



## Summer of Love | Series Overview (designed for summer)

We invite you to be part of a summer of love – no, not the 1960s version! 1 John 4:8 says, “Whoever does not love does not know God, for *God is love*.” But what does that mean? Through this series, we will look at four different ways we can love God and the people around us by following the example and teachings of Jesus. Embrace your inner Hippie!

### Week 1: Loving Friends

Scripture: John 21: 3-4, 10-17

The love of friends carries us through good times and times of trouble. Jesus models for us true friendship even through times of disappointment and hurt.

### Week 2: Loving Community

Scripture: John 6:1-13

We witness to the love of God when we share our goods and gifts with the community.

### Week 3: Loving Family

Scripture: Luke 10:38-42

Jesus invites us to appreciate the better parts of life when they are offered.

### Week 4: Loving God

Scripture: Mark 2:23-28

To regularly set aside time to rest and worship demonstrates our love for God.