

Prayer

In the stillness of prayer,
I know peace.

Be still,
and know that I am God!
- Psalm 46:10



Sunday Messages for September 2025

7th - "The Power of Letting Go"

Rev. Denise Schubert, Ordained Science of Mind Minister & Senior Minister, Center for Spiritual Living Cape Coral

14th - "God is Not Brave"

Dawn Bower, Mind and Spirit Coach, Trainer, Speaker, Actress

***Special Music:** Deborah Marino, Singer*

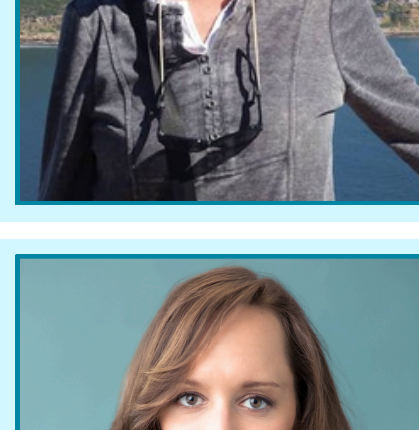
21st - "Being An Instrument of God"

Rev. Diane Scribner, Unity of Bonita Springs' Minister & Senior Minister, Pray Attention Ministries

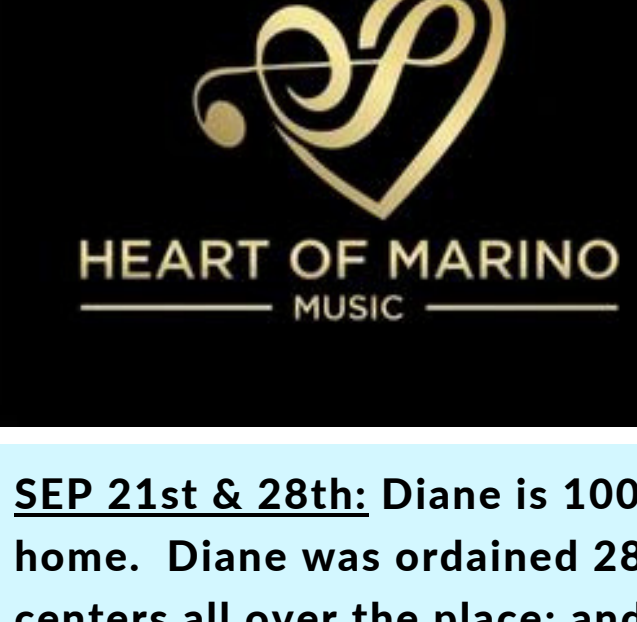
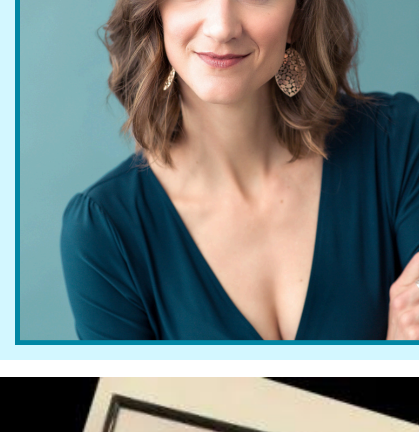
28th - "Pray Attention through..."

Rev. Diane Scribner, Unity of Bonita Springs' Minister & Senior Minister, Pray Attention Ministries

SEP 7th: Rev. Denise Schubert is an Ordained Science of Mind Minister & Senior Minister at the Center for Spiritual Living Cape Coral. She has served in multiple spiritual centers in the Southeast. Denise has spent 20 years synthesizing the spiritual principles and practices of New Thought/Ancient Wisdom faith traditions, strategies for success gleaned from her thirty years as a Technology Executive in California, and her fifty-year relationship with the principles of the Landmark Forum. Her purpose in ministry is the awakening of individuals to a more powerful and authentic life, grounded in the awareness of our inherent Divinity and connection to God.



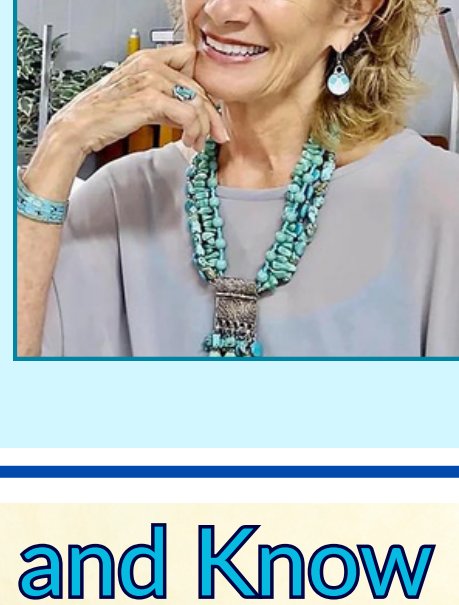
SEP 14th: Dawn Bower is a Nebraska native, an actress, a certified NLP (Neurolinguistic Programming) Coach, a Mental Health Coach, and a former educator. She is a Religious Science Practitioner, licensed through Mile Hi Church in Lakewood, Colorado, where she became a member in 2012. She is currently serving both Mile Hi Church and Centers for Spiritual Living Cape Coral, as an Outreach Practitioner. Dawn is a speaker and workshop leader who is passionate about spreading Joy and Love.



