

# The Triune

For November 2004

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**Dear Members and Friends:**

*"It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord, and to sing praises unto thy name, O most High". -Psalm 92:1*

As we celebrate this month of Thanksgiving, let us do it with a new understanding of its benefit in our life. This is a perfect time to feel a close link with people far and near. This sense of unity with all of humankind reminds us that we are all one family, with one Infinite Love. There is a Law of Mind that constantly gives back to us what we have planted in It, and more. Its action is one of increase, which expands the value of ideas, of work, and of Positive Faith when they are lovingly blended for constructive purposes.

I give thanks for the Harvest of Love and Support each of you have given to our wonderful Tri-City Church of Religious Science and myself over the past 29 years. We are truly celebrating our Spiritual Magnificence together.

Remember: Bring all the family for our Special Thanksgiving Morning Service. You will love it.

I am Thankful for each of you!  
Love is Blessing us!

***Dr. Jay***

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# November Lecture Topics

## Sunday Services

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### Nov. 7

9:30 **It Had To Be You**

by Rev. Darlene Sykes

11:30 **How To Stay Young - Have you discovered the Fountain of Youth?**

*Guest Artist: Christie Vianson*

### Nov. 14

9:30 **Thank Goodness For It!**

by Rev. Carolyn Cash

11:30 **Quantum Healing**

by Rev. Darlene Sykes

*Guest Artist: Margee Wheeler*

### Nov. 21

9:30 **Thanks! Giving!**

by Rev. Lacy Atkinson

11:30 **How to Bring In The Harvest -The Power of Thanksgiving**

*Guest Artist: Clarewood Singers*

### Nov. 28

9:30 and 11:30 **The Healing Power of Praise - Praise is a Power**

*Guest Artist: Jeanette Butler Scott*

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## Wednesday Night Celebration Service

Join with Dr. Jay Scott Neale, our wonderful Ministers and Practitioners at 7:30pm. Invite a friend for an evening of music, love, laughter and a great lesson.

***Focus for November: Thanksgiving***

### Nov. 3

**Giving from Wholeness**

by Dr. Jay Scott Neale

*Power Talk: Mark Tobias*

**Nov. 10**

**Giving from Love**

by Rev. Bonnie Anderson

*Power Talk: Sue Moeller*

**Nov. 17**

**Giving from Encouragement**

by Dr. Jay Scott Neale

*Power Talk: Judy Venturini*

**Nov. 24**

**Giving from Appreciation**

by Rev. Tim Mauro

*Power Talk: Rev. Celeste Terken*

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## **Thanksgiving Day Service**

Put your turkey in the oven and join your church family for a Thanksgiving Day service at 10AM.

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### **Wednesday Night Workshop After the Service: Spiritual Practice**

Wednesday, November 10

This month, Rev. Pam's Wednesday Night Workshop will cover spiritual practice. We all talk about it, but what is it? Is there only one? Does it have to be scheduled or can it be spontaneous? Whether you don't have the answers to these questions or feel very strongly about your own practice, this is a wonderful opportunity to try something new.

The workshop starts after the 7:30PM service (about 8:30PM) and is one hour long.

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## **Moon Circle-A Gathering of Women**

**Saturday, November 6, 10 AM TO 12:30**

### ***Our Soulful Search For Meaning***

Presented by Rev. Carolyn Cash

Do you believe the meaning of our existence is invented by us or discovered? Victor Frankl wrote about mental health: What woman/man actually needs is not a tensionless state, but rather the striving and struggling for some goal worthy of her/him. Do you agree?

Come and workshop these and other questions that arise on our soul journey in search of a meaningful life. If you've attended Rev. Carolyn's presentations before, you know how spectacular they are, leaving you filled with new information in a way that you can use to effect change in your life.

This promises to be a fun and inspirational morning for all! Your friends will enjoy it too! Bring them. Bring food to share for our potluck lunch where we visit and become better acquainted.

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## **Sun Circle-A Gathering of Male Power**

**Sunday, November 14, 1:15 to 2:30 PM in the room behind the Bookstore**

Facilitated by Rev. Bob Ahrenkiel

Attention all you fun loving men! It's that time of the month again to get out of the house and commune with your spiritual kindred brothers for the Sun Circle. Bring an article from a book, magazine, newspaper, etc. that touched you as being inspirational or that generated strong feelings, either negative or positive.

We commit to support each other in a loving and confidential manner. This is your meeting; so bring your ideas on the direction you would like this group to go and what you hope to get out of it. All men are welcome.

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## **Harvest Dinner: Family Dinner and Harvest of Gratitude**

**Friday, Nov. 12**, we join as a family to enjoy each other's company. This annual dinner is a potluck, with main meat dishes provided by the church Board of Trustees. After a leisurely dinner and a stroll around the Silent Auction tables, enjoy the short program celebrating our wonderful volunteers with a musical tribute.

Pre-dinner socializing starts at 7PM, dinner is at 7:30PM. Your \$10 donation benefits our Church home. Please purchase your tickets by Nov. 8 so we'll know how many tables to set up.

