OPENING SCRIPTURE **Psalm 105:1-11 (CEB)** July 26

Give thanks to the Lord;
call upon his name;
make his deeds known to all people!
Sing to God;
sing praises to the Lord;
dwell on all his wondrous works!
Give praise to God's holy name!
Let the hearts rejoice of all those seeking the Lord!
Pursue the Lord and his strength;
seek his face always!
Remember the wondrous works he has done,
all his marvelous works, and the justice he declared—
you who are the offspring of Abraham, his servant,
and the children of Jacob, his chosen ones.

The Lord—he is our God.
His justice is everywhere throughout the whole world.
God remembers his covenant forever,
the word he commanded to a thousand generations,
which he made with Abraham,
the solemn pledge he swore to Isaac.
God set it up as binding law for Jacob,
as an eternal covenant for Israel,
promising, "I hereby give you the land of Canaan
as your allotted inheritance."

***Call to Worship**

One: O people, approach the Unapproachable; stand radiant in its splendor, and become children of the Light!

Many: Let us love one another, for they who love one another abide in the Light, and do not lose their way.

One: O people, enter into the Eternal; stand radiant in its glory, and become children of the Day!

All: Let us love God, for they who love God dwell in the Light of Day and have no need for night.

UNISON PRAYER OF INVOCATION

O God you promised to protect those who call on your name; God we know your name! You promised to answer those who call upon you; we call upon you God! You promised to deliver those who love you; God, we love you! Pour out your Spirit, that we might know that you are in our midst, that you are our God and shall not be moved!

AMEN.