2nd SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH:
Gifted Singer Deborah Marino
As a child, music first filled my soul through the art of playing violin. As an adult, I learned the power of sharing words through singing. May my music bring meaning to your life.
www.heartofmarino.com



SEP 21st & 28th: Diane is 100% Unity; and she calls Naples, Florida, her home. Diane was ordained 28 yrs ago; and she's served New Thought centers all over the place; and is currently stewarding Unity of Bonita Springs in Florida. Diane's been guiding her non-profit, Pray Attention Ministries, for 15 years, joyously serving individuals and humanitarian groups throughout our world. Diane is also the Keeper of The Flame for the Board of Unity Worldwide Ministries, holding and affirming Unity, as we reimagine our world evolving... If you'd like to learn more about Diane, please go to her website - PrayAttentionMinistries.org, and of course, you can talk with her, today!



Be Still and Know
THURSDAY,
SEPTEMBER 11th
2 - 4 pm

Welcome to the 32nd annual World Day of Prayer!

7 pm Wednesday, September 10th to 7 pm Thursday, September 11th

As we unite hearts and minds with people from around the globe, this year we are affirming together:

In the stillness, I awaken to divine wisdom.

Rev Diane will lead a Prayer, Silence, and Meditation Vigil in the sanctuary from 2-4 pm Thursday. Everyone is invited to come and go as you choose, in silence, during this beautiful vigil.

We will also have a sign-up before the event for an hourly prayer vigil during those 24 hours.

Unity's guiding prayer is included in the email announcement and copies will be available.

You may participate in all the 2025 World Day of Prayer events using Zoom.

Registration is free and requires only your email address. Please go to

<https://www.unity.org/en/article/world-day-prayer-2025>

to register. We look forward to you joining us in Christ Consciousness for this uplifting global event.

Unity Prayer for Protection

The light of God surrounds me, The love of God enfolds me, The power of God protects me, The presence of God watches over me. Wherever I am, God is.

MAKING GOD PERSONAL

We've learned in Unity and New Thought that Jesus brought a new spiritual understanding to the world.

He brought a new way to look at God/the creator and a new way to look at our relationship to God.

Jesus generally referred to God as "father," which in his day was a very positive term.

It meant someone who was the head of the family, a leader, a guide, a protector.

People looked up to and had faith in their fathers. They willingly followed the wise counsel of a father, knowing he would never lead them astray. They knew that

regardless of anything they did or anything that happened, their father would always love them and care for them.

I believe that Jesus wanted us to think of God in those same terms. Jesus took God out of the sky and made that presence and power personal to everyone, everywhere.

When I think of the "Prayer for Protection," I am reminded of this new perspective that Jesus brought to the world.

This prayer is all-encompassing, and in just a few short lines, it typifies all that God has done, is doing, and will do for everyone.

I know that God is spirit and isn't a person with gender, but this prayer makes me feel close to that presence and that power.

Excerpted from Unity booklet - *The Prayer for Protection: A Beloved Prayer Brought to Life*

By Rev. Saba Mchunguzi



If you ever need a conversation starter, ask someone whether they have a pet. Chances are they do and will tell you all about it. With pictures. Half the people in the world live with pets, including two-thirds of Americans and even more in Central and South America. There are far more American households with pets than children.

Dogs, cats, fish, birds, assorted reptiles, even guinea pigs and hamsters work their way into our hearts.

They also teach us spiritual lessons if we pay attention. In this booklet, you will read stories from New Thought writers reflecting on the wisdom of their pets. Pets can teach us love, forgiveness, play, and certainly how to be happy in the present moment. You will also learn about a fairly new branch of ministry called animal chaplaincy and about the Rainbow Bridge we have built at Unity Village, Missouri, to honor pets who have passed on.

When we open our hearts, we can be blessed, enlightened, amused, and comforted by our non-human friends. We hope these stories (and yes, pictures) will entertain you and touch you as you consider the importance of the many creatures with whom we share the planet.

TO ORDER YOUR FREE COPY GO TO:

<https://www.unity.org/en/article/spiritual-wisdom-pets?PromotionCode=WRBT0501>

CONVERSATION IS THE BEST INGREDIENT OF COFFEE

ALONG WITH SOMEONE TO MAKE THE COFFEE

OUR AFTER SUNDAY SERVICE COFFEE & CONVERSATIONS IS STILL IN NEED OF A BARISTA.

NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED

BOBBI BOSCO IS RETIRING FROM COFFEE DUTY & WILL GLADLY PASS ON HER EXPERT SKILLS.