### **Harvest Weekend: Silent Auction**

It's that time of year again—gift-shopping time. What if you could give a wonderful, unique gift and financially support your Church home at the same time? You can! Get a jump on your holiday shopping and/or buy yourself a special gift at our Harvest Silent Auction. Bid on art-quality photographs, handmade jewelry, personal services and other surprises, starting on Nov. 12 at the Harvest Dinner, and continuing before and after services on Harvest Sunday. The silent auction is an auction in which tables are laid out with items or descriptions of services with a bid sheet for each. You simply write your name and bid on the sheet for the item you want. At the end, the highest bidder wins. The winners will be posted on Sunday, November 14 at 1PM. All proceeds benefit our Church home.

Now Accepting Your Contribution to the Harvest Silent Auction

Our Harvest Silent Auction last year was a big success (it made 3 times as much as a raffle!)

Do you have a special item or service to donate for our silent auction? Perhaps you are a licensed masseur or create jewelry or artwork or have a cabin or... Your contribution to the Silent Auction held over Harvest Weekend (Nov. 12-14) will benefit both the Church and the winning bidder.

We're looking for items/services worth at least \$10 wholesale and will need to know about them by Nov. 8, so we can lay out the tables and prepare the bid sheets. For more information or to make a donation, please call Rev. Pam at 650-361-8140 or talk to one of the other ministers or Harvest Dinner Committee leaders. You can also drop off your donation at the church office

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## **Garden Club and Special Projects Team**

Join Dona Cotton and Jay Borges on Saturday November 13, from 9 AM to 1 PM.

This is a marvelous opportunity to get to know other church members and make new friends. And there is plenty to do; you will not get bored. Your assistance is truly needed. A homemade lunch will be served at noon.

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## **Portrait Day**

Jeanette Butler, our resident photographer, will be holding a Family Portrait Day on Sunday, November 21 at 1:30PM in Classroom A. Please come and have you and your family's portrait taken. All photographs will be printed on site. Cost - \$20 per family. A sign up sheet will be in the Social Hall.

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## **In Loving Memory**

Dee Marsh, long time member and dear friend made transition on October 2. Dee was the husband of Sydney Marsh, whose transition preceded him. We know that as loving hands met him here, loving hands have greeted him in his new experience. We will miss him, but he will always remain in our hearts.

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## **Tri City Church Young Adult Group**

The Young Adult Group will be meeting again from 1:30 to 3 PM on Sunday, Nov. 28. If you're between the ages of 19 and 30 come join us. Led by Roberta Blackburn, this group meets monthly to discuss our goals and visions and to support each other in reaching them. This is a great opportunity to meet new friends and grow in consciousness!

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## Junior Church Youth Program

Gratitude is the theme this month for our youth program. We are grateful for all the wonderful families that bring their children and grandchildren to our church. We are so delighted by each child, and for the opportunity we have to get to know them. What a gift it is for your children to learn the Science of Mind principles at such an early age! They are so wise that they teach us at least as much as we teach them. Please sit in on one of our classes and see our amazing teachers help our young people to know their own brilliance and power.

*"Kids are our greatest untapped resource. They have a wealth of wisdom and talent for solving problems."*

Jane Nelsen

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## Christmas Decorating

**Nov. 27, 9AM**

Believe it or not, Christmas is just around the corner. Come and help Rev. Tim Mauro decorate the sanctuary and social hall. We need people with all different kinds of talents, including some manpower for lifting heavy things. So come and join the fun and get into the Spirit of it all.

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## BOSS: Using Treatment to Guarantee Success in Business

**Friday, Nov. 5, 7 to 9 PM**

Would you like to guarantee the success of your business? Join us Nov. 7 to learn how you can do just that—using the power of Spiritual Mind Treatment. This wonderful night of discussion and workshop will reinforce what we learn in Religious Science: our lives are transformed by changing our minds. Learn how and when to treat.

BOSS (Business Owners Spiritual Support) is an unusual opportunity to approach business challenges from spiritual awareness. We meet monthly in a protected, confidential and loving environment where we exchange thoughts with others of like mind.

Bring a friend; everyone is welcome at BOSS. Please note that we start at 7 PM. Chaired by Rev. Pam McClure-Roman.

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## Continuing Education

New Religious Science in Depth unit:

**"Words That Heal Today"**

Text: Book of the same title, by Ernest Holmes

Instructor: Rev. Carolyn Cash

**Nov. 11 to Jan. 20**

8 Thursday nights, 7 - 9:30.

Prerequisite: SOM 100 and 200 series

This class focuses on the words of Jesus and Paul and shows how their wisdom can be effectively applied in modern life. Each class is based on a key message of Jesus, which we will explore for a greater depth of understanding.

### **New SOM Units Starting This Month:**

**SOM 100 - Spiritual Mind Treatment: The Nature of Effective Prayer,**  
taught by Dr. Jay Scott Neale, begins Tuesday, Nov. 9, 7-9:30pm

**SOM 200 - The Power of Decision**  
taught by Rev. Darlene Sykes  
Begins Tuesday, Nov. 9, 7-9:30pm

**SOM 200-DAYTIME - The Wisdom of Ralph Waldo Emerson,**  
taught by Rev. Sue Ten Eyck, begins Thursday, 10am-12:30pm