

## **FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE OF FAITH**

This narration may be used to present or introduce Bethel Officers at open meetings such as installations, promotional meetings, etc. Any formation and/or seating arrangement may be used.

### **NARRATOR:**

**We read within the Holy Book  
That God created man;  
He made the sun, the moon and stars  
According to His plan.**

**He gave the melody to the birds –  
The honey to the bees,  
With grass He covered o'er the earth,  
Put fruit upon the trees.**

**To man He gave the virtue, Faith  
To trust in Him on high;  
For He knows youth must try its wings  
Before it learns to fly.**

**Symbolic of that faith – the Cross,  
Where Christ was crucified  
Reminds us that to have such Faith  
Strengthens the soul inside.**

**Around that Cross, a friendship ring  
Denotes our Faith in God;**

**His friendship too, we all would seek  
As on through life we trod.**

**A friendship circle bound with love  
Of prayer, of song, and smile,  
Of faith to trust in all our friends  
Will make our lives worthwhile.**

**Bethel Choir:**

**Their songs of friendliness and faith  
Ring out for all to hear;  
Their youthful voices, rich and true  
Make known that He is near.**

**Inner and Outer Guard:**

**No one should pass our guarded door  
Nor seek to enter here,  
Unless these daughters, fair, make sure  
They're worthy and sincere.**

**Junior and Senior Custodian:**

**Our properties are ever watched  
By Daughters such as these;  
They work in perfect harmony  
Their aim is but to please.**

**Musician:**

**Without her music with us to share,  
The day would seem too long;**

**We need her joyous melodies  
In harmony and song.**

**Librarian:**

**Our thirst for knowledge in the arts  
Is truly virtue rare;  
This Daughter answers all our needs  
Her wisdom beyond compare.**

**Chaplain:**

**And who shall teach us how to pray  
To put our trust in Him?  
Our Chaplain kneels with head bowed low  
As Altar lights we dim.**

**Recorder:**

**On pages spotless, she doth write  
Our every act and deed;  
Her records tell of faith and love  
For friendship is our creed.**

**Treasurer:**

**In terms of gold we count our wealth,  
But gold cannot compare,  
With youth and beauty of one we trust,  
This precious Daughter fair.**

**Messengers:**

**Our Messengers, so fair of face,  
Bring tales of joy and woe;**

**They teach us to have faith in friends  
And trust in those we know.**

**They practice honesty and truth  
And try to set the pace,  
So all of us who follow them,  
Will cherish this Holy place.**

**Marshal:**

**As Pilgrims seek to know the truth  
And meaning of our creed,  
Our Marshal fair is there to aid  
She's there to take the lead.**

**Guide:**

**In everything we do and say  
In fun or service planned,  
Our daughter guide is always here  
To lend a helping hand.**

**Junior and Senior Princess:**

**As in the Book of Job we read  
There were three Daughters fair, -  
Comes now two Princesses in view  
Their beauty to compare.**

**We know when God created man,  
He planned a beauteous face,  
For here we see His work of art**

**In loveliness and grace.**

**Honored Queen:**

**And know the eldest of the three  
Oh yonder the threshold stands,  
She learned the lessons of his love  
Heed well all his commands.**

**For she is truly fair of face  
And walks with regal air,  
We know that God created her  
The fairest of the fair.**

**Before you now these Daughters stand  
In youthfulness and grace,  
They are the fairest in the land  
And none can take their place.**

**To you, my Daughters, have such faith  
That when your work is through  
You'll know that you have learned to live  
As He would want you to.**

**Always turn to Him for help,  
Don't ever turn away;  
For He alone can give you strength  
As you go on your way.**