BODHI TREE 2019 Annual Directory



WHAT IS BODHI TREE?



Bodhi is a Sanskrit name meaning "Awakened" or "Enlightenment." The Buddhist concept of Bodhi is spiritual awakening and freedom from past mistakes. Bodhi is also the name of the sacred ficus tree (ficus religiosa) under which Lord Buddha sat and obtained his enlightenment.

This magazine uses the symbol of the tree arising from the fountain at Point State Park Pittsburgh. The "shade" provides comfort, protection and guidance to the city and people in the Pittsburgh area. Finding our bliss to keep our lights bright is the purpose of this image.

The tree is for the awakening of the individual as well as clusters of people. As people come together soul groups are formed and reformed. We all came here for a purpose. Finding that special tribe, (or tribes) that bring you to a place of one-ness is a blessing.

Joy, peace and hope are built and flow to you as well as the city. Let's be a non denominal mecca to others who travel to the Greater Pittsburgh Area as well!

Bodhi Tree magazine is non political, but transfomative. It changes everthing it touches. Started as a collaborative between new thought, churches and metaphysical, open minded people, it has become a touch stone for inspiration in Pittsburgh.

You don't have to do it alone. We are in this journey together. Loneliness is banished. Singularity is oneness. And onessness is everyone.

Bodhi Tree is a magazine.but in a sense is also a group of groups and individuals who are committed to spiritual growth.

A face to face, heart to heart connection is supported by the Bodhi Tree Magazine Pittsburgh. From Thee I recieve to Thee I give. Together we share and from this we live!

Susan Rose, Publisher

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Honorable Mentions

go to the many local groups and sites that did not make it into the directory this time.

They can be seen at the comprehensive link list for the city, www.

HeartofPittsburgh.com

Although these groups were hand-selected for their noncult like behavior, a word of caution. When joining a new group that really lights your fire, listen to your still small voice for divine discernment.



Does it resonate with your heart? Have you swapped from one group thinking to another? Like Plato's Cave, many will interpret the shadows on the wall for you.

Keep your face to the Sun and all shadows will fall behind you!

Unity Center of Pittsburgh: A Positive Path for **Spiritual I iying**

By Maryann Hackworth

We welcome you to visit the Unity Center of Pittsburgh! Our desire is to help you deepen your spiritual journey. Perhaps you are a student of Unity or other New Thought philosophies. Whether you identify with a specific faith, practice ancient wisdom traditions or consider yourself to be a "spiritual but not religious" person, you will feel welcomed at our center!

We are inclusive of all people and we value the truth teachings from all faiths. We recognize that every individual is an expression of the Divine Mind (God) and that each of us is on a personal path of self-realization. We believe that all people are created with sacred worth, and we strive to reach out to all who seek support and spiritual growth.

The loving atmosphere at our center reflects the loving intentions of our board and our members: we are honored to be a part of the Pittsburgh spiritual community and to contribute to the collective awakening consciousness of humanity.

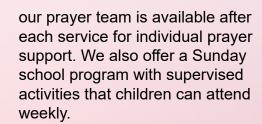
Our spiritual organization exists as part of Unity Worldwide Ministries, which was founded in 1889 as a positive and practical philosophy that emphasizes the power of affirmative prayer and education as a path to spirituality. There are

five foundational principles that form the heart of Unity spiritual philosophy:

- 1) God is the source and creator of all. There is no other enduring power. God is good and present evervwhere.
- 2) We are spiritual beings, created in God's image. The spirit of God lives within each person; therefore all people are inherently good.
- 3) We create our life experiences through our way of thinking.
- 4) There is power in affirmative prayer, which we believe increases our conscious connection to God. 5) Knowledge of these spiritual
- principles is not enough. We must live them.

Through our Sunday services, education and fellowship, we strive to assist people to discover and express their divine nature and to live healthy, prosperous and meaningful lives. Sunday speakers rotate to reveal fresh perspectives and practical applications related to Unity principles that are core to the process of conscious creation. Teachings of Jesus and other spiritual masters are explored from a deeper, metaphysical perspective.

