

NEWSLETTER

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Oneness of Spirit - Relationships

Greetings, Dear Ones:



Reverend Wyldflower

I want to personally invite all members to our membership meeting following the first Sunday Celebration in February. All Centers for Spiritual Living have a legal requirement in their bylaws to have an

annual meeting of the members of each Spiritual Center. At this meeting we present the actions of the board for the past year and ask for your approval. In addition, we present the treasurer's report so that you can know where and how your donations have been spent. This year, we will also have the report from the survey and from the Focus Group conducted in January. We are looking forward to celebrating together the year just past and the one ahead!

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This year is a momentous one for the Religious Science movement. For the first time in over 50 years, our movement will be One again. When Religious Science split into two groups largely because of differing ideas about organizational structure— the United and the International Centers came into being during the 1950's.

Plans were immediately being made to mend the rift. Some have said that this would happen when all those who created the split have died and no one could remember why we were apart. Ernest Holmes writing to Raymond Charles Barker stated "I know the whole thing will come back together when the right time comes, because it is the logical thing to do, and I think, in the long run, common sense usually wins."

At the upcoming leadership meeting in San Diego this February 27th to March 4th, Reverend Gail and I will cast our votes for integration of the two organizations by voting on the legal documents that allow Integration to become a reality. We will be driving down and staying with family while Jo Williams and the Spiritual Coaches hold the high watch for our Center. Thank you to all who sponsored or purchased tickets to the Matthew Fox event to make our participation possible.

It has said that if our movement, which so believes in Oneness, cannot come together *in Oneness*, then there is no hope for

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Explore Stanford Inn



Waterfall Statuary

First Sunday Stanford Inn



Our first MCSL Sunday Celebration at Stanford Inn filled the room.



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COACH'S CORNER



Brigitta D'Amato

A New Thought

Hello there, you in the first weeks of a freshly hatched year!

Just so you know, I predict that this is going to be one of the most astonishing years ever!

Actually, that's not true. Years have no capacity to be astonishing, they are neutral. A year is simply a man-made collection of 365 empty, neutral and un-astonishing days.

You and I are the only ones who have the capacity to be astonishing...!

You and I will fill those 365 days with the power of our consciousness - all the way from:

*alarming to amazing,
bored to brilliant,
criticizing to content,
depressed to delighted,
enervated to exhilarated,
festering to frolicking,
growling to grateful,
harried to healed,
irritated to illuminated,
judgmental to joyous,
kaput to knowledgeable,*



Exploring Our New Home

Our children's group has been growing. Thanks to all those who spread the Word about our center. We are looking for more volunteer teachers. If you'd like to spend some time with these wonderful children, call me. You will receive half-price on an accredited class for the month you have volunteered, plus a free CD of the service.

The beautiful banner created by the children with Ancha's direction was presented to the Center in December. It's exciting to be in a new space. If anyone has small easily stored tables and chairs, we could use them for the younger children. I am loving the new storage space and being able to stand upright in it.

We are now still in our celebrations curriculum. In January we celebrated Epiphany (Jan. 6), the 3 wise men following the light of their inner wisdom to adore the baby. For Martin Luther King Day., we celebrated freedom and respect and the children wrote a song and sang it for the adults.

If anyone has a particular holiday or celebration to share with the children, please contact me. Thank you everyone for your love and support. Anyone interested in attending a teenage class, please let me know.

Rebecca Aum 964-6841

Love and Peace to all,

Rebecca Aum, Youth Director

*lethargic to light-hearted,
meaningless to magnificent,
nagging to Namaste,
oppressed to optimistic,
parched to pleased,
quarrelsome to quiet,
ridiculous to radiant,
suicidal to serene,
tethered to tremendous,
unlovable to unlimited,
vitriolic to victorious,
wasted to welcome,
xenophobic to (e)xquisite,
yoked to youthful,
zero to zenith!*

What are your obvious (and subconscious...) intentions for filling those days?

Can you imagine looking back on 2011 (same time next year) and seeing your 365 days crammed full with love, fun, health, success and abundance?

Don't wait for this year to supply any of it; years can give you nothing. Only you can.

So let's forget about the traditional and fatalistic wish of "Happy 2011!"

How about something closer to the truth like "Happy YOU in 2011!"

Brigitta D'Amato

All members are invited to attend the annual Membership Meeting of the Center for Spiritual Living, Sunday, Feb. 6.

