also like you to give us your opinions and suggestions about the activities and speakers we are presenting to you. Please put all your comments in the suggestion box in the foyer. Please know that we take all of your comments and concerns into consideration.

As we continue to move forward, in Faith, let us know and affirm that, "There Is only One Presence and One Power active in our lives and in the Universe, God, the Good Omnipotent; and this is the Truth.

Blessings to you all,

The Board of Trustees

AFFIRMATION FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE

Colossians 3:15

Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful.

June 3rd

Psalm 46:1-2

God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble. Therefore we will not fear, though the earth give way and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea.

June 10th

Psalm 139:7-8

Where shall I go from your Spirit? Or where shall I flee from your presence? If I ascend to heaven, you are there! If I make my bed in Sheol, you are there!

June 17th

Psalm 23:2-3

He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

June 24th

Psalm 27:14

Wait on the Lord: be of good courage, and He shall strengthen thine heart.

REFLECTIONS

Reflections is a newsletter published each month by Unity Christ Church. Its purpose is to inform and inspire our spiritual community. Submissions for publication are welcome and should be sent to the church office for review.

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MASTERING ABUNDANCE Workshop

Are you ready to experience a life filled with abundance and luminosity? A life where you release struggle; and as you ask you receive! This workshop will be led by Rev. Toni Boehm and will talk place on Sunday, June 3, 2018, 12:30pm to 2:30pm. We look forward to seeing you there.



FRIENDSHIP SUNDAY POTLUCK June 3rd

Please join us in the Fellowship Room after the service for our Friendship Sunday Potluck. If your last name begins with A-H, please bring a dessert or bread dish; if your last name begins with I-R, please bring a casserole or meat dish; if your last name begins with S-Z, please bring a salad or vegetable. We always have great food and fellowship so please invite your friends and make plans to join us!!



Farewell! Please join us at the June 3rd potluck as we wish Fred Beecroft and Nancy Demmitt a FAREWELL!!

From the Prayer Ministry

(reprint June 2015)

Dear Friends,

The season of spring is finally in full swing! The power of God’s creation is manifested in great beauty during this season. We welcome the warmer weather (at last), and we look forward to the longer days and lighter evenings.

This month’s faculty is Power, and we celebrate power in and of it. Without power, nothing would come to pass. Without power nothing would move. It’s very similar to faith as faith is the seed power to bring things to pass. As we focus on the ability to create and move within God’s creation, we affirm our unique capacity of power within ourselves and in our world. The scripture for our power this month is

Luke 10:19 New King James Version (NKJV)

¹⁹ Behold, I give you the authority to trample on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

Affirmation: I am one with God’s omnipotence. I am empowered with the Holy Spirit..

Prayer: Sweet loving Spirit, all loving and all powerful Creator, I claim and accept your power in leading a life centered in Christ’s love.

Mary E. Biggs, LUT

P.S. Recommendation book for the month – Discover the Power Within by Eric Butterworth!

JUNE LESSON TITLES & MUSICIANS

June 3, 2018

Guest Speaker: Rev. Toni Boehm

Lesson Title: Mastering Abundance

Guest Musicians: Deborah Sharn & Steve Schenkel

June 10, 2018

Guest Speaker: Rev. Melissa Bennett

Lesson Title:

Guest Musicians: Doug Erwin and Katie Kopff

June 17, 2018

Guest Speaker: Rev. David DeChristo

Lesson Title: Who Is My Father?

Guest Musicians: Jeanne Trevor and Myron Williams

June 24, 2018

Live Stream from Unity Village

Guest Musician: Mitzi MacDonald

Lessons In Truth Class...

...is a series based on the book, "Lessons In Truth" by H. Emilie Cady. This is one of the Foundation Books of Unity... and is a Required Reading to become a member at Unity Christ Church. The class is reforming and we will set a new schedule at our next meeting. You are invited to attend even if you have not attended the previous classes. The next class is **Sunday, June 10th**, immediately following morning service. We will meet downstairs in the Fellowship Room. The class will be facilitated by Rudolph Clay.

NOON-DAY MEDITATION

Noon Meditation is held every Wednesday. The noon meditation is modeled after Silent Unity’s daily prayer service, with deep relaxation. We look forward to seeing you this Wednesday and every Wednesday starting at 12pm.

