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CD's: Several CD's are available from a variety of sources. Including Katherine O'Brien singing all three versions of The Great Invocation, works by Harold Moses and Dr M.D. Robbins.

Mouse Pads featuring a photo of The meditation Temple and the words of The Great Invocation.

Last words...

Thanks to Daryl Fell, Kitt Littlejohn and Ngarie Worsley for their contribution to the Board of Christ College. We have greatly appreciated their contributions.

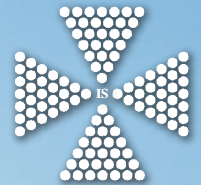
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Thank to Lotti for her contributions to Spot On. Due to illness, it is unlikely that Lotti will be able to continue with the Spot On column. If anyone is interested in filling this role, please let us know.

The newsletter is open to all other esoteric groups – all articles will be considered – we look forward to hearing from you. The next newsletter comes out in March.

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The power of gratitude

In a previous issue of this Newsletter, I wrote an article on gratitude. This current article will address the **misconceptions** that block gratitude.



Peace poles,
Christ College.

Gratitude is our birth right. We can have it all the time. No one can stop us from taking as much as we want.

Most people, as part of their childhood training, were encouraged to express gratitude. The simplest form of this training was to say “ta” or thank you when receiving from others. Often the training came in some form of: “You should feel grateful”. Some of us may have a memory of the loaded judgement: “You are ungrateful”.

This later form of training presents the greatest block to gratitude. This is because gratitude, in this context is neither free nor valuable. Instead, there is a sense of obligation attached to it: gratitude is something that you should feel. It is not valuable in this context because it is not retained, but is given away.

Because of this experience, I think most of us do not value gratitude. We do not think of it and, therefore, do not affirm it. Our most likely assessment of ourselves is: “I could be or should be more grateful”.

There is great benefit for us and others if these misconceptions about gratitude are reversed and the cultivation of gratitude becomes a dominant theme in our lives. Gratitude, like love, is free. We can have as much of it as we want. Gratitude is heart energy. Therefore, its qualities are a mixture of love, power and courage. We can fill

ourselves with it simply by saying: “I am so very grateful”. In doing so, we identify with it and become it.

By filling ourselves with gratitude most of life’s problems fade away. I will give you an example from my life: a few years ago, I was directing a building project. I felt the builder was perfectly executing the design, but I was frustrated by the seemingly endless delays, cost over-runs and dishonesty of the builder. At the end of a particularly frustrating day, I found myself driving home in an angry and resentful state of being. A stream of critical thoughts were in my head.

Then, I remembered gratitude. For about fifteen minutes I verbalised gratitude for everything I was aware of. Some of my statements were comical: I expressed gratitude for the fence posts at the side of the road, for the smell of the exhaust pipe, for the sound of the wind. Eventually, I was swept by and expressed gratitude for the builder and every experience that I had had with him. And, then I expressed gratitude for me: my loving, my stubbornness, my anger, my persistence, etc. At the end of this experience, there was such an abiding sense of peace and acceptance. It felt as if all the tension which I had been carrying had been removed from me.

Gratitude is our birth right. We can have it all the time. No one can stop us from taking as much as we want. The more we take gratitude on board, the more we empower ourselves to stand free of all limitations. Gratitude opens up the channel for higher energies to flow into us: the energies of the soul surfs in on waves of gratitude.

Once we are filled with gratitude, we are ready to solve our most pressing problems: relationship problems. Whether silently or verbally expressed, gratitude for another person opens a heart channel to that person. It becomes possible for you and the other person to express the good that you hold. Enough gratitude expressed, makes the old problematic relationship pattern obsolete.

Gratitude grows with exercise. So, every day find moments to consciously express gratitude. Reverse the old conditioning about how you should be grateful and affirm:

I Am Grateful.

Lawson Bracewell

Spot On

I just want to say:

I see you. Putting all the words about light workers, souls, service, consciousness to one side; I know who you are. Each one of you that I meet, I see you carrying the light.

I saw it in your smile. I saw it in the way you touched that child. I heard it in your voice when you answered my question. I felt it as we walked passed each other. I tasted it in the food you prepared for me.