Prayer is one of our cornerstones and at our center; we offer the opportunity for meditation and prayer. In addition to Sunday morning meditation, a member of



We have a thriving, loving community that continues to expand with activities and opportunities to mingle and converse with like-minded individuals. Monthly movie nights, book study groups and a weekly "Course In Miracles" class have recently been added.

Drumming circles, picnics and musical events have been enjoyed by all! Please come and visit us for uplifted inspiration! We welcome you!

Join us at: http://unityofpittsburgh. 5343 Kincaid Street. org/ Pittsburgh, PA 15224 email: unityofpittsburgh@gmail. com





Pittsburgh Bleep - IONS Group

by Lee Robinson, Group Coordinator Find us on Facebook

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The Pittsburgh Bleep group was started in 2006, after the documentary film "What the Bleep Do We Know" was released (2004). The group was created due to the inspiration created by this movie- (which is still available). In June of 2013, the local Pittsburgh area IONS groups merged with the Bleep group. The Institute of Noetic Science was started by astronaut Edgar Mitchel to broaden the potential of human consciousness.

An ongoing group - Bleep/IONS - has continued for twelve years. Many of the attendees have been coming for years. It is great to

be connected with like minded people. Meetings held are the first Sunday of each month at 10:30AM, at Panera Bread -Boulevard of the Allies 3401 Boulevard of the Allies Pittsburgh, PA 15213 There is limited seating in the meeting room area. Fifteen to as many as thirty people have been able to fit in the space.

Various amazing topics are presented and discussed. The presentations pertain to consciousness, quantum physics, and ideas that evolve and inspire the oneness of our world. Speakers come from near and far. The group members are also very well researched, and some may present a topic as well. After the meeting, people often continue the conversation over lunch, lasting to noon or later.

"Adventure" day trips and even overnight trips have been completed by the group.

Solstice and equinox quarterly gatherings are also hosted at the Homestead Labyrinth. (See image above, left) The group went to Kentucky to see the total eclipse of the sun in 2017. We have also seen Pittsburgh area Native American Mounds, the Meadowcroft Rock Shelter, and Serpent Mound Ohio, to name a few

Thanks to all of you who volunteer. Your support is paramount to the group and its representation of expanding conscious awareness everywhere.

See you in the quantum field!

There is no greater feeling than gratitude. There is no future that cannot be brightened with hope. There is no time. There is only the now.

Speakers (and members) are seen below with Lee Robinson in Panera Bread Meeting Room.





Center for **Spiritual Living** Greater Pittsburgh

by Christy Semple 101 W. Main Street, Suite 103, Carnegie Corner of W. Main and Jefferson St. (entrance faces Jefferson)

"...happiness and peace have always been ours; they are ours now; for they are the very essence and Truth of our being." - Ernest Holmes, founder of The Science of Mind spiritual philosophy

The Center for Spiritual Living Greater Pittsburgh is a thriving spiritual community that radiates wisdom, love, and support. We gather in a space that is warm and inviting, and we are often told by members and guests that they feel great energy here. We celebrate the essential goodness of Life and all people, and we inspire and guide all in the discovery and experience of this in their lives.

The Vision of CSL Greater Pittsburgh is that we are an open, vibrant, diverse spiritual community that inspires spiritual growth and encourages the realization of everyone's full potential. We teach and practice the Science of Mind spiritual philosophy

and inspire its use to enrich and expand your life experience and provide and support you during times of confusion or challenge. Along with a magnificent Sunday Experience, we offer a variety of classes, workshops, and other spiritual enrichment activities to discover, awaken, and nurture your spiritual growth and the expression of your Essential Goodness.

At CSL Greater Pittsburgh, we are blessed with the consciousness of our Spiritual Director, Michael Mangus, who has a wonderful blend of wisdom and life experience, along with the support of trained **Practitioners of Affirmative** Prayer, and the love and acceptance of a welcoming spiritual community.

