



Hope Interfaith Center

April - June 2012

~ A message from Reverend Janice Hope Gorman ~

“My Heartful Intentions”

Dear Friends,

Ancient Prophecies have predicted it. Modern religions have feared it. Changes within the earth are affecting our sleep patterns, relationships are changing, and old systems are failing.

You, my friends, are living in the process of a collective initiation of coming into ONENESS. You have been preparing for a long time now to accept these tremendous changes that are taking place in your lives and the world. Transformation is happening now!

We at the Hope Interfaith Center are dedicated to the highest love, and we do it with the greatest truth. To all of you who have journeyed with me throughout these many years, we have seen each other go through unspeakable joy, as well as enduring unbearable pain. But through it all, we have stayed on track to return to our Home, to our Hearts! As you have traveled with me I want you all to know that your companionship has been an honor. Each individual, whose life path has become part of mine, has contributed in some way to the success of the Hope Interfaith Center. And each of you has been my rock or teacher or helper in some way. For those of you who have believed in my work and this mission of awakening I give to you my sincerest thanks and deepest gratitude.

My intent for this year is to continue to offer classes and events at HIC which provide, as concisely as possible, an accurate synthesis of events that will be unfolding within our world as well as our bodies. Because our world and each living cell is related! Our goal, and sincere hope, is that the groups and classes and events will continue to provide continuity to

your understanding of planetary, human and personal evolution. This unfolding of our New Earth is all about you and is being created by you.

“There can be no separation in that which is one.” I pledge to you to continue to offer honest, loving feed-back during your personal sessions to help you ascend and to successfully move through these times of great change. At the same time I am totally aware that for each and every one of you, your Truth is within you. Within each living being the living intelligence lives. I will be the first one to say to you that you no longer need to search for Truth beyond yourself. Now, in this lifetime of completion, is the time for you to acknowledge that your Truth lies within you.

That being said, teachers and temples are a wonderful place to help you find that truth. Let us continue to build a community of Love and continue to evolve and grow into our permanent remembrance together!

May we All have a wonderful spring of 2012!

With Pure Heart,
Hope



***Join us for new
ONENESS Blessings!
See page 7 for details.***

~ **Hope Interfaith Center** ~

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~ **SPIRITUAL SERVICES** ~

Second Sunday of every month • 10:00 a.m.

Hope Interfaith Center

facilitated by Hope

The Hope Interfaith Center holds a spiritual service the second Sunday of each month. We welcome all and recognize that we are ONE in the eyes of CREATION!

Sunday, April 8 – “Come and Get It” Easter Sunday
Sunday, May 13 – “Mother’s Day” Bring your mother!
Sunday, June 10 – “Friendship Day” Bring a friend!

Sunday “Salons”

Third Sunday of the month • 10:00 a.m.

Hope Interfaith Center

These gatherings will give us an opportunity to connect, discuss the previous week’s worship topic, and share our spiritual journeys. We will have coffee made and water for tea!

Sunday, April 15
Sunday, May 20
Sunday, June 17

ONENESS Blessing Opportunity

Fourth Sunday of the month • 10:00 a.m.

Hope Interfaith Center

See page 7 for information.

Sunday, April 22
Sunday, May 27
Sunday, June 24

Directions to The Hope Interfaith Center
114 Pohl Road, Mankato

From the West:

Highway 14 East to Highway 22 South
Turn right on Hoffman Rd. (past East High School, cross Victory Dr.)
Hoffman Road becomes Glenwood Avenue (curvy road)
Turn left onto Pohl Rd.
The Center is the deep magenta building on the right corner

From the East:

Highway 14 West to Highway 22 South
Turn right on Hoffman Rd. (past East High School, cross Victory Dr.)
Hoffman Road becomes Glenwood Avenue (curvy road)
Turn left onto Pohl Rd.
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From the North:

Highway 169 South to Highway 22 South (one block past the last stop light in St. Peter)
Turn right on Hoffman Rd. (past East High School, cross Victory Dr.)
Hoffman Road becomes Glenwood Avenue (curvy road)
Turn left onto Pohl Rd.
The Center is the deep magenta building on the right corner

From the South:

Highway 169 North to Riverfront exit
Turn right onto Riverfront Dr. (past West High School)
Turn right onto Stoltzman Rd. (follow this road and signs to MSU)
Turn left onto Stadium Rd. (drive up hill past MSU)
Turn left onto Pohl Rd. (twin homes on corner)
The Center is deep magenta, the last building on the corner

Suggested Donation Prices for Spiritual Counseling

The suggested donation for spiritual counseling is \$50.00 in person and \$55.00 for phone readings (\$5.00 for postage). Remember that we are a non-profit spiritual center, therefore your donations are tax deductible.