In each of those contacts, I felt a moment of stillness. You carried this stillness. You were so present in the moment that I became more present as well. In that moment the past became connected to the future.

I feel so very blessed to know each one of you. I feel like the child that I was and am: dancing with the fairies at the bottom of my mother’s garden. You are the light beings that I have always seen.

Leonie Fanthorpe

Mantram Of The Disciple

I am a point of light within a greater Light.
I am a strand of loving energy within the stream of Love divine.
I am a point of sacrificial Fire, focused within the fiery Will of God.
And thus I stand.
I am a way by which men may achieve.
I am a source of strength, enabling them to stand.
I am a beam of light, shining upon their way.



And thus I stand.
And standing thus revolve
And tread this way the ways of men.
And know the ways of God.
And thus I stand.

Mantra Of The Will



In the centre of the Will of God I stand.
Naught shall deflect my will from His.

I implement that will by Love.
I turn towards the field of service.
I, the Triangle divine,
work out that will
Within the square and serve my fellowmen.

The light

We stand within a powerful stream of energies, but, do we know what they are? We are presented with an opportunity, but, do we know what it is and will we seize it?



The Solstice was at 1:24pm on 22 December.

In the southern hemisphere it is the day of greatest light. It is the entry into the sign of Capricorn. It has always been the time when a world saviour comes into the world because the theme of Capricorn is the anchoring of a temple of light within the human form.

The Christian church set Jesus' birth as 25 December so that it

would fall within the sacred month of Capricorn. It was not set for the solstice so as to draw people away from the pagan celebrations set for that time.

We can choose to celebrate at this time both the birth of Jesus and also those who came before and after him to bring light into this darkened world. They are our inspiration. They reveal who we are.

This Solstice let us remember that we are souls. We are angelic beings wedded to our animal bodies. As souls, we are light beings on a mission to heal, redeem and release all we come in contact with.

And, as we remember, let us radiantly live what we remember. Our opportunity is to express the truth: we are temples of light. Let us look into each other's eyes and see the good. Let us look at fear until it loses itself in the light. And, let us give to each other what our souls cry out for. Let us love.

HAIKU

Francis Adams Moore

Aged, I bend again
Stretching the mental muscles
Forging coming years.

Words are messengers
The poem is the foretaste
Of insights to come.

Out of the silence
I heard your voice; winds of change
Shaping new patterns

The wink of the Moon
Abandoned shadows filter
Revealing secrets

Change

"Rhythm, ebb and flow, and the measured beat of the pulsating life are ever the law of the universe, and in learning to respond to the vibration of the high places this rhythmic periodicity must be borne in mind. The same law governs a human being, a planet, a solar system – all centres or focal points of energy in some greater life".

Treatise on White Magic p323 – A A Bailey

"Formation, transformation,
Eternal Minds eternal recreation".

Goethe, Faust Part II

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Counting to three in Sacred Geometry



"When the teachings of geometry are used to show the ancient truth that all life emerges from the same blueprint - the intelligent force some call "God" - this study is called Sacred Geometry. Understanding the simple truths of sacred geometry leads to an evolution of consciousness and an opening of the heart that is a next step in the process of human evolution"

The Flower of Life organisation¹



Architecture
is Geometry
in Space;
Music is
Geometry in
Time.

Although I agree with the view implied in this definition, I think that there is another viewpoint possible, namely that the causality can just as well be the other way around. By the evolution of consciousness and the realisation that all life emerges from the same blueprint, one can come to insights in the realm of sacred geometry. Or even stronger: one starts to realise that the Universal Intelligence and the Divine Order IS geometrical in essence.

The three essential aspects of sacred geometry are: Number, Proportion and Progression.

Numbers can be seen as the basic building blocks of the Universe; numbers are the essence of it. This idea can be found in many esoteric writings, but it was especially Pythagoras and Plato who elaborated on this idea and made it a central part of their philosophy.