You will find:

- Warm and welcoming people
- An uplifting Sunday Experience
- A sacred space for Affirmative Prayer

- Support for wherever you are on your spiritual path
- A Spiritual Director who listens
- Inspiring messages
- High quality, contemporary, high-energy music
- A Program for youth
- A variety of engaging classes, workshops, and activities
- A Center that is constantly evolving and transforming, inspiring the evolution of you in the process

Whether it is a hug, an ear to listen, or the wisdom to understand and guide, we are here for you, with the energy of a group gathering in a class during the week or an enlightening and uplifting Sunday Experience. The Universe supports you and so do we!

Please stop by on a Sunday from 10:30 to 11:30 AM and feel at home!

Feel free to contact us at cslgreaterpitt@gmail. com or 412-294-8275. To learn more, visit us at CSLGreaterPittsburgh.org.

1st Spiritualist Church

John F. Singer House Mansion 1318 Singer Place Wilkinsburg, PA 15221 412 672 1272 Office & Istspiritualistchurch.org/

by Michelle Saling Find us on Facebook!



A member of the National Association of Spiritualist Churches, the 1st Spiritualist Church-Pittsburgh, was chartered as the First Spiritualist Church of McKeesport in 1919. Formerly located in McKeesport, it's now located at the John F. Singer House, 1318 Singer Place, Wilkinsburg, PA. Parking for any group event is available on the street with limited handicapped parking on the site by reservation.

Services are offered twice a month on the first and third Sundays, 11:00am-1:00pm and include energy healing, meditation, lesson and messages followed by a social hour.

Spiritualism is a philosophy, religion and a science. The practice of Spiritualism includes the affirmation of principles including bearing witness to the continuity of life and discovering

your soul's purpose and life journey through prayer, meditation and action in the HERE AND NOW.

Our teachings, through counseling classes and lessons are intended to develop a person's state of awareness to expand beyond his/her previous levels of consciousness to experience the divine in this life and before transition.

Circle of Friends is Woldwide~

and Pittsburgh has a
Local Circle!
https://www.bruno-groening.org/en



This local group meets every three weeks to share healing energy. Meetings are currently held at the Friends Meeting House, Oakland. You are welcome to join us for an introduction.

Please call or email to schedule your first visit. erosie5@aol.com dk639@gmail.com etosie5@aol.com dk639@gmail.com dk639@gmailto:dk639@gmai

Native American Spirituality Is **Alive**

Council of Three Rivers American Indian Center



Join in ongoing sacred ceremonies:

Full Moons at the O.W.L.(One World Love) Natural Native Reserve in Hazelwood, a large annual Pow Wow in Dorseyville and various other local gatherings.

For more information: Find us on Facebook Council of Three Rivers

Email: Miguel Sague DeeSchreiner1@gmail.com or Tenanche Rose Golden

Mystical Psychic Fair

Like us on Facebook. https://www.facebook.com/MysticalPsychicFair/

Eight years ago, a small Spiritualist church in the South Hills had to close its doors for various reasons. The congregation was small, but very close.

In order to help keep the members together, Deborah Ann founded the Mystical Psychic Fair.

Ever since then, a group of psychics, mediums, readers, vendors, and healers come together every month and offer a variety of metaphysical experiences and items at the Mystical Psychic Fair in the South Hills. They share their gifts and loving, healing energy.

Clients love to come to this fair because it gives them a place to be themselves and learn new skills and ideas. It's a place to explore and learn about crystals, oracle and tarot cards, and other metaphysical items sold by community vendors. Over the years, the readers, healers and those attending feel like family.

It's a place to experience intuitive, psychic readings from experienced and gentle readers. It's a place to receive messages from loved ones on the other side. And above all, it's a place to experience and soak in loving energy from all who are present.



