

Our <u>PURPOSE</u> is to love, teach, guide, and support a spiritual community in creating and living a life they love using Science of Mind and Spirit principles and practices.

Our <u>VISION:</u> Center for Spiritual Living St. George is a community-focused Center actively living, sharing, and nurturing its members and friends so that all may live their best lives.

Our <u>MISSION:</u> CSLSG is an open, inclusive, and evolving spiritual community that supports its Purpose and Vision through:

\*Sacred Wisdom Celebrations

\*Empowering, Transformative Education

\*Youth and Young Adult Programs

\*Dynamic Music Ministry

\*Community In-reach

\*Community Out-reach



# 2025 Rising Higher, Growing Deeper June: In Living Color

Have you ever found God in church? I never did. I just found a bunch of folks hoping for him to show. Any God I ever felt in church I brought in with me. And I think all the other folks did too. They come to church to share God, not find God.

— Alice Walker, The Color Purple







## June 2025 Weekly Talks

## **In Living Color**

Marginalized people worldwide have shown us what it means to live in color, persevering despite the challenges they face simply for being who they are. Being born with a different skin color, hair texture, gender expression, or sexual orientation can often come with experiences of oppression. This month, we are invited to cast away the consciousness of exclusion and celebrate unity, diversity, and unique expression. In honor of Pride for 2SLGBTQIA\* Month communities being celebrated across the globe, we are encouraged to show up in living color!

\*(Two-Spirit, Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer or Questioning, Intersex, Asexual)

### **June Dreams**

"We should strive toward a perfect vision, a perfect conception. We should expand our thought until it realizes all good, and then cut right through all that



appears to be, and use this Almighty Power for definite purposes." (E. Holmes SOM p148.4)

June has always been a month of dreams, having fun, and creating something new. Growing up on the East Coast, it was a time when the cold and clouds finally gave way to sunshine! Even though I have been living in Las Vegas, where the sun always shines, June still gets my creative juices flowing to create new fun and experiences.

Ernest Holmes's quote above reminds us of what to strive for when we are in the co-creative process. When we have a purpose in mind, we start with recognizing that there is only one Source of all, which is perfect, whole, and complete. It is Infinite Intelligence. It is the Creator, the created, and



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June 1st
In Living Color

And the category is...unity! In celebration of LGBTQIA+ Pride month, we embrace the spiritual truth that we are all divine expressions of God.

June 8th
Do What
You Wanna Do

As we continue our celebration of Pride Month, we are all invited to live authentically, out loud and in color!

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June 15th
It's Never Too Late and
It's Never Too Soon

In honor of Juneteenth, we remember that it's never too late to contribute to restorative justice initiatives to heal from a cultural history of enslavement. It's never too soon to amplify Black Americans' voices to create new traditions and celebrations as Juneteenth has become a United States

the act of creating. God only knows perfection, joy, ease, and can only create Good.

Everything needed to bring our desire into form is already provided. What we need to do is focus our positive attention and affirm it. We affirm it mentally, by thinking about having the thing or experience we seek, in this present moment. We don't even have to worry about how it will show up. Spirit has that figured out already. Yet, trying to figure out the "how" is where most of us get stuck in our limiting thinking. Holmes suggests we "expand our thought until it realizes all good."

When we become aware of a possible hurdle, Holmes suggests we remember that Spirit knows nothing of limitation, and therefore the obstacle has no power. When we catch ourselves focusing on a limiting circumstance, remember that it is only a "possibility," and we live in an awareness that there are infinite possibilities. Then choose one that feels better.

We have often heard from Holmes that, "There is a Power in the Universe greater than you are, and you can use it." We can use it to create a better life, better health, to get a better job, or a better relationship, but do we put faith in it? Do we practice recognizing and accessing this power to live more freely, comfortably, with perfect health, and from Life's abundant nature? Spirit only loves and wants the best for us, but we must be willing to receive our Good.

"We should daily feel a deeper union with Life, a greater sense of that Indwelling God -- the God of the seen and the unseen -- within us." (E. Holmes SOM p149.4)

June is an excellent month to sit in the sun and dream. To commune with Spirit and cocreate something new, or to expand upon something you already possess -- like love, good health, abundance, and joy! Every day is a brand-new baby day. What fun do you want to create!?

