Worship Sharing 6-21-23

Queries for the Journey

Be aware of the spirit of God at work in the ordinary activities and experience of your daily life. Spiritual learning continues throughout life, and often in unexpected ways. There is inspiration to be found all around us, in the natural world, in the sciences and arts, in our work and friendships, in our sorrows as well as in our joys. Are you open to new light, from whatever source it may come? Do you approach new ideas with discernment?

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"There is a truth that lies beyond scientific theories and religious doctrines which are always being disproved and outmoded. Religion should welcome every discovery of science, which in rolling back the boundaries of the known world makes the miracle of creation that much more wonderful, that much more divine. Personal religion, like science, should always be rolling back the boundaries—making new discoveries, discarding inadequate concepts, enlarging its vision.

Bradford Smith, 1963

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In what ways do I see the hand of God at work in the world? In myself? Are there ways in which I help or hinder this?

How do I find peace and security amidst the chaos of our present time?

How can my faith be strengthened so as to face fears with courage and hope?