

# ORDER OF SERVICE

DATE: JANUARY 30, 2011

10:00 A.M. MEDITATION

10:30 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

SONG

INVOCATION

DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES

SONG

HEALING PRAYER (BACK OF BOOK)

THE LORD'S PRAYER

SONG

SERMON: Rev Marrice Coverson

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING

SONG

SPIRIT GREETING

BENEDICTION

SONG

FELLOWSHIP

## Inspirational Thought(s)

*"Learn to become still. And to take your attention away from what you don't want, and all the emotional charge around it, and place your attention on what you wish to experience" - [Michael Beckwith](#)*

Pastor:  
Rev.  
Marrice Coverson



*I believe that you're great, that there's something magnificent about you. Regardless of what has happened to you in your life, regardless of how young or how old you think you might be, the moment you begin to think properly, this something that is within you, this power within you that's greater than the world, it will begin to emerge. It will take over your life. It will feed you, it will clothe you, it will guide you, protect you, direct you, sustain your very existence. If you let it! Now that is what I know, for sure."*

*Michel Beckwith*

## Law of the Week (MIND)

"Law of Mind:" This law is the understanding that higher mind has authority over the lower mind, which, in turn, gives form and manifestation to all matter. Through use of the power of concentration or meditation the lower mind can be brought into attunement with the higher mind. By using the power of the mind, an individual can direct his or her life, thoughts, and the flow of energy to meet their demands. All manner of manifestation can be controlled when the mind is activated and motivated properly.



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**HAPPY NEW YEAR AND NEW YOU!**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### How to apply Weekly Sermons to Our Lives

Rev. Marrice Coverson's sermon titled **"Keeper of your Dreams"** We all have had dreams and goals. You are never too old to dream. Dreams are important and will happen.

Martin Luther King had a dream of equality for his young children and others like them, and it has not fully materialized. He shared his dream with others, and he reworked his dreams. We have work to do as we share and rework our dreams. What is it about your dreams? Are they isolated? Are you sharing them? You can continue to work on them.

If you are in a rut or stuck in life, do not stay distraught. Know that you can always rework (change) your dreams. When I look at you, I see the best there is. See this for all. Every dream should involve others. I believe all on earth have a place and a reason. There should be no main street or wall street on earth. All should be able to have and not want for anything. We speak of markets when people have or have not. One thing people should know is that the Universe will supply their needs. We are all keepers of the dreams. I see all with health care, food, shelter, etc. You are contributors of parts of the Universal dreams. We all have goals in life, Set goals for health, happiness, food for all etc.

What did you do with the dreams of past? Reshape and revamp your dreams goals. We are the clay and foundation of our own dreams. You have to work to make it happen for you. Know that it is never to late to change. I have a dream that Spirituality one day, will be better recognized in the world. \_\_\_\_\_

Do your part, dream and dream BIG! You can always change your dreams. Dream for peace, love, harmony, happiness, prosperity and understanding for all.

### *You, as Creator of Your Life ... by Reverend John M. Kohlenberger HHP & Artist*

*A Sunday Sermon for 6 December 2009*

Today, I speak as a Spiritualist that sees value in both religion and science, as a metaphysician and as an Artist. This thing, energy, force, being, that we call God-Goddess or Creator loves to create! Thus we often refer to God as First Source, Creator, Life, Light, Love or Spirit. Being "in the spirit" of anything is called "Inspiration". Plus, this energy or God that seems to come into being from nothing, transcends all beginnings and endings. Thus He/She/It seems to be always becoming. What a Grand Creator! And as we and the universe around us is descended from or created out of this Creative Energy, we all possess creative genes, creating our lives accordingly!

As a creative artist, I can tell you that a true creator would not be satisfied with just a single creation unless it was "forever". Creative Artists simply love to create! This kind of being always wants to create new and create more, such as a dream, then putting that into real life upon the earth within a solar system within a Galaxy ... in clusters and groups, like we see around us. A true Creator would even be recreating variations on one or more, even an infinite number of themes. If you haven't noticed, this is pretty much what the creative energy on the earth and in the universe does in our neighborhoods. Thus, an infinite God has to be infinitely creating and expanding in all directions, at an infinite range of speeds and vibrational frequencies. Creation is a single on-going moment.

**So, what is Infinite Immortality?** Life creates death and death creates the conditions that create new life, again and again. forever. The energy of our souls go on and expand, like light or radio or TV waves. Since God is in all things, this immortality and our life force, called "chi" in some healing modalities, both expands and evolves as life goes through the many metamorphosis that support everlasting life ...or Forever Creative Processes. Nothing is ever lost in spirit or within the Energy Domains. As Einstein described, matter is easily converted to energy, and back again, into new matter with new properties. Some have claimed that we blink into and out of life, like blinking Christmas Lights, then merge all of our "on" states together psychologically. This is why we separate "life" from "death", even though they are both part of the same energy - of who we are ... Love blinking on and off. Love, Life and God-Goddess are Eternally creating, transforming and "morphing" into and out of the many realities that exist, and many that have existed or soon will. This is the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end of creation all rolled up into one grand moment called "now"! Jesus even described this in his statement, "*In my father's house are many mansions*".

Again, as an Artist, I see that the universe is full of beauty - Universal Beauty. To the ancient Greek philosophers beauty was one of the "truths" to be sought. And, of course, since beauty is in the eye of the beholder, it can be found where ever you go, where ever you are - if you seek it. "Seek and ye shall find". Finding beauty is a matter of adjusting your inner perception so that the beauty in any situation, or even in self, may come into focus. These Greek philosophers also felt that God is love (before the time of Jesus). Thus, Love is another one of the truths and beauties they were seeking. Humanity is always seeking, new perfections, truths and beauties, forever. Creator loves creation so much that He/She/It has created co-creators to help create even more and better possibilities. This is where humanity, even YOU, fit in to the Divine Creative Plans of All That Is. And so you see varieties of humanity upon the earth creating an infinite range of experiences.

EXPERIENCE, by the way, is another creation that this not only 3-D, but also "created" with multi dimensional energy. So, we as off shoots of Divine Energy also have, need of and desire of experiences, to taste and touch what we ourselves have cooked up. In Oriental cultures this is called, "karma" and/or "dharma". Thus, some have said that we are God-Goddess experiencing various versions of self!

Part of our being creators includes exploration into new realms of creation. So it is that, a small part of humanity is still living in caves as small families in Paleolithic style, some are also still living in tribes, and have no idea of our modern way of life - nor we, of theirs. Many of us, in this nation, interact with the world, whether on the internet or shopping at Wal Mart, even though we may think we or our nation is separate from the rest of the world. There are many alternative forms of life and living, despite what some people who don't want change might advocate.

The bottom line is that all may seek and find an intimate friend with whom to bare their heart, soul and body to, as Adam and Eve did once upon a time. This love was not a "sin", but rather a creative act of God, working through humanity. And, so the basis of human relationships has not changed over time, despite the directions these have taken; for the true basis is love and companionship - the same reason that the One God created so many portions of Him and Her Self ... as human beings, animals, plants, minerals, skies, clouds and even Galaxies. An infinite Creator requires creating and becoming Infinite expressions, in shapes, forms, colors along with infinite ways to sense and enjoy its reflections, as the Grandest Artist of ALL.

Do we create our lives? Made in the image of Creator, how could we not? How do we? Simply by our perceptions and choices. Change your perceptions or your choices and you'll change your life. "**GOD IS** Alive and hiding in Each one of us", helping us create wondrous adventures!