Proportions specify the organisational and ordering principles of the Universe; it specifies how things are related to each other. It is interesting

to see that certain proportions manifest virtually everywhere. We find certain relationships in galaxies and solar systems that we also find in the human, animal, and plant kingdom and even at molecular or atomic level. And the same proportions that we see around us we do hear as well, as the musical intervals are based on the same proportions. That was the reason for Goethe to state: *Geometry is Frozen Music*. Many human creations like art and architecture use the same universal proportions as well, which can be summarised as: *Architecture is Geometry in Space; Music is Geometry in Time*.

The last aspect of Sacred Geometry is formed by the so-called progressions. Progressions specify how one geometrical form evolves from another and it shows how evolution takes place.

The first ten numbers are called the Decad and they are the basis for all other numbers. One often hears as a reason for our mathematics being based on ten numbers (the decimal

¹Founded by Drunvalo Melchizedek, author of *The Ancient Secret of the Flower of Life*

²This term can be best translated as *The Creator God*.



system) the fact that we have ten fingers and therefore it is easy to count in tens. However, it is more likely that ten-ness is inherent in the structure of the Universe and as a result of that we ended up having ten fingers!

In this small article, I will touch briefly upon the first three numbers that have a specially important meaning in sacred geometry. They are the basis of creation.

In many esoteric philosophies we find the basic premise that all life is one and everything is a manifestation of that same one. Plato teaches in *Timaeus* that the universe is one single living being made by the *Demiurge*² solely from numbers and combining those according to certain proportions. In general, esoteric philosophies agree that somehow the unmanifested One went into manifestation and will at some stage go back to being a Unity. In Hinduism this cycle of manifestation and returning to the unity is called the *Inbreath and Outbreath of Brahman*.

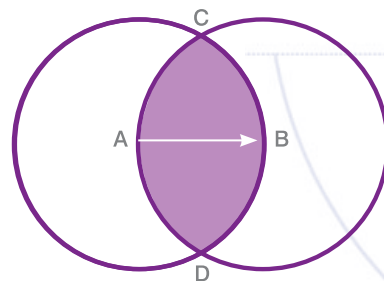
How can we now use sacred geometry and mathematics principles to try to get an understanding of this process of creation? Let's assume that in the beginning there was a *Void*; the one life had not manifested and was in an undifferentiated state. The Greek name for the number One is the Monad and this encompasses everything there is and will be. Mathematically we can symbolise that by the multiplication of the One as 11111111 x 11111111. The result of this multiplication is 12345678987654321, which shows that all other numbers (manifestations) are included in the Monad.

When the Monad becomes ready for manifestation, it has to go somehow from being Monad (one) to being Dyad (two). This

cannot be done by adding another Monad ($1 + 1 = 2$), because there is only one Monad, that encompasses everything. Multiplication of the Monad does not help either, because it stays the same Monad ($1 \times 1 = 1$). The ONLY way the Monad as undifferentiated and unmanifested beginning can go into manifestation and in duality is by mirroring. In Hinduism it is stated that the One, the Divine, divided himself within himself to form his own self-created opposite, the manifested Universe. *"The Universe is God regarding Himself"*.

Geometrically the One is often symbolised by the circle. A circle shows three essential aspects of the Monad: (1) equal expansion in all directions; a circle stays a circle when it does that, (2) rotary motion; this shows that the Monad has no beginning or end, and (3) maximum efficiency. The last element means that the circle is the most efficient form that one can make given a certain circumference. Any other form with the same circumference has a smaller surface area than the circle. (That, by the way, is the reason that one never should accept a square pizza, because it can hold less toppings; it is also the reason for manhole covers to be round, because that is the only way in which the lid cannot fall into the manhole).

If the Monad mirrors itself (as in Hinduism it is stated: *The Universe is God Regarding Himself*) it forfeits one of the essential aspects of the Monad, namely equal expansion in all directions and it mirrors itself on its circumference in one direction by creating a new centre there (B) to form a mirror image:



The overlapping (shaded) area in this figure is called the Vesica Pisces and it is a central symbol in sacred geometry. The Vesica Pisces symbolises the start of creation. It is a birth portal (hence the analogy with the shape of a vagina) that gives form to all manifestation. The first form to be manifested is the LINE, the essence of the Dyad, which connects the two centres of the circles A and B.

