

# Lakeside Temple of Practical Christianity

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## Sunday Lessons in June

June 4 - Trudi Christina Robinson  
**Words**

June 11 - Minister  
**God Of Glory**

June 18 - Minister  
**Lord Of Love**

June 25 - Minister  
**Your Name**

## Sunday Schedule

10:50 a.m. - Organ Prelude

11:00 a.m. - Nursery, Junior Temple

11:00 a.m. - Devotional Service

12:15 p.m. - Social Hour

*Happy Father's Day!*

Dear Friends,

Happy Father's Day! June is a good time to consider our relationship with our spiritual Father and our earthly father. And it's a good time to consider how both the Mother and Father aspects of God manifest in us.

*I have said, Ye are gods; and all of you are children of the most High. - Psalm 82:6*

We are children of the most High, beings of unlimited potential. As spiritual children, we are now growing into our real understanding and abilities.

Our first and most reliable connection with God is through one of God's Mother aspects, Love, just as our first and most reliable connection with our earth parents is love. At first it is hard to reconcile the thought of God as Universal Law with the thought of God within as Love. The contrast between the abstract and the personal at first seems too great.

James Dillet Freeman describes the interplay of God as Law and God as Love in his poem, "*I Am There.*" Here's an excerpt:

*"I am there when you pray and when you do not pray.  
I am in you, and you are in Me.*

*Only in your mind can you feel separate from Me, for only in  
your mind are the mists of 'yours' and 'mine...'*

*I am the law on which the movement of the stars and the  
growth of living cells are founded.*

*I am the love that is the law's fulfilling...*

*Though your faith in Me is unsure, My faith in you never  
wavers, because I know you, because I love you.*

*Beloved, I am there."*

Let us give thanks for our ever increasing ability to accept God's Love and cooperate with God's Law.

Lovingly,  
In God's Service

Jennifer

## Office Hours

Office hours are Tuesday through Thursday, 10 a.m. through 4 p.m.

## Prayer Ministry

Lakeside Temple maintains a 24-hour prayer line. All requests are confidential. During office hours please call 834-8852 and ask for the prayer ministry. After hours you may call this same number and either leave a request or call the numbers given in the message, or email your prayer request to: "prayer@lakesidetemple.org."

Members of our prayer groups lovingly devote their time to praying with your requests.

## Counseling Department

Our counselors are devoted to maintaining a prayerful consciousness, and all sessions are confidential.

If you would like to make a counseling appointment, please call us at 834-8852.

Counselors are:

The Reverend Jennifer Lilburn, Minister; Rose Cardiasmenos, Chaplain; and licensed teacher/counselors Carolyn Chofre, Anna W. Edwards, Joan Hause, Lisa Lemus, Richard McCall, and Trudi Christina Robinson.

This ministry is supported solely by love offerings and voluntary tithes of our members and friends. If you feel unable to give at this time, please do not let this deter you from making an appointment.

THE JESUS CHRIST CONSCIOUSNESS IS THE HEAD OF THIS MINISTRY. WE ARE OPEN, RECEPTIVE, RESPONSIVE AND EAGER TO COOPERATE WITH THIS INSTRUCTION AND GUIDANCE.

## Quotes for June

In June, as many as a dozen species may burst their buds on a single day. No man can heed all of these anniversaries; no man can ignore all of them.

- Aldo Leopold



It is much easier to become a father than to be one.

- Kent Nerburn



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## Temple Clean Up Day

**Saturday, June 3, 2017**

**10:30 AM - 3:30 PM**

This is our once a year time to physically bless our Temple.

We'll start at 10:30 AM, have lunch together, and end at 3:30 PM.

Come for an hour, or come for the whole experience.

Our Coordinator is Kendall Moalem, who is unfailingly cheerful and organized!

***Help our Temple shine!***

## *Book of the Month*

The Book of the Month is "*The Power Of Patience*," by M. J. Ryan. She says, "You too have enormous patience for something and the more you study what fosters your patience, the more you will be able to engage it in any circumstance."

## *Frances W. Foulks*

*My heart is the throne of God in me. I let Divine Love fill, strengthen and heal my heart. There is no room for fear or unforgiveness any more...My heart beats in unison with the great heart of the universe.*



*Divine Love in me is a mighty magnet that draws from the seen and the unseen my good.*



## *Weekly Activities*

### **Afternoons**

#### **Wednesday and Thursday**

12:00 p.m. - 12:15 p.m. .... Daily Word

#### **Tuesday**

12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. ....Healing Meditation Service  
Mary Watkins, piano

June 6 - Jennifer Groebe; June 13 - Joan Hause;  
June 20 - Minister; June 27 - Jennifer Groebe

### **Evenings**

#### **Tuesday**

7:30 p.m. - Singing Workshop .....Dietrich Erbeling

#### **Wednesday**

7:00 p.m. - "Old Testament Interpretation" ..... Minister  
June 14, 21, 28

#### **Thursday**

5:30 p.m. - Body Awareness Class..... Sherry Jacobs

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## *Meditation Theme for June*

God loves me and  
understands me. God  
knows and fills full all my  
needs in order and  
in harmony.

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## *Temple Prayer*

*Let all that you do be done in love. - I Corinthians 16:14*

Thank You for this month when we celebrate love. We give thanks for Your Love for us, and we seek to express our gratitude by loving one another. On Father's Day, we celebrate and give thanks for the loving presence and guidance of our earthly fathers. They bless their children as they grow and find their own unique avenues to express and manifest Your will- from center to circumference.

We celebrate with our loved ones their education milestones, whether they are graduating from preschool, grade school, high school or university. We know that through Your omnipotent and omniscient Love they will be guided as they continue their journey in life –May each one seek and find Your Presence within and learn to manifest their highest Good- as Your Spirit moves through thoughts to words to deeds- from center to circumference.

We celebrate along with our family members and friends who choose to commit to one another in blessed marriages in this month of June. May their unions be happy, prosperous and fulfilling. May each union be a shining example of the Love that You continually give to us.

As we move through the final days of Spring and into the first days of Summer, we thank You for Your loving Presence within us, all around us and filling our worlds. May each one of us be a shining beacon of love in our world. As we acknowledge Your Love for us and the deep peace this acknowledgement brings to our consciousness, let us express love to everyone we encounter.

*A new commandment I give unto you, that ye love one another; as I have loved you,  
that ye also love one another. - John 13:34*

***Gail Berkley-Armstrong***