***** IT’S IMPORTANT TO RSVP *****

Please RSVP for gatherings by calling or emailing your intention to attend. It’s a really nice thing to do for yourself and it helps in our planning. Thank you!

When you come to the Center, we would ask that you remove your shoes if possible. There are mats and cubbies that will hold your shoes. This is not only to help keep the Center clean but it is also a way of honoring the sacredness of the space. Thank you.

~ **All Sacred Pathways Honored** ~

~ NEW Moon Groups ~

**A PERSONAL INVITATION TO GATHER
AT THE TIME WHEN THE MOON
HAS THE POWER TO MANIFEST!**

*Change is upon us!
Take a look at our new moon groups!*



The new moon is the birthing cycle of the moon's various phases. The new moon phase is an OPTIMAL time for planning and seeding your intentions that you want to grow. The power of new frequencies is upon us and so the change to monthly New Moon gatherings is very important. Seedlings need a period of gestation before they break through the soil and reach for the sunlight this is the reason why we meet in the evenings. The dark side of the moon, with its mysterious unseen forces offers a nurturing environment where our intentions can establish roots before their miraculous manifestations begins to sprout and reach out to the stars.

Exciting speakers will come to HIC during the New Moons to plant new ideas and give you new information, which will help us on our journey into 2012. They will share their varied journeys, their adventures from different parts of our planet, their passions and talents. Come and give them a wonderful welcome as you receive seeds of information. Please join us during these new moons as we create a NEW WORLD.

Please RSVP at least one week before the gatherings, which will be held at HIC unless otherwise noted. (Please note: due to the July 4th holiday weekend, there will be no New Moon Gathering in July.)

April New Moon
Sunday, April 15 • 1:00 p.m.
Hope Interfaith Center
Embracing Your Creativity
facilitated by Marlene Lange

Mistakenly, many folks believe in themselves. This interactive workshop allows for the actual experience of your creative self. In a light and easy way, we will get at the simple heart of the matter.

Before retiring Marlene Lange has created and led this unique workshop for several non-profits. She believes tapping into one's inherent creativity is one of life's most affirming and joyous gifts.

May New Moon
May 20

There will be no new moon gathering in May.

Instead, we encourage you to symbolically plan and seed your intentions for the rest of 2012. Meditate on what you would like to spiritually harvest at the end of this year, and plant some seeds in your garden or in a planter and watch them grow with your plans!

June New Moon
Thursday, June 21 • 7:00 p.m.
Hope Interfaith Center
Summer Solstice Celebration

*"The most beautiful thing we can experience
is the mysterious.
It is the source of all true art and science.
He to whom this emotion is a stranger,
who can no longer pause
to wonder and stand rapt in awe,
is as good as dead;
his eyes are closed..."*
- Albert Einstein

The Ancient Mysteries call forth a return to Nature's rhythms on an intuitive level. Spirit and Nature in Harmony! The earth seasons are designed to promote specific evolutionary needs for us on a Conscious Spiritual level.

The Summer Solstice is the high point of the Year of the Soul. It is that point in the year in which the energies of Nature reach their culmination, and it is the time in which the Christ energies touch the body, mind, and soul of all living things. This is the time of the Mystic marriage, the uniting of the male and female to give birth to the Holy Child within us.

Come join us in a service that will bring to you significance in the meaning of this full etheric energy! Bring a friend! All are welcome!

~ Gatherings and Opportunities ~

HIC — A Place of Healing Renewal

“Organize Your Life!”

Are you feeling overwhelmed, confused, stressed out? Feeling not sure what to do or where to turn? Has it ever dawned on you that possibly what you are eating is what’s eating you? Reverend Carol Ann Parsley can help you find that answers and teach you how to create a life of abundance! Let her help you clear your clutter. Together you can make a brighter future for your life and your loved ones. Call her for a private Health History Consultation; your first consultation is FREE!

Rev. Carol Ann Parsley is now a Certified Holistic Health Coach, and she is so excited about her new career in helping people that she is continuing with her education to be the best she can to help you! Watch for upcoming classes in the coming months.

