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Interfaith Worship Service

Boy Scouts of America
THE SCOUT LAW. NUMBER TWELVE.

A Scout is Reverent
He is reverent toward God. He is faithful in his religious duties and respects the convictions of others in matters of custom and religion.

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Invocation

Jason A. Sumner

Eternal God, in whose perfect kingdom no sword is drawn but the sword of righteousness, no strength known but the strength of love: So mightily spread abroad your Spirit, that all peoples may be gathered under the banner of the Prince of Peace, as children of one Father; to whom be dominion and glory, now and for ever.
Amen

Opening Hymn

Linda Park

“Open My Eyes”

Open my eyes, Lord,
Help me to see your face,
Open my eyes, Lord,
Help me to see.

Open my ears, Lord,
Help me to hear your voice,
Open my ears, Lord,
Help me to hear.

Open heart, Lord,
Help me to love like you,
Open my heart, Lord,
Help me to love.

Leader: That success comes to those who first learn to Obey.

Everyone: Make us Cheerful

Leader: for cheerfulness makes our journey through life a pleasant experience.

Everyone: Train us to be Thrifty

Leader: in our wants and generous in our charity.

Everyone: Give us courage

Leader: that we might bravely face life's challenges.

Everyone: Help us to be Clean

Leader: in thought, word, and deed.

Everyone: Make us Reverent to you

Leader: and respectful of the beliefs of all people.

Everyone: Guide us in all these things

Leader: and never let us forget the promise to which all Scouts are pledged.

Everyone: Amen.

Hymn and Offering Leigha Meyers

"Kum ba yah"

Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah

Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah

Kum ba yah, my Lord, kum ba yah

Oh Lord, kum ba yah.

Someone's singing, Lord, Kum ba yah . . .

Someone's laughing, Lord, Kum ba yah . . .

Reading from the Buddha Chuck Anthony

Thousands of candles can be lighted from a single candle, and the life of the candle will not be shortened. Happiness never decreases from being shared.

Your purpose in life is to find your purpose and give your whole heart and soul to it.

Set your heart on doing good.

Do it *over and over again*, and you will be filled with joy.

Meditation on "Duty to God" Chris Weaver

Closing Prayer Edward Martinez

Spirit of Life,

As we go forth to mentor these precious youth entrusted to us,

Help us to be warm and loving,

Contagiously joyful,

Actively peaceful,

Compellingly patient,

Respectfully kind,

Always good,

Unwaveringly faithful,

Humbly gentle,

And vigorously self-controlled.

We strive to be always aware of your spirit within us

And pray that your light will continually shine
through us. Amen.

Closing Hymn Leigha Meyers & Linda Park
"Let There Be Peace on Earth"

Let There be peace on earth,
And let it begin with me.
Let there be peace on earth,
The peace that was meant to be.
With God as our Father,
Family all are we,
Let me walk with my family
In perfect harmony.
Let peace begin with me
Let this be the moment now,
With every breath I take
Let this be my solemn vow,
To take each moment
And live each moment
In peace eternally.
Let there be peace on earth,
And let it begin with me.

A Scout's Prayer

Glen Helms

Lord, we thank you for this day.
Help us to do our best every day
And forgive us when we slip.
Teach us to be kind to other people
And to help them at all times.
Bless our parents and teachers and leaders
And all the members of Scouting.
Bless us, Lord, in your love for us
Help us to be better Scouts
And let us do our best for you. Amen

Responsive Reading

Eric Tinney

Leader: Oh God, we pray
Everyone: that You will make us Trustworthy.
Leader: for there are those who have placed
their trust in us.
Everyone: Make us Loyal
Leader: for through loyalty we reach our
highest ideals.
Everyone: Let us be Helpful and Friendly.
Leader: for each of us needs help and friendship
throughout life.
Everyone: Train us in Courtesy
Leader: for courtesy is the carpet on life's floor.
Everyone: Make us Kind
Leader: for the world is full of Your creations
and every living thing deserves our respect.
Everyone: Remind us