

| The Invitation | Sept. 6-Oct. 11 | Scripture | Key Verse | Teaching Statement |
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| Who? | 6-Sep-20 | Matthew 4:18-23 | k.v. 19 | Who are the disciples? Anyone who follows Jesus who becomes shaped by him. |
| How? | 13-Sep-20 | Acts 2:41-47 | k.vv. 42-43 | Salvation is a process: begin, belong, become, and bless. |
| When? | 20-Sep-20 | Ephesians 3:14-19 | k.v. 19 | We begin with love--deep and wide. |
| Where? | 27-Sep-20 | Ephesians 4:11-16 | k.v. 16 | We belong and grow in community--building one another up. |
| What? | 4-Oct-20 | Galatians 2:16-20 | k.v. 20 | We become like Christ, who lives in us. |
| Why? | 11-Oct-20 | John 12:20-26 | k.v. 26 | We bless the world by serving others the way Jesus does. |
| The Benefits | Oct. 18-Nov. 22 | | | What will we look like as we grow in discipleship? What are the marks? |
| Authentic Relationships | 18-Oct-20 | Romans 12:3, 9-18 | k.v. 10 | God invites us to be real--with ourselves and with others. |
| Radical Hospitality | 25-Oct-20 | Genesis 18:1-15 | k.vv. 3-5 | Radical hospitality means making a safe and welcoming place for everyone. |
| Joyful Gratitude (All Saints) | 1-Nov-20 | Psalms 30 | k.vv. 11-12 | Practicing gratitude shifts our perspective to joy. |
| Humble Service | 8-Nov-20 | Luke 22:24-27 | k.v. 26 | Following Jesus means humbling ourselves and adopting a spirit of service. |
| Justice Seeking | 15-Nov-20 | Isaiah 58:6-12 | k.v. 10 | Seeking justice for others who are oppressed brings healing to us. |
| Patient Peace | 22-Nov-20 | Colossians 3:12-17 | k.v. 15 | When we put on love, our hearts overflow with peace. |
| The Host (Advent/Christmas) | Nov. 29-Jan. 3, 2021 | | | |
| Potter | 29-Nov-20 | Isaiah 64:1-9 | k.v. 8 | Jesus, the potter, became human to be a hands-on savior. |
| Shepherd | 6-Dec-20 | Isaiah 40:1-11 | k.v. 11 | Jesus provides for us, protects us, and comforts us. |
| Anointed | 13-Dec-20 | Isaiah 61:1-4, 8-11 | k.v. 1-2a | God anoints Jesus and us for this vital divine mission. |
| Overthrower | 20-Dec-20 | Luke 1:46-55 | k.v. 51 | Jesus overturns our lives, shifting our priorities and redefining life success. |
| Savior | 25-Dec-20 | | | |
| Namer | 27-Dec-20 | Isaiah 61:10-62:3 | k.v. 2b | Jesus calls us by a new name based on how God views us. |
| Light (Epiphany) | 3-Jan-21 | Isaiah 60:1-6 | k.v. 1 | As light of the world, Jesus shines love into all of the dark and lonely places. |
| Inner Practices | Jan. 10-Feb. 14, 2021 | | | |
| Sabbath and Rest | 10-Jan-21 | Hebrews 4:9-16 | k.vv. 9-10 | Sabbath rest helps reorient our priorities. (See Genesis 2:25--Naked and unashamed for who we are, not what we do.) |
| Contemplation and Centering Prayer | 17-Jan-21 | Acts 17:22-28 | K.vv. 27-28 | When we open our hearts, we can see God at work in everything. |
| Silence and Solitude | 24-Jan-21 | 1 Kings 19:9-15 | K.vv. 12b-13a | In order to hear God, we need to quiet our hearts and minds. |
| The Living Word and Lectio Divina | 31-Jan-21 | John 1:1-5 | K.v. 1 | Scripture draws us into a relationship with God; it serves as a way God communicates with us. |
| Meditation | 7-Feb-21 | Psalms 63:1-8 | K.vv. 5-7 | Meditation moves our relationship with God from our head to our heart. |
| Detachment (Wesleyan Covenant Prayer) | 14-Feb-21 | Philippians 4:8-13 | K.v. 11 | Jesus gives us strength to let go of our ego and our need for life to go our way. |
| Facing Challenges (Lent) | Feb. 21-Apr. 4, 2021 | | | |
| Ash Wednesday | 17-Feb-21 | Joel 2:1-2, 12-17 | | |
| Temptation | 21-Feb-21 | Mark 1:9-15 | k.v. 13 | Knowing that we are also "beloved" helps us fight temptations. |
| Commitment | 28-Feb-21 | Mark 8:31-38 | k.v. 34 | Following Jesus demands our all. |
| Misguided Attempts | 7-Mar-21 | John 2:13-22 | k.v. 14 | Sometimes, like the money changers in the temple, we go about following Jesus in the wrong way. |
| Exposure | 14-Mar-21 | John 3:14-21 | k.v. 20 | The light of Jesus lays us bare, which prepares us for the healing. |
| Distraction | 21-Mar-21 | John 12:20-33 | k.v. 24 | We cannot let the good distract us from the best. |
| Endurance (Palm/Passion Sunday) | 28-Mar-21 | Mark 11:1-11/15:1-47 | k.v. 40-41 | Even Jesus could not avoid pain in this life and invites us not to turn away from our own pain or the pain of others. |
| Holy Thursday | 1-Apr-21 | John 13:1-17,31b-35 | | |
| Good Friday | 2-Apr-21 | John 18:1-19:42 | | |
| Believe!! | 4-Apr-21 | John 20:1-18 | k.v. 15-16 | When life seems overwhelming, God invites us to look deeper to see the face of Jesus. |

