



Day 5 Contagious Love
Friday, March 21, 2020

Scripture: Job 17:9 *"Yet the righteous hold to their way, and they that have clean hands grow stronger and stronger."*

Couldn't resist that; gotta be mindful of *clean hands!*

What a time we live in! Forced apart from our beloved community, we have the opportunity to find new ways to build Christian community. Pushed to be fearful, we have the opportunity to create and nurture new ways to love. Socially isolated, we have the opportunity to create new ways to love our neighbor.

Jim Wallis of Sojourners put it this way: *"Amid this, we must not let fear become a way of life. We remember the words of Jesus: Love can cast out fear. Leaning into love and learning what it really means to love our neighbors in this crisis will be crucial to our collective health and survival."*

And this way: *"One of the most important reflections I can leave with you is this: Loving your neighbor has never been more important than it is right now, even if we have to find new and creative ways to do so. We are in this together."*

Here is a link to the full Jim Wallis article:

<https://sojo.net/articles/spiritual-health-care-social-distancing-without-social-isolation>

Can you feel the gentle, nurturing, loving breeze that is the Broadway Spirit wafting through your space? Be confident that it is wafting through all the spaces of our community! Many people have said something like this in times like these: **BROADWAY STRONG!**

-- *Guy Adams*