Although a lot of the readers and vendors are regulars, not every reader and vendor attends every month. This creates a unique grouping and brings a different type of convergent energy every month. You can find out who will be at the fair every month when Deborah Ann publicizes the readers, vendors and healers for that particular month.

In addition, every month, the Mystical Psychic Fair offers a group event for the public. These events have been workshops, classes, lectures and message circles. These are well worth the additional ticket price.

For further information call Deborah at 724-348-8063. Currently, the fees for the fair are \$5 admission, individual readings are \$30 for 15 min and healing sessions are \$20 for 15 min.

We look forward to seeing you there!



Reiki Shares are a group of Reiki practiions rather than 1:1 treatment. The groups pop up all over the area. Some charge a nominal fee to pay for the space, and others are free.

Here are a few free Reiki Shares (donations welcome) that occur monthly: Unity Center of Pittsburgh (second Sunday), Yellow Lotus Center (Friday nights), and Raion Zou Holistic Healing (new Moons). If you know of more Reiki groups please send the info to suzenrose@verizon.net

What is Reiki and Where can I share it?

Reiki is a technique for relaxation that also promotes healing. It is administered by "laying on hands" or placing hands above the person needing the treatment. It is based on the idea that an unseen "life force energy" flows through us and is what causes us to be alive. we are more capable of being happy and healthy. The word Reiki is made of two Japanese words - Rei which means "God's Wisdom or the Higher Power" and Ki which is "life force energy". So Reiki is actually "spiritually guided life force energy."

There are many courses in how to do Reiki in the local area. Since there are quite a few people with at least initial training, they often meet to share the energy between them.

Some groups open their circles (shares) to people who are not trained, but add their positive intention. for group healing work.

If you are a patient at Allegheny General Highmark, you can request a Reiki Treatment at your bedside by a volunteer. Read about Reikie in the Allegheny Health Network site here: https://www.ahn.org/news/ newsletters/integrated-medicine/december-2011/

What is a HU Song?

hroughout the ages, followers of many spiritual traditions have used prayer, the singing of holy words, and meditation to bring themselves closer to God

In the same way, those who have discovered HU, an ancient name for God, sing it for their spiritual upliftment.

There is a group that meets monthly in Monroeville to do the HU Song.

ECKANKAR of Pittsburgh

They also have Sunday speakers several times a month, 4290 Old William Penn Highway, Monroeville PA

http://www.eckankarofpa.org/



To learn more, join the https:// www.meetup.com/eckankarofpa/

Example of Hu Song heard here: https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=QoBwtVYM-e

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The Stars" and allows for freedom of expression for contact initiation. The groups are usually small. To join this group, please contact me (Larry Coudriet) at LCoudriet@verizon.net and ask to be informed of the next training session.

For an actual Contact Session, we generally gather at 9:00 PM during warmer months in an undisclosed location in the Sewickley area. Potential attendees are encouraged to first watch Greer's full-length documentary, *Sirius*, now available free on Netflix and YouTube.





Star Nation Meetup

- Pittsburgh, PA
- 26 members Public group @
- Organized by Suzanne Bishop and 1 other

https://www.meetup.com/Pittsburgh-Star-Nation-Meetup/

What we're about

"This is a group for anyone interested in sharing and learning about our Star Nations (ETs aka Aliens), Extraterrestrial encounters through dreams, contact, meditations etc. All experiencer's and those interested to learn are welcome. I started this group to offer community, sharing and support among the Starseeds and their families. Looking forward to exploring the outdoors with everybody." --Suzanne, Star Nation Organizer

I am here to help save the planet Sophia, Gaia, planet Earth. Clean and protect the Genetic Living Library from harm. Harm from: GMO's, GeoEngineering, Human child sex slavery, killing trees. All have to stop. Moving away from oil to clean Plasma technology. Peace on Earth. --Raven, Star Nation Co-Organizer

Adjunct topics to this group are ET art, crop circles, various contact experiences, disclosure projects, and prominent researchers. Health and wellness, balance are key to this group.