Interesting is that from this figure we can also deduct a very important universal law, namely *All Things Dual by Nature, Are Three By Principle*. The One, by "regarding itself" creates a mirror of itself and becomes the Two. However because of this, immediately two other points are created in the figure (C and D) that give rise to the formation of a TRIANGLE (ABC or ABD), which is the essence of the Triad.

"Where there is Two, there is Three". This principle is inherent in the manifested Universe: Every duality has in itself the relating aspect, which is synonymous with Consciousness or Love. This is the second aspect, related to the second Ray of Love and Wisdom. In the Bible this is nicely illustrated by the story in Genesis: Next to the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil (the Duality) is the Tree of Life (the consciousness aspect).

In this respect it is interesting to look at the word *Philosophy*. Pythagoras was the first one to use this word, which is based on the Greek words *Philein* – to love - and *Sophia* – wisdom. Philosophy is often translated as the Love for Wisdom, but there is a good reason to call it the Wisdom of Love, certainly when we see Love synonymous to Consciousness and the second aspect.

Wim Oosterhoff
Richmond, December 2006

Wim is available to do workshops on Sacred Geometry in your area.

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Benefits to being a friend of Christ College:

- Receive a newsletter
- 20% discount on all books in stock.
- Two nights per year accommodation in the cottage.

How do you join:

- Contact us.
- Make a regular automatic payment to meet Christ College expenses.

Join us in supporting this valuable work.



This is a photo of the communal table at Christ College – a perfect place for a summer picnic. There are plenty of places to enjoy at Christ College, the temple, the stream, the labyrinth, the table. Feel free to make use of the facilities over summer. All these facilities are available 24/7.

If you would like to rent Long Bay House or the cottage for a couple of days away please contact Lawson (355 1395, lawsonb@ihug.co.nz) – it is there for all to enjoy. The sunsets are stunning.

Challenges For New Zealand

The astrological chart of New Zealand has an Aries ascendant.

We are well aware of the self image and projection that this creates: a pioneering nation, a country of warriors and sporting heroes.



We have a
unique
and great
destiny.

Of ultimately greater importance is that the soul intention for this nation is carried within the Aries note. We are to become sensitive to the new ideas and to seed these ideas in others. We are to become pioneers in educational initiatives.

The Sabian Symbol for our ascendant is: **A Triangular Flight Of Wild Geese**. It is a symbol of our potential to present to the world a picture of cosmic order in contrast to mundane law and order. Within the heart of Maori teachings this cosmic order streams forth. Certainly it is presented within the Ageless Wisdom Teachings as presented by Alice Bailey.

The ninth house represents the Path, the Vision, higher knowledge and higher education, politics and the legal system. The NZ chart has the Moon in this house. Any planet transiting the Moon will create change in this area.

Between 18 January 2005 and 15 November 2006 Pluto has been conjunct the Moon. Pluto brings things deeply hidden to the surface. There is death and usually transformation. It is a process of deep healing.

If we look back we can see the many exposures of politicians and their actions. We have recently had a change of opposition party leadership due to leaked e-mails and revelation of questionable conduct. Our education system has been in crisis with revelations of the inadequacy of our secondary school qualification examination. The churches have faced revelation of sexual abuse in schools and institutions.

The Moon also symbolizes the indigenous people of a nation. Several iwi, particularly Ngai Tahu have been engaged in power struggles and threatened leadership coups. The Maori Queen has died and been replaced by her son.

The Ageless Wisdom Teachings lie hidden within the form of Maori story. It might have been hoped that they would have emerged into

the light of day because of the impact of the Pluto transit.

The emergence of a New Zealand vision may still happen due to an important progression of Mars to the Moon from September 2006 to March 2008. Mars rules the ascendant sign of Aries and it also rules the warrior indigenous people.

Anger is likely to emerge having to do with past grievances. A war of words may ensue in political situations. (Our opposition party will be particularly on the war path). We may more consciously take the path of the spiritual warrior.