THOUGHTS FROM THE HEART

(REPRINT 2015)

I have been daydreaming and imagining what it would be like to live in the Kingdom of God ---right here and right now! I have also been experiencing images and impressions of what my life would be like if I was consciously aware that I am maintained, sustained and governed by the Grace of God. As these ideas permeate my Being, I begin to experience a flood of visions that seem to invite me to come right in and experience that which I have dedicated my life to bringing forth. With each Idea that floods my mind, the visions appear to become crystal clear and I begin to wonder, "What could this be that is possessing me? "Is it real, or just my imaginings?"

Well, to get some clarity, I turn to Charles Fillmore to enlighten me. According to Mr. Fillmore, It is my imagination that is flowing through me and filling my mind with all sorts of possibilities. Mr. Fillmore in *The Revealing Word* states that, "Imagination is the faculty of mind that images and forms, the power to shape and form thought." He further explains, "With our imagination we lay hold of ideas and clothe them with substance. The body is the product of the mind. What man pictures or imagines in his mind will eventually appear in the body? In the communication of God with man, the imaging power of the mind plays an important part. It receives divine ideas and reflects their character to the consciousness. According to scripture this is the opening of the heavens and the seeing the "angels of God ascending and descending on the "Son of man" (John 1; 51)."

This explanation makes it emphatically clear that I have been indeed receiving impartations from within and not merely random imaginings. The visions that I see appear to be flowing from deep within and manifesting as me. As ideas of Oneness flow into my mind, I envision myself at one with all humanity and of course with the birds, the flowers, and the trees and with every living creature that happens to be. Ideas of Love fill me with such joy and harmony and I see myself filled with this Divine Love, expressing care and compassion for everyone and everything I see; for I express myself as the Divine Child of God that I AM. Thoughts of Life allow me to see that the health, wholeness, youth and vitality implanted in me by God are truly what I choose to manifest and Be. And as I think about the Omnipresence, Omnipotence and Omniscience of God I begin to know and realize that this is me for I Am made in the Image and Likeness of God. I have the ability to be present everywhere because everything and everyone is a part of me; and of course I am One with all the Power and Knowingness of God. And of course as I think about the Grace of God, I envision my life flowing in harmony, as I realize I am maintained, sustained and supported, by that infinite invisible from within---The Christ of God which is the Divine Within me.

Therefore, from within the depths of my Being, I am convinced and I know that as I persist in these visionings, I will awake in the Image and likeness of God. One with all the Power, Wisdom, Love and Understanding of our Creator, God.

So, as we think about the power of Imagination, let us decide today what thoughts, ideas and dreams we are willing to hold in our mind and have out pictured in our lives. Let us choose to allow our visioning to be guided by the Divine Ideas of God, which bring peace, harmony, love, wisdom and abundance of all kinds to every area of our lives.

Let Us Daily Affirm: "My eye is single to the Good."


Blessings as You Spiritually Unfold,

Juankee J. McKinney

The Editor



JUNE 2018 at Unity Christ Church

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>Sunday Celebration Service and Youth Education—10:30 AM</p> <p><i>Fellowship after the service in the Lobby.</i></p> <p><i>(See reverse side for times and locations of classes and events)</i></p>						
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REGULARLY SCHEDULED CLASSES, GROUPS AND EVENTS

Sunday Celebration Schedule

Prayer and Meditation Service

9:45 AM in the Prayer Room. Please come and join us for a quiet time of healing and renewal. Bring your prayer requests and get prayed up!

Youth Ministry

10:30 AM in the Art Gallery, all children through age 12

Sunday Celebration

10:30 AM in the Sanctuary

Sunday Fellowship (after service)

11:30 AM in the Lobby

CD's of each Sunday's service are available at the book desk following the service.

Adult Children of Alcoholics and Dysfunctional Families

Fridays at 7 PM in the Fellowship Room

Saturdays at 9:30 AM in the Fellowship Room

Lessons In Truth

2nd Sunday of the Month in the Sanctuary led by Rudolph Clay

Immediately following morning Service—Fellowship Room

Noon Meditation and Bible Class

Wednesdays—Meditation at 12pm in the Sanctuary

Spiritual Support Group

Wednesdays at 7 PM led by Juankee McKinney. In the Library

Toastmasters-Voices in Unity

Second and Fourth Sundays at 7:00 PM in the Fellowship Room

12-Step Centering Prayer and Meditation Groups

Fridays, 6:30 PM in the Fellowship Room

Saturdays, 11 AM in the Art Gallery

Additional information is available on the website (www.unitychriststl.org) or by calling the office at 314/727-6478.