Our Facebook is here

https://www.facebook.com/groups/237073847014792/

The Pittsburgh Area Edgar Cayce Groups

Interest in Edgar Cayce and the Association for Research and Enlightenment (ARE) has been plentiful in the Western Pennsylvania for over 60 years. Study Groups began meeting regularly here since 1957. In 1966, a "Council of Study Groups" was formed which began to sponsor programs on Edgar Cayce themes. The present Pittsburgh area team succeeded the Council in 1975.

Twice annually nationally known speakers are also brought into the Pittsburgh area for events

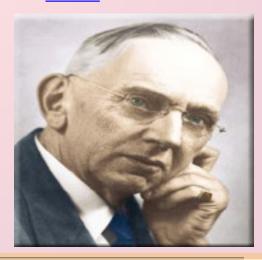
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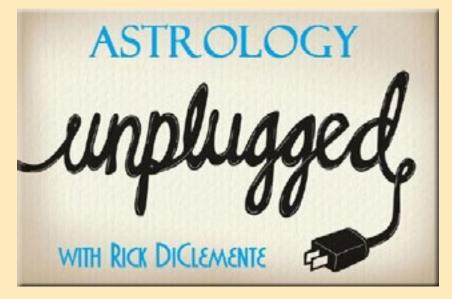
The team coordinates these local workshops not only for ARE members but also for the general public. Social events include an annual summer picnic and Christmas party. Our mission is to manifest the energy of Oneness and to help transform lives through the wisdom of the Cayce readings.

Contact us if you would like to be on our mailing list for local events, or if you need assistance

in joining a study group.

If you are on Facebook, check out our <u>local ARE Group</u>! (Search ARE Pittsburgh) or check out the local <u>website</u>.





I started an online astrology show called "Astrology Unplugged" about a year and a half ago. We chat all things astrology and other topics. I see it as a fireside chat without the fire.

Having taught the subject for over 35 years, this show is not a linear course. Each week I cover topics from how the planets work to how they affect each of us. It is definitely a show for those at all levels of astrological knowledge. Much of it is to give you the perspective from the astrologer's viewpoint.

Many current affairs are covered, but always with a bent towards showing how the "real" astrology is at work.

Approximately, once every five weeks or so, I like to have guests on specializing in a wide range of topics from hypnosis, physics, the rise of the feminine and the Tarot, etc. When we have time, we open the discussion to many

from all over the planet for Q&A. The purpose of the show certainly is to spread the truth of the science/art of real astrology, but moreover: in these dark times, we are here to support each other and emphasize the phenomenal rate of the growth of the spiritual movement. We hope you find encouragement here.

To join us, simply go to: Starself. com/Unplugged. You'll find the links there. We are on free every Thursday night from 8:00 – 9:30 pm, Eastern. If you miss us, all shows are repeated for free on YouTube. https://www.youtube.com/user/rickdicl/videos Or, under my name, Rick DiClemente, simply search for Astrology Unplugged.

East Suburban Spiritual Connection

Group Facilitators, Irina Grundler & Kathi Wilcox

Eastern Suburban Spiritual Connection is a relatively young metaphysical meetup group; it was organized about two years ago by Kathi Wilcox and myself (Irina Grundler). I have always been interested in different metaphysical events and in hanging out with other folks who "talk" metaphysical language, but many of them reside in the southern suburbs of Pittsburgh.

Still I knew some spiritually openminded people who live in the eastern suburbs and was confident that there were many more whom I did not know, so the goal was to bring them all together, to organize regular meetings and

invite interesting speakers to present at these meetings in the area where we live.

It worked! Now as a group we decide what topics we would like to learn about and discuss. Over the last two years we had some great meetings and presenters.

Here's just some of them: Lilli Leonardi shared her angelic experiences amidst the 911 tragedy; Kelly Haywiser presented her new book and practical ways to manage life's challenges; talented Vanessa Beggs performed amazing spiritual music at a Christmas meetup; Carol Briney taught how to transform the ordinary into



www.pathtoawakening.net/

extraordinary in an easy and fun way.