Rev. Carol Ann Parsley, Health Minister “Facilitator of Life”
507-420-3437

Office Hours Beginning January 2012

Tuesday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. / Hope Interfaith Center

Serenity Support Group

Hope Interfaith Center
facilitated by Judy Mosca

The Serenity Support Group is open to all who are seeking peace in the midst of these challenging times. SSG meets most Wednesdays, beginning at 12:30 p.m. For further information, get the schedule and/or register, please call Judy Mosca at 507-387-4629, Heart of Peace Spiritual Companionship. Dates will be sent out via email.

Toning for Transformation, Tranquility and Transcendence

Mondays at 5:30 p.m.
(refer to the calendar for dates)

No gathering when HIC is closed

Hope Interfaith Center
facilitated by Jo Gangestad

Vibrational healing and vibration balance is coming to the forefront of many teachings, whether they are in the realm of spiritual, health or general well-being! You are invited to come Monday evenings for half an hour of toning with Jo. You need not have any previous experience – every sound we make is a tone! However, intentional use of our vocal chords can bring us into amazing spaces of wholeness. As a group, it is even more powerful! Come every week or come when you can!

Providence Partners

(refer to the calendar for dates)

Hope Interfaith Center

This financial investment group meets monthly to study smart and conscious investments, and investing as a group. There are still a few spaces open for new investors. Call Joe Gilbert at 507-317-3966 for more information.

Relationship Group

(refer to the calendar for dates)

Hope Interfaith Center

facilitated by Hope

“Give Yourself To Love”

“Kind friends all gathered round, there’s something I would say:

That what brings us together here has blessed us all today.

Love has made a circle that holds us all inside;

where strangers are as family, loneliness can’t hide.

You must give yourself to love, if love is what you’re after.”

Please join the circle at our relationship group gatherings. We have now started reading and discussing “True Love” by Christopher Emmanuel.

If you are looking for a place to find Spiritual Truths to enrich your love and to improve your commitment to your relationship, then please join us! This is a fun loving group that always welcomes new couples. This group is for ALL couples- married, engaged, committed partners, and dating.

For more information please call the Center at 507-386-1242

Journaling / Life Writing Group

6:30 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month

(refer to the calendar for dates)

Hope Interfaith Center

facilitated by Julia Curran and Judy Mosca

Journaling/lifewriting is discovering one’s truth and personal transformation. One can write for self or for others — friends, family, descendents — or for publication. In this group, we will explore the continuum of lifewriting from a journal’s day-to-day entries to a memoir’s crafted stories.

Evenings will center around discussions, writing exercises, and group feedback for individuals who wish to share their writing. Both journal writers and memoirists, experienced and inexperienced, are encouraged to join Life Writing Workshop.

Monday Morning Wellness Circle

Drumming and Qigong

Mondays • 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

(refer to calendar for dates)

No gathering when HIC is closed

Hope Interfaith Center

facilitated by Lois Weber and Marcie Douglass

Join Lois and Marcie from 9:30-10:30 to do some drumming and to learn and practice an active exercise and a sitting meditation. From 10:30-11:30 a.m., those who have been practicing the Level 1 exercises are invited to learn advanced techniques, which include detecting blockages, and learn how to balance someone else's energy. You need not have taken Qigong classes to attend and participate. Come to the Circle and receive/ share unconditional love.

A \$5 donation is requested for the first hour and an additional \$5 donation is requested if you stay for the advanced teaching. Watch for the weekly email reminders. Call Lois if you have questions at 327-9250.

Men's Group

Wednesdays • 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

(refer to the calendar for dates)

Hope Interfaith Center

facilitated by Bob Dickhudt

A men's group, with the purpose of increasing Spiritual Awareness, began last November. Various methods including music, visualizations, meditation, discussion, literature and others are used as determined by the group. Bob Dickhudt, Hope's long-time friend, leads this group. Bob has a background in music, guitar and voice, and is devoted to his spiritual growth and awareness by participating in numerous personal retreats. This group meets every other week. If you have any questions, contact Bob at 507-779-6971.

As Spirit Moves You

Mondays • 6:00 p.m.

for 45-50 minutes

(refer to calendar for dates)

Hope Interfaith Center

facilitated by Rhonda Cannata

Thomas Edison said that great ideas originate in the muscles. What better incentive to move the body in new ways every day? Not only are we giving our body the physical treatment it craves, we are sourcing our inner creative genius at the same time! Exercise is meditation for the body! Dance is a timeless, universal form of self-expression. Please join us in the experience of a dance gathering that

allows you to decide what dance means for you—be it a physical workout, a mental or emotional release, a spiritual experience of connecting to the music and the energy of the group, an art form...or any combination of these. Whatever your interpretation, come to enjoy different genres of music and to honor your unique self through free-form dance in an environment intended to cultivate creativity, freedom of expression, being true to yourself, cleansing, healing, lightness, and raising your vibration. No steps to learn...just a safe and sacred space, integrating fun, and freedom to express your love of dance...as the spirit moves you!

