The "Learning to love to tell the story" workshop led by veteran journalist Bob Ray Sanders on Friday, April, 7, 2017, produced some heartfelt yet concise descriptions of people's faith and how it acts in their lives.

"Little Peggy Nan sat in the cool, new Spring grass under a clear blue sky, when suddenly the world around and within her was filled with the glorious loving light of God, and the Light permeated everything, and she knew that she was loved." Peggy Pate

"I am an Episcopalian who believes in a God who loves everyone and call me to share that love with others in my environment and daily life.' Marti Fagley

"Walking with God through many valleys and hills since childhood – thank you Mom and Dad." Christine Davis

"I was touched by God in my mother's womb and that tou8ch would direct my live and my love of God." Suzanne Coneway

"I was created to be open and loving so God's light and love could shine through me." Margaret Mieuli

'My faith in my breath, my God is the oxygen I breathe, my church is where I am free to exhale." Katie Sherrod

"I am a child of God... have been for a long time. I have matured by marrying my husband, having children, and walking the walk." Brenda Seaver

"The road seemed to extend back to the Prussian war, when we left Belgium and sailed to an unknown world called America. All of us moved to New Orleans, where our mother's family moved from Spain in 1802. It was warm and insects buzzed in the sunshine and in the moonlight. We were all Roman Catholic on Lake Pontchartrain. We are all blessed." Suzi Reid

"I am God's created child, beloved, supported, protected, and called to carry and share God's love everywhere I go in every way I can." Priscilla Promise

"By the love of God, I am so very blessed with a loving wife and family, great friends, a wonderful country, and I'm still alive to enjoy it all." Louis Eichenberger

"Within the context of The Episcopal Church, I have been incubated, nourished, enfolded, shaped, and liberated to become and express my being loved by God, My

loving God, and growing in my love for all humanity, nature, and the world." Susan Slaughter

"God, me, and my faith are about compassion for suffering." Unsigned