We don't have any specific plans for the future other than to continue doing what we have been doing.

All spiritual seekers are welcome to attend our meetings regardless of where you might live!

Here's how to find us: We meet on every second Wednesday of the month from 7 pm to 9 pm at Monroeville Public Library.

To receive updates on our events please join East Suburban Spiritual Connection Group on facebook https://www.facebook. com/groups/1700518750161579/







Worship Jam is a unique adventure in collaborative worship. Singing, drumming, musical improvisation, body prayer, and sacred circle dancing in a format based upon the Four Mystical Paths of Creation Spirituality.

Each activity and path leads the group into deeper layers of the wisdom theme of the day. Conversation, art, chanting and other forms of spiritual inquiry offer a way for members of the group to enlighten each other.

The group provides a unique opportunity to connect with the divine, creation, and each other. Bring an instrument. Bring your imagination. Bring your spontaneous soul and join us on Wednesdays (7pm) at the First United Methodist Church 5401 Centre Ave, Pittsburgh, PA 15232

A Course In Miracles by Sandy Esch

Manual for Teachers

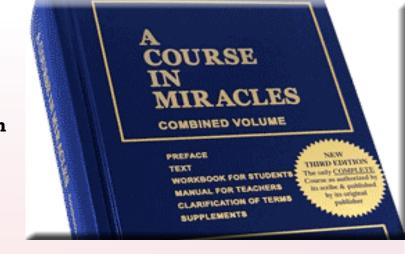
... There are no accidents in salvation. Those who are to meet will meet.

It was in the spring of 1994 when I was introduced to A Course In Miracles (ACIM). I was rushing around getting ready to go to work and my husband just happened to stop on Oprah as he was flipping through channels before going to answer the phone – yes, back in 1994 you went to a wall or desk to answer a phone - so that is when I caught just a few minutes of a woman with dark hair reading to Oprah from a book a psychic had written. The words I heard caught my attention; I felt I recognized them like I had written them myself!

A few minutes later while driving with my car-pool friend, I told her about this woman – whose name I didn't know, and the book she was talking about – whose title I didn't know - and how it resonated with me big time! And as synchronicity would have it - my friend handed me Return to Love by Marianne Williams, and said she saw it in the bookstore the day before. I recognized Marianne, as the guest on Oprah and ACIM was the book she was talking about

From the beginning the book talked to me. To this day I refer to it to seek understanding and guidance as I do with good friends. I hear intonations, humor, and sarcasm. The understanding it has given to me by expressing to me: True Forgiveness, Faith in the Sonship and Trust in the Creator, has brought to my realization my "beingness" and the reason for challenges, or you could say, the reason for physicality.

ACIM has three sections: the Text, the Workbook and the Manual for Teachers. When I do the exercises in the workbook (I've been through them multiple times) I'm humbled by the profound wording Trust in the exercises. I feel how precise each word is in producing an exact emotion that stimulates a subconscious fear into awareness as



it empowers in the Creator, increasing willingness to give time to experiencing the challenges. Now I realize challenges are just the set-ups for allowing the expression of miracle energy, as fears are faced and given to peace.

LESSON 122

Forgiveness offers everything I want.

... Here is the answer! Would you stand outside while all of Heaven waits for you within? Forgive and be forgiven. As you give you will receive. There is no plan but this for the salvation of the Son of God. Let us today rejoice that this is so, for here we have an answer, clear and plain, beyond deceit in its simplicity. All the complexities the world has spun of fragile cobwebs disappear before the power and the majesty of this extremely simple statement of the truth.