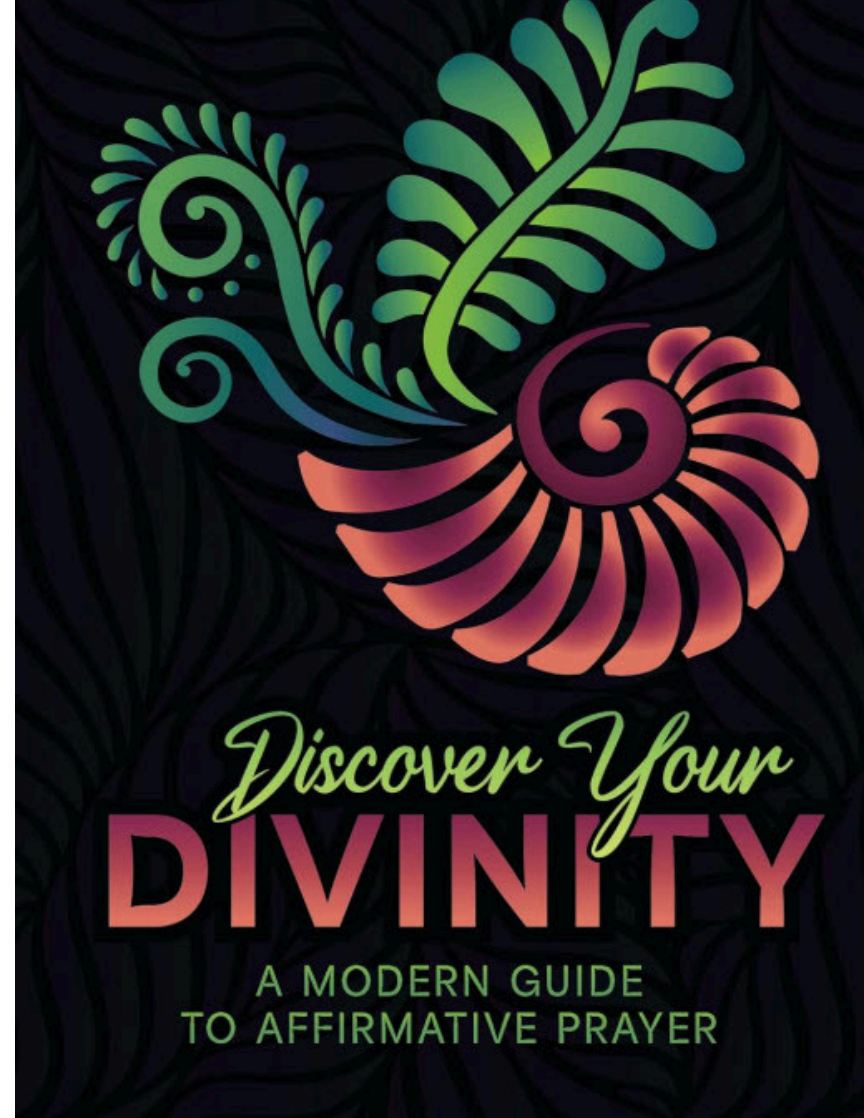
Wednesday
Sept 24th
1-4 pm

\$20 + book (available for purchase)

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Join us as we help move prayer forward.

This class is also a pre-req for our October training class when we begin creating a Spiritual Care Team of inspirational leaders for our church.



How do we pray when we already know we are spiritual beings and one with God? If prayer is not seeking favor from a supreme being, what is it? And how do we put it into words? In their first book collaboration, Linda Martella-Whitsett and DeeAnn Weir Morency, two of the premier prayer teachers in the New Thought movement, present the fundamentals of affirmative prayer from a consciousness of oneness.



JOIN US

SEPT 10th & 11th - WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

SUNDAY MONTHLY SPOTLIGHTS:

1st - Friendships & Birthdays - Celebrating Both

4th - Appreciation - Honoring our Volunteers

GRATITUDE PRAYER CIRCLES - before Peace Song

Board of Trustees Meeting, Thursday, Sep 25th @ 10:00 am

Cancer Support Group, Monday, Sep 15th @ 1:00 pm

Grief Support Group, Saturday, Sep 27th @ 8:30 am

Meditation, Daisy Alvarez, Thursdays @ 5:00 pm

Upcoming Classes:

Discover Your Divinity: A Modern Guide to Affirmative Prayer,

Wednesday, Sep. 24th 1pm- 4pm

Spiritual Care Team Training, Wednesday, Oct. 22nd @ 1pm

Prerequisite - Discover Your Divinity Class



Prayer is the foundation of Unity.

It is our honor to pray with you.

Any time you have a prayer need,

Unity is here with free,

confidential prayer support.

To submit your request online,

please email

unityofbonitasprings@gmail.com.

September Affirmations

Inner Peace

I express as peace in every circumstance of my life.

Order

I relax knowing all is in right order.

Release

Joy-filled, I release that which no longer supports my highest good.

Prosperity

I experience prosperity in every area of my life.

World Harmony

I give of my love to a world that works in harmony.

Mission & Vision Statements

To invite and inspire spiritual consciousness through Unity and its principles.

We are love, joy, and acceptance in the world. Whoever you are, wherever you are on your spiritual journey you are welcome here.