Communal Practices

Apr. 11-May 23, 2021

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| Corporate Worship | 11-Apr-21 | Revelation 7:9-17 | K.v. 15 | Worship draws us out of ourselves into the communion of saints and the mystery of God. |
| Small Group | 18-Apr-21 | Hebrews 10:19-25 | K.v. 25 | Small groups allow us to build authentic relationships where we can encourage and challenge one another to grow. |
| Acts of Compassion | 25-Apr-21 | Galatians 5:13-15 | K.v. 13 | We serve one another as a way to partner with Jesus in God's work. |
| Discernment | 2-May-21 | Acts 15:22-31 | K.v. 25 | We hear the Holy Spirit's guidance and make the best decisions when we listen to one another. |
| Care for the Earth | 9-May-21 | Leviticus 25:1-7 | K.v. 4 | God instructs people to give the earth a Sabbath, demonstrating a respect and concern for the planet. |
| Stewardship | 16-May-21 | Psalms 24 | K.v. 1 | Everything belongs to God. God entrusts us to care for these resources and use them to bless others. |
| Unity in Community | 23-May-21 | 1 Corinthians 12:1-12 | K.v. 7 | God gives each of us gifts to use to build up the body into one whole. |

Celtic Spirituality

May 30-July 11, 2021

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| Three in One | 30-May-21 | John 16:12-16 | k.v. 15 | God exists in community and invites us to join in creating communal space for everyone. (kinship/hospitality) |
| Creation as Sacred Word | 6-Jun-21 | Psalms 104:1-31 | k.v. 2 | Creation reveals the light, life, and love of Christ. (Rootedness/thin places) |
| Peregrination: Wandering to Find Christ | 13-Jun-21 | Matthew 2:1-12 | K.v. 8 | Every day we journey, seeking to find Jesus along the way. (Walking the rounds) |
| Goodness of Humanity | 20-Jun-21 | Genesis 1:24-2:3 | K.v. 31 | Because God created us in the Divine Image, the holy mystery lies at the core of every human heart. |
| Soul Friend | 27-Jun-21 | Ruth 1:8-18 | K.v. 16 | God invites us to entrust our lives to another person in friendship as a companion on our soul's journey. |
| Blessing Each Moment | 4-Jul-21 | Colossians 1:15-20 | K.v. 19 | Because all the fullness of God lives in Jesus, all human activity becomes holy and an opportunity for blessing. (Carmina Gadelica) |
| Creative Imagination | 11-Jul-21 | Exodus 31:1-11 | K.vv. 3-4 | |

Creativity and Spirituality

July 18-Sep. 5, 2021

18-Jul-21
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 1-Aug-21
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