

September Message: Looking Up!

Blessings to you all!!

I'm moved by the fact that we are stepping so quickly into the autumn of the year. Was it not just January 1st?!? How quickly Life trips along.

I love how, in this season of energies dropping down into the body of the Earth and our human selves to encourage pause, rest and rejuvenation, that the trees and clouds and birds beckon us to look up. Let us do just that as we are also prompted by our month's themes: *Reaching Higher, Transcend and Include, When the Road Gets Rocky,* and *Still I Rise.*



It has been a beautiful year together. I'm so grateful that we, as a community, have stayed connected in as many ways as we have throughout all that occurred collectively on the planet and in our individual lives.

I want to give a shout out to the amazing leadership of CSLSG that has remained focused and dedicated to do what was ours to do to support YOU in your journey to be the essential YOU. The Core Council, the Service Team, the Minister Search Committee, the Practitioners. What a blessed and inspired group has served in front of and behind the scenes. We strive to ease back into more in-person gatherings including an emerging vision of hybrid services and how to allow its manifestation. We have movement brewing!! Do stay tuned.

I am honored to serve beside: Chris McArdle, Sue Fullmer, Gwen Hadley, Starr Starrett, Cheryl Barlow, Allen Stanley, Kelly Kapsar, Anita Schoeff, Mary Klein. You are angels among us.

Please visit our website (cslsg.org) at your earliest convenience. We have added special email links for each individual on our Core Council and our Practitioner team. Our desire is to increase the ways you can make contact and stay connected. From the HOME screen go to our ABOUT page and scroll down to see the photo collection of our leaders. A simple click on a picture of one of these leaders brings up an email window where you can request support, prayer, or simple connection. Of course, you can still also send us messages at steepersession.org, and 435-893-6702. (If you have technical difficulties with these new email links, please let us know at our regular email address.)

I see us reaching ever higher in Joy, Love, Integrity, Empathy and Compassion (compassion is empathy in action, to my way of thinking). We live in a complicated world AND we are in it together.

Blessed be. Have a beautiful September!

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