

A Liturgy for World Day of Prayer
March 6, 2015
Church Women United celebrating the Bahamas

Welcome and Call to Worship

One: Let us all join together in singing the Caribbean hymn, Halle, Halle, Hallelujah.”

Song

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah

www.wdp-usa.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/10/Halle-Halle-Halleluja-revised-7-9-14.pdf

Prayer of Praise

One: Let us join together with the islands in a prayer of praise by responding: Our God,

All: We give you praise.

One: The beauty of our waters, the face of a baby and the smiling eyes of an aged woman. Our God,

All: We give you praise.

One: Your mercy is as boundless as the sands, your grace surrounds us like the waters of the sea. Our God,

All: We give you praise.

One: We exalt your name for every opportunity give to us to minister to the poor and to wash the feet of the weary. Our God,

All: We give you praise.

One: You have journeyed with us and our ancestors over the centuries. Our God,

All: We give you praise.

One: We give thanks in Long Island and everywhere. Our God,

All: We give you praise.

One: How deep and radical is your love for us! Our God,

All: We give you praise.

Prayer of Confession

One: So often, we try to direct it away from those we do not like, cannot love or choose not to love.

All: Forgive us, Lord.

One: Forgive us when we destroy the environment that we, together with our visitors, should be responsible for preserving.

All: Keep us from destroying your wonderful creation.

One: Open our eyes to those who are in need of a gentle touch, a listening ear, a word of comfort or a healing presence.

All: Jesus, we are amazed by you. How deep and radical is your love for us! Teach us how