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To become an official MCSL Member, fill out the membership forms available at Sunday Celebration, Stanford Inn. Form also online at http://mendocinocsl.org/MCSL_Membership_Application_distributed_0001.pdf

Membership Meeting & Luncheon (Free) Sunday Feb. 6 ~ 12:20 - 2 pm Following Sunday Celebration Stanford Inn Dining Room

All members are invited to attend the annual Membership Meeting of the Center for Spiritual Living.

The Annual MCSL Membership Meeting will be held Sunday, February 6th at 12:30pm following Celebration. Each year we hold a Membership Meeting to celebrate the accomplishments of the previous year, to give our membership the opportunity to review the actions taken by your Board of Trustees, and to celebrate our new members.

At this upcoming meeting, you will hear the President's report of our Center's activities and accomplishments as well as a review of our financial expenditures and revenues in the Treasurer's Report. In addition, we will have reports from our Assistant Minister Reverend Gail and other board members.

Stanford Inn, our gracious hosts, will be catering the Membership Meeting. An accurate count of attendees is needed no later than Monday, January 31.

Please call Jo at 937-2779 or email jo@healthandvitalityforall.com to reserve your seat.

If you are not yet a member, but would like to become one, please fill out an official Membership Form at Sunday Celebration and give it to Jo.

We look forward to celebrating with you!

Membership Meeting & Free Luncheon:
Reservation deadline: January 31.

Contact Jo Williams to reserve your seat:
937.2779, or jo@healthandvitalityforall.com

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the rest of the world. Our Center is in agreement. This integration will double our ranks, freeing our two organizations from duplicate efforts and move us more fully into the world with our message of Oneness. There is so much good we can do together. We are moving from just teaching the Principle of Oneness, into a wholly new *practice* of Oneness.

In our 50+ years apart, our organizations have developed two cultures and a variety of ways to extend our teaching in the world. The process of coming together has revealed that each organization has strengths that can be incorporated into the new organization—where a greater possibility than either has realized apart, exists to take us forward. We may not see immediate changes in our home community but ultimately, the unification will result in our having a more coherent and powerful expression in the world.

Dr. Kathy Hearn, UCSL Community Spiritual Leader states: This is a call to greatness here for all of us. We will discover the path we are walking as we walk it. The greatest benefit is that we will know we are one, and can finally present one organization to the world. Integration is just a beginning. It is a most necessary and precious first step.

Dr. Kenn Gordon, ICSL President states: Integration is spiritual practice. The unity Dr. Holmes talks of is a unity with our own higher power; there is only One! One! One! Therefore it is our spiritual practice to unify with all of life, since all of life is one. It is time for us to move forward. We will be better able to turn our time, talent and treasure toward the next vision and direction guided by Spirit; spreading the message of Science of Mind to the world, and in so doing we will support the world in awakening, and help lead a new paradigm where we experience a world that works for everyone."

Under this one banner and through our Oneness of Spirit we certainly do amazing and wonderful things in the world.

And so it is!

Reverend Tanya Wyldflower

SUNDAY CELEBRATION

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10:30 AM: Meditation ~ 11:00 AM Sunday Service ~ 11:15 AM: Youth School

STANFORD INN, Comptche-Ukiah Road off Hwy 1

FEBRUARY 2011 CALENDAR

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	TH	FRI	SAT
30 (Jan) Speaker Matthew Fox "Creation Spirituality" Hill House 1st Floor Room 11 AM — Matthew Fox "New Spirituality for the 21st Century" Hill House, 2 - 5 PM —	31 (Jan) SOM 218: 1:30-4:30 PM Book Study "It's All God" Reverend Wyldflower's Home 20751 Dennison Lane, FB	1 "A Course in Miracles" Study Group - 1-2 pm NEW! Home of Louise Boedecker 44900 Pine, Mendocino —	2	3	4	5
6 Speaker Reverend Wyldflower "My Religion is Kindness" — Membership Meeting 12:30 - 2:00 PM Stanford Inn Dining room ~ Page 3	7 SOM 218: 1:30-4:30 PM Book Study "It's All God" Reverend Wyldflower's Home 20751 Dennison Lane, FB	8 "A Course in Miracles" Study Group - 1-2 pm NEW! Home of Louise Boedecker 44900 Pine, Mendocino — Board Meeting 2:30 - 4:30 PM Mendocino Hotel <i>Everyone is encouraged to attend</i>	9	10	11	12
13 Speaker Jim Williams "The Heart of the Matter" —	14 SOM 218: 1:30-4:30 PM Book Study "It's All God" Reverend Wyldflower's Home 20751 Dennison Lane, FB	15 "A Course in Miracles" Study Group - 1-2 pm NEW! Home of Louise Boedecker 44900 Pine, Mendocino —	16	17	18 Spiritual Cinema "Awakening in the NOW" ~ Eckhart Tolle 7 - 8:30 PM ~ See Page 5	19
20 Speaker Reverend Wyldflower "Is Your God Too Small?" —	21 SOM 218: 1:30-4:30 PM Book Study "It's All God" Reverend Wyldflower's Home 20751 Dennison Lane, FB	22 "A Course in Miracles" Study Group - 1-2 pm NEW! Home of Louise Boedecker 44900 Pine, Mendocino —	23	24	25 Spiritual Practices "Divine Guidance" Reverend Wyldflower 7-8 pm - See Page 5	26
27 Speaker Reverend Ruth Barnhart "To Be or Not To Be: Uncovering & Expressing Our True Nature" — Birthday Sunday	28 SKIP SOM 218 UNTIL NEXT WEEK	1 (Mar) "A Course in Miracles" Study Group - 1-2 pm Home of Louise Boedecker 44900 Pine, Mendocino —	2	3	February Birthdays	
					Lynda Powell	16
					Tim Mannix	19
					Roberta Belson	24
					Carole Freeman	24
					Patricia Pryor	27
					Sev Ickes	28