Uranus is also transiting Neptune in the house of community groups, services and ideals. This began 24 February 2006 and ends 23 January 2007. The major effects of this transit, so far, have been: an increase in awareness of detrimental effects of drugs on the community (focusing primarily on cigarettes, party pills and P), an awareness of the effect of relying on the revenue from gambling machines to fund charities (the effects of gambling causes as much community distress as the charities alleviate) and an increased awareness of the challenges we face to manifest our ideals of community in the face of racial misunderstandings.

This transit was and is also a challenge to all community leaders. They must prove that they can successfully hold and express the ideals which have placed them in their position of power and responsibility. Some

Image courtesy of Virtual New Zealand:
<http://www.virtualoceania.net/nz>

have failed and been replaced. Others have emerged in strength.

Saturn is transiting the house of children, recreation and the arts. This occurs from August 2006 to October 2008. We are challenged to examine our relationship to children. (It appears that anti-smacking legislation is about to pass in parliament). The recreation sector of our economy (a large part of what our image is built around) is challenged to evaluate its structure, value and future development. (We are currently involved in a debate of the value of spending \$500 million on a sports stadium). And, we are being asked to evaluate how we support the arts and artists. Are we a creative and fun loving people?

New Zealand is also having its Jupiter Return which is every 12 years when Jupiter returns to the same place as in the chart. This is from December 2005 to 9 January 2007. It is a time of optimism. This has taken the form of economic optimism and buoyancy despite predictions to the contrary. We have also succeeded in hosting the World Rugby Cup in 2011. Throughout 2007 we will be encouraged to express the vision which it is our destiny to express.

From mid-March to mid-April 2007 the Moon will square Saturn in the progressed chart. We can expect some financial reality checks in that period. Some of this might be the real cost of stadium up-grade, or we might face child abuse statistics, or we might be forced to evaluate the job market or the health system.

All of these challenges for New Zealand are, in fact, opportunities for us to integrate as a nation. Although small, we have a unique and great destiny. Our opportunity is to see how we can serve the good of this country and also serve the greater good of Humanity.

International group for Creative meditation

Creative meditation, practiced individually or as part of a group, is key to the creation of a new society based on the qualities of the transpersonal working out in everyday relationships.



What our world needs today, above all else, is "right human relationships" - between individuals, groups and skills to achieve this goal. Through creative meditation we can build positively in thought and invoke those insights and ideas that will enable us to achieve right relations in everyday living. We can create those thought forms, which will influence telepathically our environment and the thought climate of all.

The Correspondence programme for training in Creative Meditation starts a new cycle every 21st December. Study papers come out every two months from the Sundial House Group in England and focus sequentially on the following themes.

THESE ARE:

Right Human Relationships

December 21st • February 20th

The Principle of Goodwill

February 21st • April 20th

Group Endeavour

April 21st • June 20th

The Principle of Unanimity

June 21st • August 20th

Spiritual Approach

August 21st • October 20th

The Principle of Essential Divinity

October 21st • December 20th

Each study paper focuses on building a foundational aspect of the process of creative meditation. You gently become skilled with the "everyday living rhythm" of meditation practice. The course administrators assign a personal mentor as a guide for the student to contact by email.

Roberto Assagioli MD, the founder of Psychosynthesis, Michael Eastcott and Nancy Magor, created the course over 50 years ago. RA wanted to design training in meditation that would be psychologically sound and able to be used by people of all religious and spiritual paths. In 2000, Janet and Paul Derwent and Heather Giles, became Trustees of the Sundial House Group for Creative Meditation, and a new impetus was created to make the work known on

an international scale. It is now being used in England, Italy, Portugal, America, South Africa, New Zealand and Australia. In New Zealand, the Triangle Centre (P.O. Box 25, Paekakariki) supports the work by stocking many of the texts that are used in the course.

The years' training costs: \$200.00. It may be paid in instalments to a bank account in NZ. To register, email Janet Derwent,

sundialcentre@talktalk.net. For more information in NZ, phone Anne Verity (03) 546 7552 or Barbara Gibb (04) 389 7706.

Creative Meditation Groups are meeting fortnightly in Mapua, Nelson. Phone Julie Ewer (03) 540 2705. In Nelson City at Fairfield House - Phone Trish Lynch (03) 539 4889. It is hoped to soon have a group up and running in Wellington, phone Barbara Gibb (04) 389 7706.

