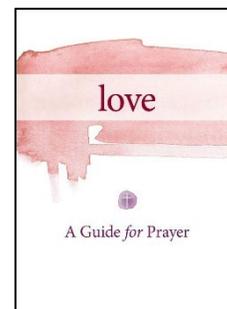


# The West Virginia Institute for Spirituality

## *Love: A Guide for Prayer*

### A 6-week Guided Prayer Experience via Zoom

You are invited to participate in a guided prayer experience to begin on April 18, 2021 and continue weekly for six weeks. We will be using the book, *Love: A Guide to Prayer* by Bergan and Schwan (available through any bookseller). Each small group will meet for 90 minutes each week and be led by one of the West Virginia Institute for Spirituality's (WVIS) Associate Spiritual Directors.



This book begins with these lines of prayer, “Lord, my God, when your love spilled over into creation you thought of me. I am from love, of love, for love.” This collection of prayer exercises focuses on knowing and affirming God’s love for you.

Each week we will pray together for the grace of an intimate and heartfelt experience of God’s love. As a group, we will commit to pray with these exercises daily and then gather weekly in our small groups on Zoom to share our experiences of God in our prayer for that week.

**When:** There are seven groups meeting at different times beginning on Sunday, April 18<sup>th</sup> through the week of May 24<sup>th</sup>.

**How:** Register for the group that fits your schedule by clicking [HERE](#). Each group is limited to eight members, so you are encouraged to register as soon as possible. You will be contacted by the spiritual director of the group you select with additional details including the link for Zoom. *Groups do require 4 – 5 members so if the group you select does not reach that threshold, you will be invited to join a group meeting at a different time.*

**Offering:** The Donation for this program is \$50 (plus the cost of the book). Please use the link to Register however you can pay via check if you desire. Sending your check *does not* guarantee you a place in the group – *you must register online*. If paying by check, please make check payable to WVIS and mail to 1601 Virginia Street East, Charleston, WV 25311.

### **REGISTRATION DEADLINE: April 9, 2021**

This program will be held via Zoom – link will be provided after you register. For more information about the program, contact Cindy Neely, Associate Program Director at [neelycynthia@gmail.com](mailto:neelycynthia@gmail.com).

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