In sincere gratitude for the revelations I have received I share time with others, to extend the miracle expression through the study of the ACIM. For more information regarding the meetings, especially if you feel you'd like to join, please email: esch.sandy@gmail.com

Editor's note: Here are a few local ACIM groups:

- www.meetup.com/acim-295/ Mt Lebanon
- Unity Members Wednesday nights at 7pm unityofpittsburgh.org/happenings
- Lookup ~ www.miraclecenter.org/services/study_groupsfip-index.php

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www.miraclecenter.org/a-course-in-miracles/M-3.php www.miraclecenter.org/a-course-in-miracles/W-pl.122.php

Transmission Meditation

A Meditation for the Times

by Shiela Forester

This new era of Aquarius will usher in a time of group consciousness and a greater capacity to love and serve others. What activity could be more suitable to these Aquarian Age values than a group meditation, where all are welcome, which never charges a fee to participate and facilitates sending positive, transformational, spiritual energies to the entire world for the good of all? Transmission Meditation – and it's primer is Benjamin Creme's book: Transmission: A Meditation for the New Age.* - a handbook for those ready to integrate meditation and service into their lives.

Transmission Meditation, now with more than 600 groups in 40 countries, are richly diverse with people from all backgrounds who have found a door through which they can step on to a path of service to the world, that at the same time transforms their personal lives.

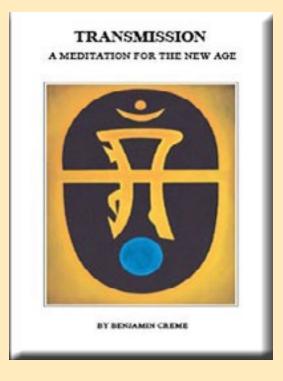
Totally unsung, these groups make up a network of Light around the planet. In Pittsburgh there are three such groups in Oakland, Highland Park and Shaler Twp.

Although the primary purpose is the world service it provides, **Transmission Meditation** has a wonderful secondary effect on the group itself. As **Transmission Meditation helps**

to increase Soul contact, many people find they can experience and demonstrate love more easily. Others report that their mind is more stimulated and creative. People find their purpose for being. Group member Mary Beth tells: "After a few years of Transmission Meditation, I had a family member tell me that I had become much kinder! I laughed, but realized they were right, and my outlook had become so much more positive as well". Paul shares: "there is a huge energy exchange that occurs without much effort at all. The effects of this can be felt for days after the meditation".

Most people find, if they give it a chance and a little time. Transmission Meditation becomes a special and important part in their lives. Mary Beth: "I haven't stopped doing Transmission Meditation since I first tried it almost twenty years ago...it's all about the energies of Love, Wisdom, Intelligence and Will. The personal growth one can realize in only a few years of regular practice is in itself a great reason to join a Transmission Meditation group".

Transmission Meditation groups respect free will. Paul: "There is total acceptance of anyone that walks in the door. All are genuinely welcome.



No stuffiness or righteousness about anything... no expectations or judgements. Come when you like, leave when you like, sit as you like".

You can learn more about this simple yet potent meditation, and join this network of Light at www.transmissionmeditation. org; contact 412-952-7974 (phone or text) or go to our Meetup Site: www.meetup. com/Pittsburgh-Transmission-Meditation/.

*For a free download, please go

http://www.share-international. org/books/PDFs/BCreme



Peaceful Gathering of Hands Community

https://www.facebook.com/groups/125180441017611/

The "Peaceful Gathering of Hands" is an annual event which brings together diverse groups and individuals interested in creating a more peaceful, healthy, sustainable city.

We had our first gathering on May 21st, 2011 which brought approximately 125 people from all across the city into a giant "Peace Circle." For one minute, we all held hands in silence. We let go of everything that separates us, and joined together in unity.

It was a profound experience for everyone who attended.

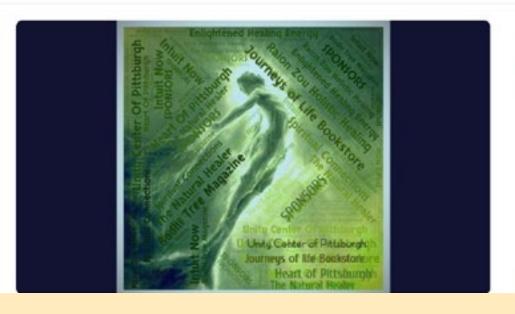
Since our 1st gathering at Schenley Oval, we have continued the tradition, though each year has been unique. The location has shifted several times, including The Point and Frick Park. 2019's gathering will be back at Schenley Oval Meadow, overlooking our beautiful skyline.

