## PURSUING LIFE WITH GOD COMMUNITY TO THE WITH



## SPIRITUAL PRACTICE. SERVICE

The Life with God Bible defines service as "Loving, thoughtful, active promotion of the good of others and the causes of God in our world, through which we experience the many little deaths of going beyond ourselves." Service provides us with the gift of denying ourselves and follow Jesus' example of

humble, self-giving service. Service is not just a practice or collection of practices. Service is a posture. Service is a way we choose to live. Being a servant is a way of being. To care and console and be responsive to the needs of others is how we choose to live. There is always a temptation to serve from a desire for praise or security so it is essential that we ask ourselves if we are self-giving or self-serving servants.

See Handout for More



## SIT WITH THE WORD . 1 JOHN 3:16-18

"We know love by this, that he laid down his life for us - and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help?

Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action." NRSVA



## **COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS. APRIL**

Garden End of the Year Celebration > April 28 | 4:00 PM | Foxtail Garden 50s Plus Gathering > April 15 | 12:00 PM | Auditorium



A Spiritual Retreat at the ASU Art Museum | April 15th | 2:00 - 5:00 PM



The Stations will be available

April 6 | 4:00 - 7:00 PM

April 7 | 4:00 - 7:00 PM

April 8 | 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM



Good Friday Service
April 7th
7:00 PM
Auditorium





Sunday @10:00am