



Walnut Way

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WHAT IS THE WALNUT WAY?

The Walnut Way consists of six compass points that help us focus on our spiritual journey. They are:

Worshiping Community - Worship at Walnut Hills with my church community each week

Acts of Service and Social Justice - Know the difference between service and justice, and be involved in each individually or as part of a group at least monthly

Learning - Participate actively in an ongoing class, study or group to enhance your understanding of your faith journey

Non-Judgmental Way of Life - Refuse to sit in judgment of anyone and to be open to everyone

Unfolding Spirit - Give careful and intentional attention to your inner self

Tithing - Give 10% of your income away

HOW DO I ENTER THE WALNUT WAY?

Let the senior minister know what you want to enter the Walnut Way. Remember, entering the Walnut Way is an expression of intention. No one "arrives" or is perfect at all these goals. You will then become part of a community within the church seeking to make the world a better world through a deeper connection with our loving and accepting God.

You will become a part of a Walnut Way Journey Group, a small group that:

- meets for one hour each month
- encourages each member's journey with the compass points
- is led by a trained facilitator.

WHAT IF I CAN'T MEET ALL OF THE COMPASS POINT GOALS?

The Walnut Way is not a contest. It is a reminder of God's journey with you at all times. It is not success that keeps you on the Walnut Way, but rather the desire to do the best you can. God will help you find your way.