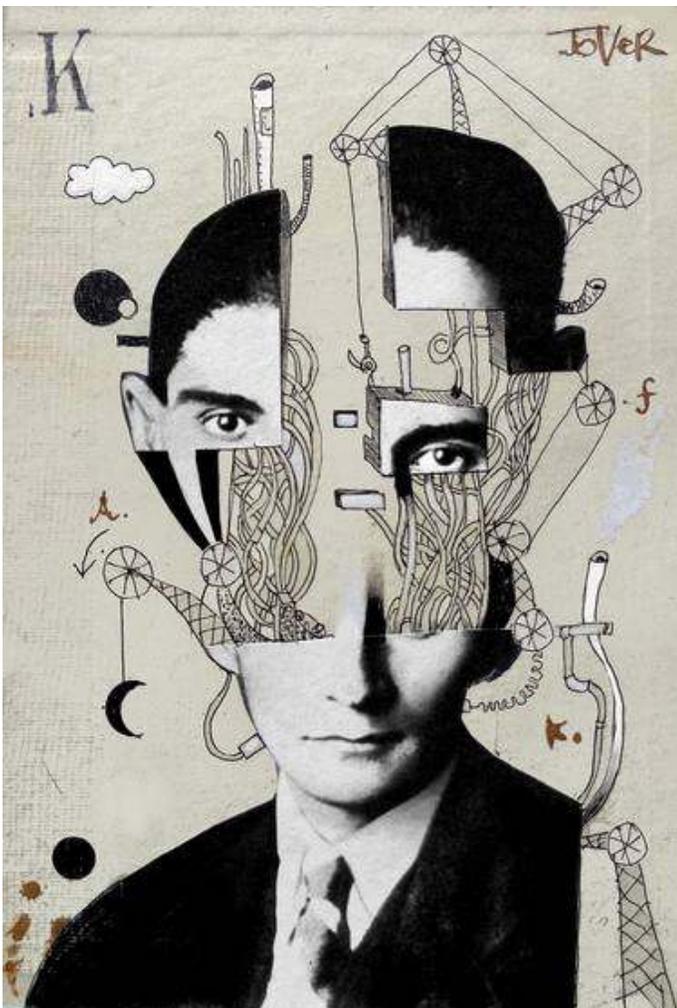


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“True masters
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— Richard Rohr



Still Discerning!

Oct. 27, 2019

Gathering of Spirits – Word and Song

Gathering Music and Prelude

Shared by Our Great Band

Welcome and Announcements

Shared by Rev. Ken Heintzelman

- Michael Curry and WISE Event
- Turkey Trot
- Karen Richter and Dot Instructions



Call to Worship

Led by Gordon Schneider

One: Human Beings reflect your face, O God,

All: In wrinkles of kindness and hands touching hands.

One: The People sound with your voice, O God,

All: In calls for new justice and laughter in the streets.

One: All Creatures breathe with your life, O God,

All: In life delicate as spider webs, in life as resilient as dandelions breaking through the sidewalk, and life as stubborn as the hope of all the people.

One: Let us sing of our life together!

Singing Our Faith

We Are Companions On a Journey

Chorus

We are companions on our journey,

Breaking bread and sharing life.

In the love we bear is the hope we share

For we believe in the love of our God.

Yes, we believe in the love of our God.

1. No longer strangers to each other,
No longer strangers in God's house,
We are blest and we are nourished,
By the love we all can share. **Chorus**

2. Although the journey may be rocky,
Although the way's not always clear,
We will share God's love a-plenty,
With all people far and near. **Chorus**

Singing Our Faith

Just One Hand

(Music by Pete Seeger—Words by Alex Comfort)

1. Just one hand can't build a Shadow Rock.
Just two hands can't build a Shadow Rock.
But if two and two and fifty make a million.
We'll see that day come 'round.
We'll see that day come 'round.

2. Just one prayer can't lead the way to peace.
Just two prayers can't lead the way to peace...
Chorus:
But if two and two and fifty make a million.
We'll see that day come 'round.
We'll see that day come 'round.
3. Just one laugh can't build a better world.
Just two laughs can't build a better world... Chorus
4. Just one hand can't build a better world.
Just two hands can't build a better world... Chorus
5. Just one heart can't fill the world with love.
Just two hearts can't fill the world with love... Chorus

Passing the Peace and Getting to Work

Shared by Gordon Schnieder

One: In these brief moments of silence and meditation may we find strength.

All: May our lives be rich in affection and deep in understanding for each other.

One: May the blessings of life be known to all.
Let us wish each other peace and place our dots.

Sharing of Spirits—Giving and Celebrating

Celebrations

Led by Rev. Ken Heintzelman

This is our time to share the celebrations of our lives: birthdays, anniversaries, words of kindness and works of peace and justice.

Celebrate your heart and your spirit.

Celebrate your life while you live it.

Even when it's hard to do,

Celebrate the best of you.

Celebrate your dreams and your visions.

Celebrate the love you've been given.

Cherish all that you've been through.

Celebrate the best of you.

Invitation to Share

Led by Gordon Schneider

Let us give of ourselves and our offerings to God for the work of the Spirit of Life and Love in our world.

Offerings and Offertory

Shared by The Cornerstone Chorale

Sing Your Way Home

By Joseph M. Martin

Dedication of Our Offering

Led by Gordon Schneider

One: While some speak of unwavering faith, we strive for resilient faith! May our offering, and our childlike hope for a future of love and justice, be refreshed.

Feeding of Spirits with the Word About Life

The Word About Life for Today

Shared by Rev. Ken Heintzleman

The Parting of Spirits and Loving the World

One: Eternal Light, shine in our hearts. Eternal Power, be our strength. Eternal Wisdom, guide us as we serve you and the world. Eternal Goodness, you have drawn us to your heart and united us in this fellowship called Shadow Rock.

All: Now grant that with all our hearts, and mind, and strength, we all may evermore be sensitive and responsive to your current work in the midst of our history.

One: And finally, by your infinite Spirit of Life and Love, grant us wisdom as we seek to perceive and respond to Your will for our spiritual home and our future together.

All: Help us to keep the needs of every member and of the greater community in our minds and hearts through every step of our discernment process.

One: In the spirit of the core values of inclusion, justice, and spirituality we pray. These are the times!

All: We are the people.

One: All Creation is blessed.

All: May we love all and serve all.

One: God be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Amen. **All: Amen.**

Sending Forth Song

Every Time I Feel the Spirit
Traditional Spiritual

Chorus

**Every time I feel the Spirit moving in my heart I will pray.
Yes, every time I feel the Spirit
Moving in my heart I will pray.**

Upon the mountain when my Lord spoke,
Out of God's mouth came fire and smoke.
Looked all around me, it looked so fine,
'Til I asked my Lord if all was mine.

Chorus

The Jordan river is chilly and cold,
It chills the body but not the soul.
There is but one train upon this track,
It runs to heaven and then right back

Chorus

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