Comfortable clothing and a water bottle recommended. All ages welcome. Beyond that...come as you are, and allow yourself to be transformed by the collective energy! A \$5.00 Love donation is requested.

Hurry! Sign up for our Belize Trip!

December 8-15, 2012

facilitated by Hope and Kristin Lamoureux

It is not too late to sign up for our Belize trip, which will happen in December of this year. This trip is indeed a pilgrimage and was set with the intention of learning more about ONENESS!

We are all preparing for these beautiful new energies to take seed within us. Listen to the signs and hear the future as it beckons your attention to surrender to who you are.

Christopher Emmanuel will be providing 3 ONENESS classes during this pilgrimage. Rev. Hope will be providing early morning ONENESS BLESSINGS and ONENESS meditations. We will also experience an adventure to the Mayan ruins and rain forest.

ONENESS Traveling provides you with life changing opportunities as you come home to your Authentic Self! Join US by calling HIC today for more information.

The 500 Club Update

Blessings to All as we jump into Spring! We are very happy and grateful to report to you that we have hit our halfway mark to \$30,000. Yes, that's right; we have received \$15,000 to pay towards our mortgage! If you have not yet participated, perhaps you can join in and help the Hope Interfaith Center reach our goal.

A charitable act or gift is a contract of love between the charity and the donor.

Thank you! Thank you to all who have joined us toward our goal. Your heart-filled donations are so appreciated from the bottom of my heart!

Divinity / Oneness / Energy Class

May 19 • 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Hope Interfaith Center

facilitated by Hope

(love donation: \$88.88 per session)

This is the second class in a series of five classes that will be given this year. We will be joining a “Global and Galactic Alliance” which are groups around the world meeting to create together. We are very fortunate to have Kari Chapman joining us via skype for this workshop.

“A Workshop for Walk-Ins”

Helping Walk-Ins Master the Human Experience

Archangel Michael and Rev. Kari Chapman will talk about why so many Walk-Ins are taking place at this time and why so many souls want to leave the planet. Rev. Kari will share her experience as a conscious Walk-In.

Not sure if you are a Walk-In? Join us and find out. What is the difference between a walk-in and a soul merge? Find out what co-existing is and if you are co-existing and if the time is right we can assist the prior soul home. Where do walk-ins come from? Learn the connection with the prior soul through learning the Oversoul concept. Understand and activate your 2nd/ Galactic High Heart which is a part of the new walk-in soul. How does the cellular memory of the prior soul effect the new walk-in? And why some form of a cellular release is needed. Learn and experience Sacred Breath, which is vital to integrate and hold the higher vibrations with Grace.

Please register early for this class as this class will fill up fast! Please call Jody at the center 507-386-1242.

Recommended Reading Before Class!

We recommend Kari’s book “Walk-Ins On Earth Assignment”. Order your copy at www.namaste-wi.com

Rev. Kari Chapman is a soul interventionist – A conscious Walk-In and the founder of The Namaste Healing and Retreat Center, a 501C3 Spiritual Education Organization in Lake Mills, WI., Known as a “Church of Inner Truth”. Rev. Chapman is also a conscious, multidimensional Psychic, Healer, and Teacher. As a conscious channel, Kari conducts kashic Record Readings with Archangel Michael and many multidimensional, angelic and galactic hierarchies. Kari has been schooled on this earth plane and in many other dimensions as well. She says: “This series of life changing events has taught me to give up my illusion of control and instead turn everything over to God. Through meditation and prayer I have become a conscious channel, healer, and energy worker. My connection to my Oversoul, or Higher Self if you will, and the spiritual guidance I receive from many Christ Conscious beings have helped develop me to the extent that I AM now a constant channel, receiving information and messages constantly and consciously.”

2012 Monthly Teaching CDs

“The soul’s greatest journey is about to begin...”

Are you ready for this most important time?

Next Integration Class:

June 9 • 10:00 a.m.

Hope Interfaith Center

Are you willing to say “Yes!”?

