New Covenant Fellowship

July 9, 2023

"Sin and Shadow" by Pastor Renée

Great sorrow awaits you religious scholars and leaders-frauds and pretenders! For you are obsessed with peripheral issues, like insisting on paying meticulous tithes on the smallest herbs that grow in your gardens. These matters are fine, yet you ignore the most important duties of all: to walk in the love of God, to display mercy to others, and to live with integrity. Readjust your values and place first things first. -Matthew 23:23

ORDER OF SERVICE

Woke Up This Morning

Welcome (Bonnie Zamora)

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Good to Me

Prayer (Laura Lindeman)

My Sun and Shield

Romans 7:15-25 (Jubal Croegaert)

We Believe in God

"Sin and Shadow" (Pastor Renée)

God's Highway

Lead Me, Guide Me

Benediction (Barbara Linder)

We Shall Not be Moved

BENEDICTION

Creator God,

you call us to love and serve you with body, mind, and spirit through loving your creation and our sisters and brothers.

Hear our prayers
that we may love you
with our whole being
and willingly share the concerns
of our neighbors.

Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

One Summer Day—Ruth Moore, a board member of the C-U at Home invites NCF and friends to a new summer event, ONE SUMMER DAY.

Click here for details.

Ameren/Constellation—City of Champaign residents who have questions about the expiration of the electric supplier choice can access Carolyn Vance's **helpful explanation** and/or talk with her (bring your letters/bills).

Extra Keys—If you have NCF keys that you no longer need, we would love to collect those for current building use. You can mail to 124 W. White or give to an NCF friend to return. Thanks!

Green Team—Interfaith Power & Light encourages members of faith communities to submit their comments to the EPA urging the agency to enact the strongest possible standards to cut climate pollution. Follow **this link** and/or talk to Joyce Mast about how to get involved.

Upcoming Events:

July 13 Study at **First Mennonite** 6:30-8pm Aug 27 Interfaith Picnic

Serving On Sundays—If you would be willing to "open" or "close" the building or serve on the prayer wall, please contact Paige Weston.

CONTACTS

Leadership: Caroline H, Laurie K, and Jackson C **Reparations:** Jeff, Sharon, Vern, & Gladys **Finance Team:** Joyce, Paco, Tim, Patty, & Walt

Family Fund: Karen H, Barbara P, Judy H, Nancy M, & Lehman W Pastor: Renée Antrosio Wednesday: Pastor Renée's Sabbath

June tithes: \$11,9150; Family fund: \$225; Reparations: \$125 Thank you!