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NOVEMBER œ DECEMBER 2002

	FRIDAY PROGRAMS	8 PM	SUGGESTED DONATION \$5.00
NOV 1	THEOSOPHY, SCIENCE, RELIGION AND THE CORE OF LIFE Winifred Wylie When materialism invades the mind and heart, there is loneliness, confusion and war. The vanguards of science, as well as theosophy, seek to uncover central truths. Only truth-seeking in a religious spirit ends warfare and suffering. Winifred Wylie is president of the Ann Arbor T.S.		
NOV 8	DREAMS: PSYCHOLOGICAL, METAPHYSICAL AND SPIRITUAL PERSPECTIVES Bhakti-Tirtha Swami B.T. Swami oversees projects in the U.S., Europe and Africa to encourage self-sufficiency through schools, clinics, farming and cottage industries. He also conducts seminars on leadership, spirituality, and conflict resolution. He has authored several books, the latest being "Leadership for an Age of Higher Consciousness." Among his topics tonight: spiritual truths in dream phenomena, influencing the unseen, dreams and karma.		
NOV 15	CREATING INNER AND OUTER PEACE Mike Whitty An evening of reflection and renewal focused on attaining peace within oneself, peace in the home, within our communities and in the world. Affirm your journey toward becoming a peacemaker. Mike Whitty, Ph.D. teaches management and leadership skills at U.D. Mercy and conducts seminars around the world. He is a tireless activist for peace, justice and enlightened community.		
NOV 22	REMEMBERING OSIRIS: COSMIC EVOLUTION AND THE EGYPTIAN MYSTERIES John Barnwell John is the author of "The Arcana of the Grail Angel," and "The Arcana of Light on the Path." His insight and dedication to the wisdom tradition, especially as it informs western spirituality, make John's research especially valuable today. He explores ancient Egyptian religion in the light of theosophy and the work of Rudolf Steiner.		
NOV 29	THANKSGIVING RECESS		
DEC 6	ABOUT WISHES AND BLISS Carole Katz The holiday season is a time of wishes for many of us. Are we wishing for what we want, or for what we truly need? What is our Bliss? In our round-table forum, we share insights together, pose further questions, and perhaps challenge prevailing notions. Carole is a clinical therapist in private practice.		
DEC 13	FROM THE UNREAL TO THE REAL, FROM DARKNESS TO LIGHT Mary Jo Kokochak The word "initiation" is used to designate entry into spiritual life. All cultures and spiritual traditions have evolved special rites and ceremonies to mark this passage, and there is a remarkable similarity among them. We consider some unifying elements and their significance for us today. Mary Jo is head of the American Federation of the Order of International Co-Freemasonry, a Masonic Order which admits both women and men equally.		

WE WISH YOU A BLESSED HOLIDAY SEASON.

FRIDAY EVENING PROGRAMS RESUME JANUARY 3, 3003.



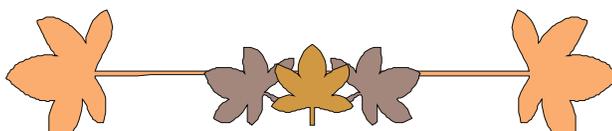
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SPECIAL EVENTS

AN INTRODUCTION TO KABALAH

Rabbi Alon Tolwin

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1

Time: 2:00 — 3:00 PM

Kabalah is a part of Jewish oral law given to Moses at Sinai. It shows there is more to life than what we see. The Kabalah is the earliest, organized system which relates the transcendent and imminent. Rabbi Tolwin is the director of Aish Ha Torah, "The Fire of Torah," part of an international organization founded to show the relevance of Judaism in life.

Seminar Donation: \$10

FOURTH SATURDAY, MORNING RETREATS

NOVEMBER 30 & DECEMBER 28

Time: 9:00 — 11:00 AM

Retreat is a calm, intentional affirming of peace, insight, goodwill and freedom. We sit for two 20-minute silent meditations. Before each meditation, a spiritual reading is offered. After the sittings, we gather for sharing and mutual support. We close with prayers for healing and unity. All are welcome. Please arrive promptly - no one is admitted after retreat begins.

MEMBERS' WINTER CELEBRATION

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17

Time: 7:00 — 9:30 PM

Gathering for TS members, family and friends. Potluck vegetarian supper, gratitude ceremony, blessing tree. For friendship circle, bring something you enjoy sharing for the winter holidays - a poem, prayer, story or song.

WORLD HEALING DAY

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31

Time: 3:00 — 4:00 PM

Readings and silent meditation for world healing and peace. Light refreshments. All are welcome.

WEEKLY GATHERINGS

MEMBERS' STUDY

Tuesdays

Time: 7:30 — 9:00 PM

Current study: *THE VISIONARY WINDOW: A QUANTUM PHYSICIST'S GUIDE TO ENLIGHTENMENT*. Author Amit Goswami shows how principles of the new science help us with creativity and truly spiritual living. Text available.

Join us!

OPEN FORUM: LIVING IN WISDOM

Wednesdays

Time: 7:30 - 9:00 PM

Wide-ranging studies in applied theosophy, drawing from various traditions and points of view. Informal, interactive. All are welcome.

MEDITATION CIRCLE

Thursdays

Time: 7:30 - 8:30 PM

Silent meditation on inspirational readings from the world's religions. Mutual support and sharing. All are welcome.