Esoteric Calendar 2007

Aquarius

22-28 Jan	Cosmic Fire workshop
18 Jan	New Moon
31 Jan	Esoteric Astrology course begins * (10 week course)
1 Feb	Full Moon
11 Feb	Esoteric Discussion - Geraldine
14-20 Feb	Language of Energy course
17 Feb	New Moon

Pisces

22 Feb	Meaning of Life Discussion begins*
3 Mar	Full Moon
18 Mar	New Moon

Esoteric Discussion: Now in Geraldine

Esoteric discussion days have been initiated by Annette in Geraldine. Please join Lawson and Annette for interesting talk and discussion.

11 FEBRUARY • 11 MARCH • 8 APRIL

Aries

21 Mar	Equinox (12.09 pm)
31 Mar -1 Apr	Aries Meditation Retreat
3 Apr	Full Moon
8 Apr	Esoteric Discussion - Geraldine
17 Apr	New Moon

Taurus

28-29 Apr	Wesak Meditation Retreat
2 May	Full Moon
10-15 May	Language of Energy course
16 May	New Moon

Gemini

31 May	Full Moon
2 - 3 Jun	Gemini Meditation Retreat
14 Jun	New Moon
16 June	Matariki

Cancer

22 June	Solstice (6.08 am)
30 June	Full Moon
14 Jul	New Moon

* Then every other Thursday

Full Moon

Dates and Times:

CAPRICORN: 3 January (4 Jan at 0258 hrs)
Keynote: *Lost am I in light supernal yet on that light I turn my back*

AQUARIUS: 1 February (2 Feb at 1846 hrs)
Keynote: *Waters of life am I poured forth for thirsty men*

PISCES: 3 March (4 Mar at 1218 hrs) +eclipse
Keynote: *I leave the Father's house, and turning back I save*

Solar Fire Meditation: Arts Centre at 7.30 pm

New Moon

Dates and Times:

CAPRICORN: 18 January (19 Jan at 1702 hrs)
Keynote: *Lost am I in light supernal yet on that light I turn my back*

AQUARIUS: 17 February (18 Feb at 0515 hrs)
Keynote: *Waters of life am I poured forth for thirsty men*

PISCES: 18 March (19 Mar at 1444 hrs) +eclipse
Keynote: *I leave the Father's house, and turning back I save*

Solar Fire Meditation: Arts Centre at 7.30 pm

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The Great Invocation

From the point of Light within the Mind of God
Let light stream forth into the minds of men.
Let Light descend on Earth.

From the point of Love within the Heart of God
Let love stream forth into the hearts of men.
May Christ return to Earth.

From the centre where the Will of God is known
Let purpose guide the little wills of men -
The purpose which the Masters know and serve.

From the centre which we call the race of men
Let the Plan of Love and Light work out.
And may it seal the door where evil dwells.

Let Light and Love and Power
restore the Plan on Earth.

OM OM OM



Meditation Temple

Meditations are held on the temple site (405 Long Bay Rd) at the time of the full moon.

Capricorn	3 January	4.00pm
Aquarius	2 February	5.00pm
Pisces	4 March	11.30am

Updates and Information

Christ College of Trans-Himalayan Wisdom

For further details on any of the following, contact Lawson (03) 355-1395

Statement of Financial Position: Nov 05 - Nov 06

INCOME	EXPENSES
Life Force (Body Balance) 9,665.50	Operational Expenses 6,278.00
Donations: 30,958.00	Courses and conference 6,278.00
Rent (cottage, Long Bay House) 580.00	Insurance 2,084.00
Grazing 1,000.00	Land expenses 15,848.00
GST Refunds 2,012.00	Professional fees 6,500.00
Insurance claim 900.00	Newsletter 1,337.00
Total \$50,485.50	Mortgage 17,056.00
	Total \$55,385.00

Expenditure over income (\$4,899.50)

Conference 2007

Idealism In Action 5 - 8 October '07

International speakers • Meditation • Workshops • Group Work

Venue: Arts Centre, Christchurch

Weddings & Christenings

The temple at christ college is an ideal venue for weddings or christenings. Both events are essentially spiritual. The temple stands free from all religion, but powerfully and beautifully supports all spiritual endeavours.