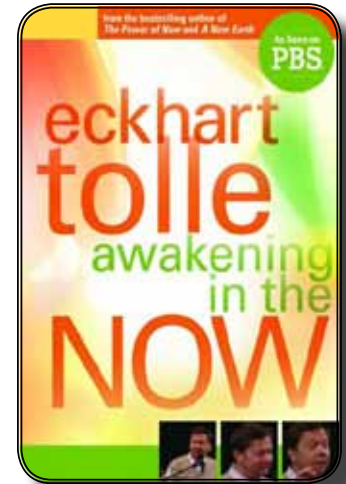
Presider	Music	Spiritual Coach	SCHEDULE for Upcoming Accredited Classes & Book Studies			
6	Justin Calvino	Danny Barca	George D'Amato	Jan 10-Feb 28	SOM 218 : Book Study	"It's All God" by Walter Starcke
13	Steve Ryals	Scott Kidd	JoAnn SkyWatcher	Mar-May 2011	SOM 103	"Building a Healing Consciousness"
20	Carolyne Cathey	Danny Barca	Rev. Johnson	Mar-May 2011	SOM 208: Book Study	Essays by Emerson
27	Richard Millis	Steve Easterling & Rose Kennedy	Wysteria Owen	June 2011	SOM 219: Book Study	"It's the Magic of the Soul" ~Patrick Harbula
				Sept 2011	SOM 207: Book Study	"Edinburg Lectures" by Troward

SPIRITUAL CINEMA NIGHT

Friday, February 18
7 - 8:30 PM

“awakening in the NOW”- eckhart tolle

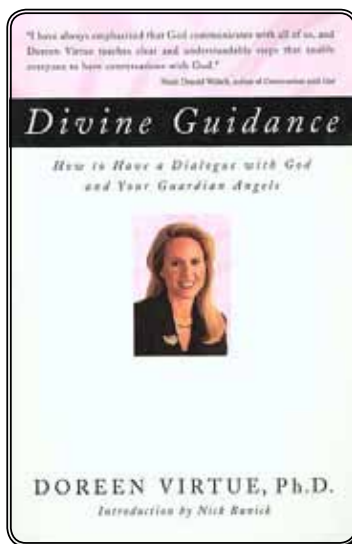
Banish anxiety and welcome joy into your life with this illuminating lecture by spiritual guide Eckhart Tolle, who explains profound concepts such as liberating the ego, aligning with the now and awakening to yourself. Throughout this stimulating encounter, the best-selling author explains how individuals can create a better world by tuning into the present instead of obsessing about the past and the future.



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SPIRITUAL PRACTICES: DIVINE GUIDANCE

LOVE DONATIONS WELCOME



Rev. Tanya Wyldflower

Friday, February 25
7-8 PM
Stanford Inn

DIVINE GUIDANCE:
HOW TO HAVE A DIALOGUE WITH GOD...

We are in constant contact with Divine Guidance but how do you experience it? This evening will help you discover your divine communication style and learn how to open the channels of Divine Communication. Based on the book of the same title by Doreen Virtue, We will explore the 4 main ways we receive information from Source:

- 1) Clairvoyance: Pictures or visions of guidance;
- 2) Clairaudience: Listening to the voice of guidance;
- 3) Clairsentience: Gut feelings, hunches and spiritual sensing;
- 4) Claircognizance: A sure and certain knowingness.