We like to call our city Peaceburgh. We acknowledge that there are still many challenges including violence, inequality, and environmental degradation, though we choose to focus our energy on building a positive future for our city.

Hundreds of friendships have been formed through our annual gatherings and our smaller potlucks and related gatherings.



Please join our <u>Facebook Group</u> to stay updated on inspiring weekly events, and join us at our big 9th Annual Gathering in June. please join our mail list, contact - Philo Lila - Philopgh@gmail.com) - https://tinyurl.com/y426tng7



The Pittsburgh **Metaphysics Meetup** Group

- Pittsburgh, PA
- & 1,386 members · Public group @
- Organized by Suzanne Bishop and 28 others







What we're about

https://www.meetup.com/The-Pittsburgh-Metaphysics-Meetup-Group/

Meet other people from Pittsburgh and surrounding areas interested in exploring metaphysics. We can cover anything from holistic modalities, quantum physics, self-healing, energy work, meditation, modern shamanism to the search for enlightenment and more. The word cloud you see for our primary group image contains all of our current sponsors. We appreciate them!

The word "metaphysics" derives from the Greek (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ancient Greek) words μετά (metá (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Meta), "beyond", "upon" or "after") and φυσικά (physiká, "physics").

Everyone is welcome! This group is about exploring new possibilities, going deeper, and having

Enjoy creating friendships with others on a spiritual journey. Come out and get together at one of our events. See you soon!

Visit us on our FaceBook page at https://www.facebook.com/groups/1693476997543676/ Here you can join us to become a FaceBook group member or post your event.

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OMA Center for Mind Body Spirit

OMA Center for Mind, Body, and Spirit is a nonprofit organization devoted to holistic wellness for all people. We currently offer a bi-monthly lecture series, periodic workshops, and special events. It was a delight to host Marianne Williamson in May 2018. **Events are scheduled at Twentieth Century Club** 4201 Bigelow Boulevard, Pittsburgh, PA. 15213 There is free off street parking nearby after 6pm. Our name OMA represents the Ohio, Monongahela, and Allegheny Rivers at the Point in Pittsburgh. We have been blessed to experience many 'unusual' occurrences of how the amazing power of love, faith, and creativity can promote healing within us and then manifest as energetic comnnections to those around us.



http://omapittsburgh.org/

We believe that this same possibility lives and begins within each of us.

Through experiential education and clinical resources OMA provides all individuals opportunities.

We are here to bridge the gap between where you are and where you want to go on your journey of mind, body and spirit.



<u>Raion Zou Holistic</u> Healing

is both a low-cost holistic healing practice dedicated to healing of the mind, body, and spirit through alternative and complementary healing methods, but also, a center for fellowship and learning.

Raion Zou (pronounced 'Rye-Ohn Zoo') hosts numerous meet-ups, including Tribe Raion Zou and Metaphysical Meet-Up. Experience the Free Reiki Clinic on the 1st Saturday of every month and Reiki Share on every New Moon.

It is the all-inclusive West Hills home to classes, seminars, and events aimed at both training of Reiki and Shamanic Practitioners, as well as, personal development, self-healing, and healing beyond the limitations of the physical body.

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We firmly believe in public education and public advocacy, as well as, local community involvement. Giving back as much as possible to create a vibrant community is part of its philanthropic mission. Likewise, we have been blessed to give back both locally, as well as, nationally through events aimed at supporting marginalized and underprivileged populations. Raion Zou has an open door policy during operating hours, inviting all members of the local and metaphysical community to join them in coffee and conversation. https://www.raionzou.com/