Ascension to Love — Activating Quantum Human Potential. A cosmic wave is upon us! If you allow these teachings to become you they can transform you into your next octave of consciousness. It is not too late to sign up!

The world we have known is quickly changing and in transformation. We, as human beings, must develop our highest physical, emotional, mental and spiritual potential in order to ride these waves into the new development of a new human species.

Are You Ready?

We are all part of this cosmic day which is vibrationally dancing through the universe. As human beings we are unique in our ability to shape our reality through creative imagination and Conscious choices.

We all must make some new dramatic changes with our individual and collective behaviors to find solutions and to live in harmony with the Earth.

To participate in the evolution of our species we are being called to reshape our internal paradigm and to live as a 5th dimensional being! We each play a role in manifesting the new play! Your outer reality reflects your inner reality! This is the truth!

Each CD gives information, exercises, or statements of Love to change your inner reality! Let’s all transform the world by transforming our inner reality to Love!

If you wish to receive the monthly teachings, please phone Jody at 507-386-1242!

***“We need to find God,
and he cannot be found
in noise and restlessness.
God is the friend of silence.***

***See how nature
- trees, flowers, grass -
grows in silence;***

***see the stars, the moon and the sun,
how they move in silence...***

We need silence to be able to touch souls.”

~ Mother Teresa

~ **NEW Things Happening at HIC** ~

Wednesday ONENESS Blessing Circle

Wednesdays • 5:30 p.m.

(refer to calendar for dates)

Hope Interfaith Center

facilitated by ONENESS Blessers

Please join us, and invite others, on Wednesday evenings for ONENESS Blessings! The ONENESS Blessings are based in the practice of Deeksha. In its simplest definition, as described by our Beloved Teachers, Deeksha is the practice of “getting one’s self out of the way” so that Divine Light and Love can be channeled through us and given as a Blessing to others. Our HIC ONENESS Blessing Givers are excited to bring weekly opportunities to give and receive ONENESS Blessings. We truly welcome you to join us!

ONENESS Blessing Opportunity

Fourth Sunday of the Month • 10:00 to 11:00 a.m.

(refer to calendar for dates)

Hope Interfaith Center

facilitated by ONENESS Blessers

These Sundays gives us all an opportunity to sit in Divine ONENESS together. We will be following a unique and different format as we join together in ONENESS. There is a “Unified Field of NEW EARTH Consciousness” which is scientifically proven to be an intelligent field of energy that permeates and connects everything in the world and universes. It is always speaking to us and we are part of the vast dynamic matrix of energy exchange and manifestation.

This Unified Field is the single most catalytic force in propelling the planetary consciousness shift. Greg Braden has recently said that these are critical and important days for all of us to come together and be in our hearts and send ONENESS love to the world at large.

We will come together on ONENESS Blessing Sundays to receive and give ONENESS Blessings to the Universe to help achieve the mission to transform consciousness individually and on a mass scale.

Giving Deeksha means the transmission of divine intelligent energy by placing their hands on a recipient’s head for a minute or so. The effects are cumulative, and can enhance physical healing, generate greater intimacy in relationships, promote material well-being, and most significantly, may result in a spontaneous and effortless “awakening in to oneness.”

Decluttering to Create Home Grace

Tuesday, April 24 • 7:00 p.m.

Hope Interfaith Center

facilitated by Monika Antonelli

Simply put, clutter generates Chaos, while order and simplicity creates Grace. Learn how to release items and objects cluttering your home, muddling your thoughts, and zapping your energy. This hands-on workshop will introduce the causes of clutter, as well as a variety of tools and strategies to tackle home clutter issues. Participants will discover how to use a “Household and Personal Maintenance Checklist” to identify problem areas and create a “Focus Plan” to tackle clutter projects. To assist Monika’s preparation, please RSVP if you plan to attend.

Better “Humanship”

Saturday, June 23 • 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Sara Sinnard’s Farm

facilitated by Sara Sinnard

cost: \$85.00

(maximum 15 participants)

Access your core energy and bring out your inner leader through the ultimate horse experience. This leadership workshop combines a unique blend of Core Energy Leadership Learning and Equine Assisted Education (EGE) to access and renew your inner leader.

Participants work safely on the ground through a number of experiences with horses, facilitated by an experienced Core Energy Leadership and EGE Coach, to uncover personal strengths and opportunities. Horses have a unique ability to help us be better humans. This workshop is specifically designed for women who are invested in continual improvement as leaders and humans.