Long bay house is a fully equipped event venue. It can be hired for receptions or meeting space during the wedding or christening event.

Contact us for information on wedding and christening policy

Meaning of Events

Questions and answers about individual and collective issues.

Dialogue from a soul perspective.

7:00pm at the Arts Centre, Francis Shurrock Room

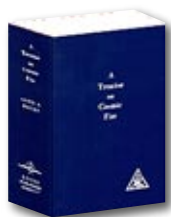
22nd Febrary 2007 - Then every other Thursday.

Facilitator: Lawson Bracewell

Christ College: **Study options**



All Welcome



Cosmic Fire Study Group

A TREATISE ON COSMIC FIRE by Alice Bailey is a book of such profundity that it can only be successfully studied by a group. It offers clues to all questions which the spiritual student might have. It is a study of fire within the personality, soul and spirit bodies.

An annual workshop will be facilitated by Michael Robbins.

Some of the topics covered in this workshop: the centres and the senses, the centres and initiation, the centres and kundalini, the centres and the rays and the Law of Economy and its subsidiary laws.

Both study group and workshop are open to new members.

Please contact Katherine or Lawson
Phone: 355 1395 • See also
www.christcollege.co.nz

Please join the study group... we meet fortnightly on Saturdays 9.30 – 11am at 30 Rutland Street.

Astrology Classes

Astrology for Beginners: This series of classes is for all beginners in Esoteric Astrology

ENROLL NOW! Classes commence on **31st Jan '07**
Wednesdays 7-9pm • 10 sessions • \$20 per class.
Lawson will again be presenting his dynamic and interactive astrology workshops.

Please book with Lawson on (03) 355 1395

Triangle Centre (Est. 1970)

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Cosmic Fire Workshop

22 – 28 January 2007

This is an opportunity to work with Michael Robbins who has studied the Blue Books – including Cosmic Fire – for over 40 years. Cosmic Fire is a fascinating treatise that covers the complexity of the three fires – Cosmic, Solar and Fire by Friction that make up the energetic universe. All are welcome.

Location: Christ College of THW
Contact Lawson: 03-355-1395

Language Of **Energy** Course

A nine-month programme leading to a Diploma in Esoteric Psychology

This diploma course is designed to increase your awareness of your Self/Soul.

Expand your understanding of universal principles as the essential wisdom of all philosophies.

Develop an understanding of Psychological, Ray and Astrological energies.

Techniques to increase your intuition bringing heart and mind together through meditation, psychology and ritual.

All of the subjects studied will be used as an aid to group processing.

- Are you interested in exploring your life direction?
- Do you wish to have increased sensitivity and skills in relationships and groups?
- Have you ever wanted to know more about Astrology?
- Does developing greater understanding of the growth process of people appeal to you?
- Would you like to better understand the energies of the subtle worlds and work with these to achieve greater satisfaction in life?

Dates for 2007

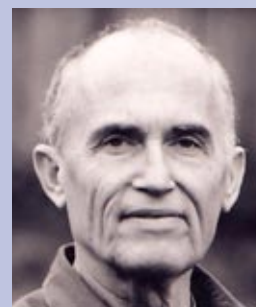
15-20 February, 10-15 May, 9-14 August, 15-20 November

Format: Four five-day residential intensives (one each 3 months) lead by three main tutors and supported by past students. To be held at Christ College of Trans-Himalayan Wisdom, Long Bay Rd, Akaroa.

Requirements: Monthly papers and reports plus a research paper. Payment of all course fees.

Cost: 4 intensives @ \$550 each (Payment terms are negotiable). Not included are accommodation, travel, food and textbook costs.

Please contact Lawson Bracewell 03-355-1395 or lawsonb@ihug.co.nz for more information



Lawson Bracewell *Astrologer*

Lawson is available for soul-centred astrology in Christchurch either in person or for taped readings. He has a natural ability to see to the heart of an individual and his focus is on revealing the soul's potential for the client and pointing out ways of allowing that to be expressed by the client.

For readings please contact him on:
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