~ Reverend Joe Kovach Senior Minister federally recognized holiday



Staff Minister
Reverend Rachael
Dilling

June 22nd And We're Still Together

In the 1990s series, "In Living Color", Mr. and Mrs. Brooks did not get along, but their marriage withstood their differences. This week, we are invited to explore the power of vulnerability.

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Practitioners
Plugged-In
June 29th
Living Out & Loud

In celebration of the final week of LGBT+ Pride Month, let's draw inspiration from the vibrant joy, celebration, and fearless rebellion of drag and ball culture. Join us as we honor these powerful expressions of creativity



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# IN-PERSON SUNDAY SERVICES!

June 8th AND 22nd 11:00am

## Come join us and bring a friend!!

262 S Mall Drive

Entrance at the white awning.

Meet and greet at 10:30.

Stay after for a treat (feel free to bring a dish to share!) and socializing.

Please remember the parking just outside the entrance (7 spots) is reserved for our guests with mobility needs.

# **Center for Spiritual Living St George Events and Information**

https://csl.org/



## Share Your Skills!

We invite you to join in on the fun, companionship, and joy of service in our expanding Center. It takes many hands to bring our vision into fruition. Here's how YOU can help:

- Organizing snacks for in-person services (Chat with Diana)
- Sound tech. Allen provides training anyone can do it!
- Greeter at services. (Talk to Anna)
- Do a 2-3 minute reading at online services
- Help setup before in-person service (Just show up at 10am!!)
- Clean up after services (simply stay and lend a hand!)
- Keep your eyes open for our new permanent location

Email stgeorgecsl@gmail.com, revjoe@cslstgeorge.org, or anyone on Core Council to discuss the possibilities (email addresses on website). Or talk to us in person!!



# Live Inspirational Service

In-Person 2nd and 4th Sundays

Online every Sunday 11:00am (Online Live broadcast starts at 10:55am)

# FACEBOOK LINK YOUTUBE LINK

Community Zoom
Conversation
After online-only services
12:00pm

## **ZOOM LINK**



#### PRAYER REQUESTS

Our Practitioners want to support you in prayer.

Email practitioners individually (click on their picture) at **cslsg.org/about** 



To view Core Council minutes, please



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**Give Online**: Paypal link is on our website (grey button below): <u>cslsg.org</u> on the Donation page; or Paypal direct with **blue button below**.

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# WE PAY OUR PROSPERITY FORWARD

Every Quarter CSLSG shares the prosperity you help us create with a local non-profit. We practice the law of giving and receiving and watch as our collective abundance contributes to our beautiful community.

We have previously contributed to Children's Justic Center, Washington County School District Counselor's Closet, The DOVE Center, Switchpoint Community Resource Center, Pride of Southern Utah, and Equality Utah.

We would love to hear suggestions from you for future contributions. We are currently considering Root For Kids. (Picture below) Please check this organization out at: <a href="https://www.rootforkids.org/">https://www.rootforkids.org/</a>



PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

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GET INVOLVED



Every child is a unique and beautiful flower that deserves to bloom with lave and support.

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# **St George Interfaith Council Opportunities**

https://www.stgeorgeinterfaithcouncil.org/



Check out the website below and join the movement to bring Peace On Earth. There is also an app: Peace, available in all smart phone play stores.



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#### 2025 CLASSES

Jan 14 - Feb 26 - Southwest Utah Public Health Department Apr 15 - May 27 - IHC - St. George Regional Hospital Jun 3 - Jul 15 - Southwest Utah Public Health Department Oct 20 - Dec 1 - IHC - St. George Regional Hospital









# Utah's maternal mental health referral network



Resources for anyone seeking help for maternal mental health

### **Maternal Mental Health**

The Utah Maternal Mental Health Referral Network is a directory of healthcare professionals and organizations with specialized training in maternal mental health conditions.

The professionals listed on the network can help you and your loved ones with mental health questions and concerns throughout your parenthood journey—from planning your family, to experiencing infertility and loss, pregnancy, and during the postpartum period.





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#### **Access the Referral Network**



If you or someone you know is experiencing a mental health crisis, call 988.

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