Virtual Camp-In Scout’s Own Service

Call to Worship

Leader 1: God Calls us together for worship this morning. From our work and play within the world, God gathers us to give thanks for creation’s goodness, for the strength to labor, for the wisdom to relax

Prayer of Thanks

Leader 2: We will now prayer together a prayer of thanks. Please pray Psalm 121 together.

I lift up my eyes to the hills.
From where does my help come?
2 My help comes from the LORD,
who made heaven and earth.
3 He will not let your foot be moved;
he who keeps you will not slumber.
4 Behold, he who keeps Israel
will neither slumber nor sleep.
5 The LORD is your keeper;
the LORD is your shade on your right hand.
6 The sun shall not strike you by day,
nor the moon by night.
7 The LORD will keep you from all evil;
he will keep your life.
8 The LORD will keep
your going out and your coming in
from this time forth and forevermore.

Responsive Reading

Leader 3: Please join me in the “Scout Law Prayer.” This prayer will be a responsive prayer with scouts saying the part in boldface. Let us pray.

Leader 4: The Scout Law is a guiding light to millions of boys and young adults throughout the world today, but the principles of the law have been brought to us from ancient days. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. (Exodus 20:16)

Scouts Respond: A Scout is trustworthy.

Leader 5: He who is faithful in a very little is faithful also in much; and he who is dishonest in a very little is dishonest also in much. (Luke 16:10)

Scouts Respond: A Scout is loyal.
Leader 6: You shall not take vengeance or bear any grudge against the sons of your own people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself. ... (Leviticus 19:18) For the poor will never cease out of the land; therefore, I command you, You shall open wide your hand to your brother, to thy needy and to the poor, in the land. (Deuteronomy 15:11)

Scouts Respond: A Scout is helpful.

Leader 7: Love one another with brotherly affection; outdo one another in showing honor. (Romans 12:10) Behold, how good and pleasant it is when brothers dwell in unity! (Psalm 133)

Scouts Respond: A Scout is friendly.

Leader 8: Let no evil talk come out of your mouths, but only such as is good for edifying, as fits the occasion, that it may impart grace to those who hear. (Ephesians 4:29)

Scouts Respond: A Scout is courteous.

Leader 9: A righteous man has regard for the life of his beast, but the mercy of the wicked is cruel. (Proverbs 12:10)

Scouts Respond: A Scout is kind.

Leader 10: Children obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. Honor thy first commandment with promise; that it may be well with thee and thou mayest live long on the earth. (Ephesians 6:1-3)

Scouts Respond: A Scout is obedient.

Leader 11: A glad heart makes a cheerful countenance, but by sorrow of heart the spirit is broken. The mind of him who has understanding seeks knowledge, but the mouths of fools feed on folly. All the days of the afflicted are evil, but a cheerful heart has a continual feast. (Proverbs 15:13-15)

Scouts Respond: A Scout is cheerful.

Leader 12: Go to the ant, O sluggard; consider her ways, and be wise. Without having any chief, officer or ruler, she prepares her food in summer, and gathers her sustenance in harvest. (Proverbs 6:6-8)

Scouts Respond: A Scout is thrifty.

Leader 13: Be strong and of good courage, do not fear or be in dread of them: for it is the Lord your God who goes with you; he will not fail you or forsake you. (Deuteronomy 31:6)

Scouts Respond: A Scout is brave.

Leader 14: Who shall ascend the hill of the Lord? And who shall stand in his holy place? He who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not lift up his soul to what is false, and does not swear deceitfully. He will receive blessing from the Lord, and vindication from the God of his salvation. (Psalm 24:3-5)

Scouts Respond: A Scout is clean.

Leader 15: And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength. This is the first commandment. (Mark 12:30)

Scouts Respond: 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.
Scripture Reading

Leader 16: A reading from Colossians Chapter 3 Verses 20-21. “20 Children, obey your parents in everything, for this pleases the Lord.21 Fathers, do not provoke your children, lest they become discouraged.” The word of the Lord.

Scouts Respond: Amen.

Closing Prayer

Leader 17: For closing, please join me in the Scoutmaster’s Benediction

ALL: May the Great Scoutmaster of all scout be with us until we meet again. May we run the race at a great scout’s pace on the trail that leads to Him.

Leader 18: This concludes our scouts own service for today. May God be with you.

Scouts Respond: And also, with you.

Scouts remain in the area for awards and flag ceremony