

Moving to Higher Ground

If you are new

to the Golden Gate Center today, welcome! We are a spiritual community of people from many different paths who have come together to find deeper meaning for our lives through the teachings of *Science of Mind*. Our teachings are universal, spiritual laws that combine *New Thought* principles and ancient wisdom. *The Law of Attraction*, as taught in the popular film **The Secret**, is a basic law of the universe, which we teach and live by. Our motto is *Change Your Thinking: Change Your Life*. **We invite you to visit our Newcomer Table, right underneath the clock, to meet our minister or guest speaker.** If you have been looking for a spiritual community that can see you for the remarkable person you are, you have found it! Welcome home!

Order of Service

Prelude Music
Welcome & Chant
Spiritual Mind Treatment
Special Music
Blessing of the Children
Sunday Message & Inner Work
Special Music
Offering & Announcements
Welcoming Newcomers
Closing Prayer
Affirmation & Song

Moving to Higher Ground!

By embodying our **2008 theme of Moving to Higher Ground**, we are inviting the wisdom and love of Spirit to lead us into ways of being that are more compassionate, clear, and powerful.

Each month we will focus on "moving to higher ground" in an area of our lives:

January: Studying the Basic Principles

February: Loving One Another

March: Observing Nature

April: Letting Go of Old Ideas

May: Working with Teachers

June: Conscious Decision-Making

July: Sacred Writing

August: Going Deeper

September: Creative Expression

October: Making Peace

November: Sharing What We Have

December: Coming Home



January 20, 2008
Studying the Basic Principles

Today's Service

Message: Rev. Karyl Huntley
"I Fought the Law and the Law Won"
Music: Lulacruza
Welcome: Russ Mabardy
Practitioner: Rev. Sarah Hargrave
Altar: Janet Carol Ryan, RScP

Next Week's Service

Message: Rev. Karyl Huntley
"Let Me Show You the Way"
Music: Patrick Woodworth
with BODHI & Friends
Welcome: Rev. Brent Davis
Practitioner: Judy Bernhardt, RScP
Altar: Shawn Haven & Joan Hyde

Week at a Glance

TODAY, January 20th

12:30p New Member Orientation - Troward

Monday, January 21st

7pm Evening Foundations Class - Emma

Tuesday, January 22nd

6pm Practitioner 2 Class - Emma

Wednesday, January 23rd

6pm CORE Council Meeting - Emma

Thursday, January 24th

10am Morning Foundations Class - Emma

Friday, January 25th

7pm Unraveling "The Secret" - Troward

7pm New Member Reception -
The Home of Sue Rouda

Become a Member!

New Member Orientation:
TODAY, Jan. 20th, 12:30 - 3:30 pm
at the Center Offices

Reception: Friday, Jan. 25th, 7pm
at the home of Sue Rouda

New Member Induction:
Sunday, Jan. 27th, during Service

If you are feeling "at home" in this community and are ready to deepen your participation from that of *observer* to *owner*, you are ready to attend our *New Member Orientation*. Please sign up!

Unraveling "The Secret"

An on-going adventure,
meeting every other Friday
Next Meeting : Friday, January 25th
7:00 - 9:00pm
Center offices, Suite E (Toward Room)

You've read about it, you've heard about it - now is your chance to BE it! Please join us for an in-depth viewing of the film *The Secret*, followed by discussion. Attend one or all of the gatherings!

Winter Classes

Be sure to visit our Education table and find out about our new Winter classes.

SPIRITUAL PRACTICES **FOR DAILY LIVING (10 weeks)**

Instructor: Posi Lyon, RScP
Thursdays, January 31 - April 3
6:30 - 9:30pm
Tuition: \$225 plus cost of books

SELF-MASTERY (8 weeks)

Instructors: Marilyn Letsos, RScP,
and Gail Durkin, RScP
Mon., Feb. 11 - Mar. 31, 6:30-9:30pm
Tuition: \$190 plus cost of books

MONEY, BELIEFS & YOU (4 weeks)

Instructor: Rev. Sarah Hargrave
Thurs., Feb. 21 - Mar. 13, 7pm - 9:30
Tuition: \$175

NOTE: NEWLY ADDED CLASS! **YOUR CREATIVE GENIUS (8 weeks)**

Instructor: Rev. Brent Davis
Saturdays, March 1st - April 19th
10am - Noon
Tuition: \$175 plus cost of books

A GRATEFUL HEART (4 weeks)

Instructor: Janet Carol Ryan, RScP
Tuesdays, April 8th - 29th, 6:30-9pm
Tuition: \$150

Youth & Family Potluck

Friday, February 1, 6:30 - 9 pm
Deborah Erwin's Home
Call (415) 945-9300 for location

Join the Youth & Family Ministry Team as we share great food and inspiration. New projects and ideas are always welcome. Please bring a dish to share.

Food is Love

Every second Sunday of the month we provide food staples to Homeward Bound families. Bring your food donations to the Rec Center kitchen **Sunday morning, February 10th**, clearly marked for Homeward Bound.

If you'd like to make a monetary donation instead, please give Eileen Alexander your cash or check. Please contact Eileen at 415.388.9459 to find out what is needed, or to let her know what you will be bringing.

Re-Commitment Ritual

Sunday Service, February 10, 10am

All committed couples (married, living together, gay, straight, lesbian, etc.) have the opportunity to re-state their vows to each other on the Sunday before Valentine's Day.

Single people will also be welcome to make an intention to find their beloved mate. All couples, please sign up for this ceremony at the sign-up table.

"Center" on Wednesday

"Center" at the Center, **in the Toward Room**. Love Offering welcome.

Visioning for Your Life

Every 2nd Wednesday: Feb. 13th
7-8pm with Janet Carol Ryan, RScP

Mid-Week Meditation

There will be NO Mid-Week Meditation in February.

Community Gathering

Monday, March 3 - Thursday, March 6
Kansas City, Missouri
Call (818) 556-2250 for more info.
Rev. Karyl will be attending this event.

The United Centers for Spiritual Living's 2008 Community Gathering is entitled ***Behaving Boldly: Strategies for Inspiration & Influence***. All are welcome!

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Ministries

Youth & Family offers classes and community for children under 12, as well as infant/toddler care.
(Deborah Erwin 415.945.9300)

Food is Love provides a meal and staples for Homeward Bound families on the second Sunday of the month.
(Eileen Alexander 415.388.9459)

Heart to Heart Care provides prayer, meals, rides and other loving support. (Jane Jennings 415.388.4783)

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