



## Our Vision

### **A Loving and Peaceful World where All of Humanity is Honored as the Divinity Within is Experienced!**

Dear Beloved Members and Congregants,

Thank you for being an integral part of our vibrant community. Over the past year, we've joyfully reunited in person, rekindling the warmth and connection that define our gatherings. For those who couldn't join physically, we've extended our embrace to include virtual participation—a testament to our commitment to inclusivity.

As we approach the horizon of gratitude, mark your calendars for our upcoming *"Gratitude Luncheon"* on November 10th. This special event, nestled within our Sunday Celebration, will feature a soulful *"Jam Session"* with our cherished musicians. It's our way of expressing heartfelt thanks to all who contribute to The Center of Peace (TCP). Gratitude, after all, is the fertile soil from which joy blossoms.

Let's pause and recognize the Good we've collectively manifested—in our lives and in the world. Our spiritual principles and practices have woven a tapestry of love, compassion, and purpose. As we deepen our understanding of Oneness, we touch the eternal and embrace our inherent Divinity. Ernest Holmes wisely reminds us, *"To the Soul that knows its own Divinity, all else must gravitate."* Together, we're unearthing profound truths that the world urgently needs.

Our community's impact extends beyond our walls. I've been moved by stories of transformation—the fellowship that heals, the music that uplifts, and the connections that resonate. Recently, a newcomer shared, *"Though you don't know me, I've been watching your services for weeks. I love this community and hope to join you in person soon."* Such testimonials remind us of our collective power.

But our journey doesn't end here. Ahead lies the opportunity to celebrate and create an even more radiant TCP. Join us as we:

1. **Open to Divine Guidance:** Let's prepare for growth by attuning ourselves to the whispers of the Divine.
2. **Expand Beyond Sundays:** Together, we'll explore fresh ways to gather, connect, and learn—beyond our cherished Sundays.
3. **Nourish Our Leaders and Care Circles:** Spiritual growth isn't limited to individuals; it extends to our entire community.

Eric Butterworth's wisdom echoes: *"When we establish ourselves in the consciousness of God, the whole Universe flows into us with its abundance of life and substance."*

Now, I invite you to participate in our vision for 2025. **Our goal: 80 pledge commitments totaling \$242,000.00.** Your contribution, whether large or small, fuels our outreach, sustains our growth, and

amplifies our impact. As you reflect inward, consider the gifts TCP has bestowed upon you—they ripple outward, touching countless lives.

Together, let's celebrate, create, and weave a future brimming with love, purpose, and possibility. Your generosity matters, and every dollar contributes to our shared journey.

With gratitude and anticipation,

A handwritten signature in black ink, starting with "Rev." followed by a stylized, cursive name that appears to be "Twana Malone". The signature ends with a long, horizontal flourish.

Rev. Twana Malone  
Senior Minister, The Center of Peace