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MCSL 2010 Year-End Financials

Mendocino Center for Spiritual Living Profit & Loss January through December 2010

	Jan - Dec 10
Income	
Adopt-a-Highway	190.00
Book Study	603.00
Book, Tape & Mag Sales	-17.99
Books sold	1,656.96
Calendar sales	5.00
CD's (Bookstore)	311.00
CD's (Service)	642.00
Childrens Fund	40.77
Classes	
Course in Miracles	1,182.58
SOM 101	530.00
SOM 102	285.00
SOM 104	1,106.51
SOM 203	1,078.00
SOM 204	30.00
SOM 300	150.00
Total Classes	4,362.09
Donated In Kind-Goods	300.00
Donations and Tithes	30,758.88
Holiday Photos	169.00
Holiday Prints & Cards	56.25
Interest Inc	16.93
Magazine Sales	174.00
Movie Rental	10.00
Newsletter Income	575.00
Other Income	131.00
Picnic	67.00
Raffle	85.00
Restricted Donations	341.00
Scholarships	300.00
Special Events	
Concert 4/1-	440.00
Holiday Party	2,180.00
Silent Auction	1,738.00
TGTM	495.00
Water Movies	120.00
Yard Sale	1,243.62
Zevada Concert	384.00
Total Special Events	6,600.62
Spiritual Cinema	603.08
Subscriptions	135.00
T Shirts, etc.	12.00
Workshops	
Circles of Trust	148.00
Communicating with Higher Self	130.00
Compassionate Listening	167.00
Concious Relationships	330.00
Getting Organized	180.00
Reiki	2,953.50
Reiki Practice	30.00
Sing the Steps to Oneness	158.00
Spiritual Practices	539.00
Workshops - Other	45.00
Total Workshops	4,680.50
Total Income	52,808.09

Expense	
Accreditation Fee's	140.00
Administration	3,000.00
Administrative Assistant	600.00
Advertising	240.00
Art Supplies	12.01
Beverages	60.00
Bookkeeping	1,800.00
Books Purchased	1,598.19
CD's (blank)	55.89
CD's (music)	414.00
Computer Software	128.00
Counseling	50.00
Decorations	58.28
Dinner	2,180.00
Donated Materials & supplies	300.00
Donations, Chairitable	465.00
DVD's for Spiritual Cinema	204.13
Education	10.00
Equipment Rental	55.03
Gifts Given	40.00
Holiday Cards	101.75
Housing Allowance	18,000.00
Housing for performers	175.38
Instructor	1,679.19
Insurance	355.32
Licenses & Fees	475.00
Magazines purchased	487.44
Meals	624.65
Ministerial Conferences	900.00
Miscellaneous	25.99
Music	2,771.40
Newsletter editor	1,500.00
Office Supplies	
Computer Supplies	467.33
Stationery & Paper	159.09
Office Supplies - Other	170.42
Total Office Supplies	796.84
Other Expense	88.64
Pledge	1,800.00
Po Box Rental	44.00
Postage	244.68
Printing	1,930.83
Programs	26.50
Promotional Items	388.83
Rent, Chapel	4,200.00
Sales Tax Expense	657.09
Setup	1,160.50
Shipping & Handling	2.07
Speakers	4,250.00
Supplies	
Paper cups, etc.	37.62
Supplies - Other	45.12
Total Supplies	82.74
Travel & Entertainment	
Lodging	913.05
Travel	415.40
Total Travel & Entertainment	1,328.45
Utilities	
Telephone	455.23
Total Utilities	455.23
Volunteer meals	40.00
Work Shop	
Visioning	16.95
Total Work Shop	16.95
Youth Director	1,200.00
Youth Expense	270.79
Total Expense	57,490.79
Net Income	-4,682.70

Mendocino Center for Spiritual Living Balance Sheet As of December 31, 2010

	Dec 31, 10
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
FBCU - checking 76	1,533.58
FBCU - shares	3,761.38
Petty Cash Account	3.49
Total Checking/Savings	5,298.45
Total Current Assets	5,298.45
Fixed Assets	
Furniture & Fixtures	145.89
Total Fixed Assets	145.89
Other Assets	
Educational Fund	-100.00
Total Other Assets	-100.00
TOTAL ASSETS	5,344.34
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	
Accounts Payable	
Accounts Payable	-55.50
Total Accounts Payable	-55.50
Credit Cards	
FBCU Visa	175.38
Total Credit Cards	175.38
Total Current Liabilities	119.88
Total Liabilities	119.88
Equity	
Opening Bal Equity	4,683.04
Retained Earnings	5,224.12
Net Income	-4,682.70
Total Equity	5,224.46
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	5,344.34



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