



Woodridge Word

Eastertide

April 20, 2020

In this season of physical separation, we continue to offer pre-recorded worship with Pastor Scott, Eric and choir members “chiming in” from their homes. Special thanks to Bob Ryan for his video production talents making this possible. If you are not able to view our services on our website or Facebook page, we can send you a service bulletin and sermon— please note if you need a large-print version.

This week's worship began a 3 week series - where we look at comforting messages from Fred Rogers (of Mr. Rogers Neighborhood).

This week we explore: dealing with our anger.

All of us are angry and mad about this terrible situation we are in - and so, "what do we do with the mad that we feel?"

To honor our need to stay home if at all possible - the service was taped from pastor Scott's home and the homes of several musicians.

This service is designed for the whole family to watch together and includes:

a tape of Mr Rogers about anger

a short message about overcoming our anger with kindness and compassion

a hymn - "Jesus Loves Me"

sharing of prayers for those in need in our community

celebrating those who are performing "essential services"

We hope you can join us for this special family service.

Be safe. Be well. Stay faithful.

BIBLE STUDY

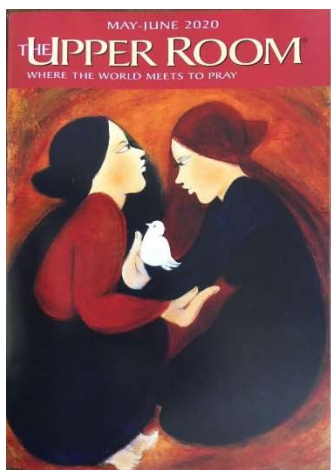
Until it is again possible to gather together “in-person”, a Bible study on the Gospel of John is being offered using Zoom – the teleconferencing service. If you are interested and/or would like more information, contact pastor Scott. If you don't have a computer with a microphone and camera, you can join the conversation using an ordinary phone simply by dialing a (long-distance) phone number and then entering a meeting ID number followed by the # sign.

On-Going Community Support ...

Food donations for the Cranston Interfaith Food Pantry are still being collected and are urgently needed at this time. The pantry is still operating and in particular need of: pasta; juice; and cereal.

Note: The collection box is now located on the outside front porch outside the door into the offices and fellowship hall (30 Jackson Road). Please leave your donations there anytime. You do not have to enter the church building.

Staying connected ... if you are able to view email ... join ***God Moments*** ... an email that goes out Monday, Wednesday and Friday to those who might enjoy and be comforted by a brief scripture verse or reflection and the sharing of prayer concerns with others in our community. To receive the email - contact pastor Scott at revscottspencer@gmail.com



THE UPPER ROOM

May-June issue now available

We'd be glad to mail you a copy of this daily devotional magazine.

Just contact the office.

Giving to Woodridge in a time of social distancing . . . keeping up-to-date with your pledge or offering, if you are able, is very much appreciated . . . you may

- Mail in your pledge or offering by check: made payable to: Woodridge Congregational Church - mail to: 546 Budlong Rd, Cranston, RI 02920.
- Sign up for online bill payment - your bank will mail in your pledge or offering:
- Donate online with PayPal - use the new tab on our website

Thank you!

And always . . . let us know if there is anything we can do to help
Contact Pastor Scott at 508 838 6035 or email revscottspencer@gmail.com
Contact Dan in the office 9 am – 1 pm, Monday – Friday ... by phone or message or email: 401 942 0654 or 401 942 0662 or woodridgechurch@verizon.net.

Please do not come into the office.

Prayer requests can be phoned or emailed to Pastor Scott



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