Sara Sinnard, owner of FUSION Life & Leadership, LLC, is a Core Energy Leadership Coach helping individuals and teams reach their full potential through private coaching, workshops and custom training. She specializes in life and career transitions through Core Energy Leadership Learning and Equine Guided Education. To register for this class please call Sara at 507-278-3553 / 319-329-7182 or email sara@fusiononesource.com.

Easter Sunday Pot Luck
Sunday, April 8 • noon to 3:00 p.m.
Hope Interfaith Center

Come join us after our Easter Sunday Spiritual Service for the bounty of wonderful food and fellowship. Because it is Easter I want to make this potluck as uncomplicated for you as possible. But I am going to tempt you now. So please read on!

“There’s nothing like a turkey burger spread with spicy mustard, smothered in onions that have been caramelized with a touch of olive oil, and served on a chewy whole-grain bun. There’s nothing like bubbly water splashed with tangy-sweet grapefruit juice and mango nectar. Or a chicken cashew salad wrap with low fat ranch dressing.”

OK, now that I have your taste buds moving, I also gave you some ideas of what we can have!

Please join us at the Hope Interfaith Center for Easter Joy! Bring a dish to pass and your beautiful hearts and smiles. The potluck will start at noon and go until 3:00 p.m.

The center will provide plates, cups, silverware, coffee, tea, and also the bubbly water with a splash of tangy-sweet grapefruit juice! Please RSVP for this gathering so we know how many to plan for!

FUNraising Opportunity
Saturday, May 5 • 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.
Spring Fling Bingo / Outdoor Event!
Hope Interfaith Center Grounds
facilitated by HIC Board Members
\$10.00 Love donation per family

Spring is in the air! Gather up your friends and family and join us for bingo, prizes, popcorn and refreshments. It will be a day that can be enjoyed by all ages. Doors open at 3:45 p.m. and bingo begins at 4:15 p.m.

7th Annual Yard Sale
Friday, June 15 • 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Saturday, June 16 • 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Hope Interfaith Center Grounds
facilitated by HIC Board Members
\$10.00 Love donation per family

Your donations of gently used saleable items will make this yard sale a HUGE success! To donate, please bring your items to the entrance of the HIC Great Room on Tuesday, June 12th. We will also accept donations on Thursday, the 14th of June, and you can leave your items under the tents on the HIC yard during that day. Please call Kim Stanton Cummings at 507-345-6563 or email her at ofthemoment@gmail.com to donate or to volunteer.

An Energy Snowball Effect
has happened at HIC!

As you know, I always approach things with a bit of healthy skepticism. That being said, I have always been interested in knowing what the balls of transparent light that we sometimes find in photos really are. I am aware that some people feel that orbs on a digital camera are an error in the digital processing of the light image.

While I was in meditation and doing a series of seven Oneness blessings, or deekshas, on a client, I became fully aware of the “me” disappearing and of becoming just a ball of light – I was also aware of this happening to my client and friend. Together we traveled throughout Hope Interfaith Center and it became very obvious to me that we are that which we call ‘Source Energy’; that you cannot be separated from ‘Source Energy’ and that we are a physical extension of ‘Source Energy’! It is then that we traveled up stairs as energy balls of light and the vision that we saw was an Energy/Oneness/Orb room.

Soon, we will be offering a series of 7 Oneness/Deeksha blessings in our Orb room upstairs. We are putting the details together now and are creating a space for Marcie Douglass to help in this endeavor. It will simply be used for energy recalibrations.

One evening, I came back to the temple and took a series of photographs within the rooms here at the Center and found that my vision of the rooms was correct. A build up of energy has happened within HIC! My mathematical friends would say that the content has begun to build. This means that the amount of stored energy in a given system or region of space per unit volume has increased in content. The energy volume or content can build over time to create a magnetic field that may be expressed as a physical pressure.

When a place or center is used only for prayer, meditation, and/or holy work the content builds up, and that is why people feel great peace and love here at HIC. Of course if people come, and they are closed off, they perhaps may be unable to feel it, but the energy content is still at work helping them to awaken to their beauty as ‘Source Energy’. In fact, people could leave HIC feeling irritated because the awakening process has begun.

HIC is a temple that is dedicated to helping people awaken. Please continue to watch our website for further details on our Oneness/Energy/Orb room at HIC.

Blessings,
Hope

**WITH GRATITUDE
IN OUR HEARTS!**

***Heartfelt thanks to all
who helped at HIC last quarter***

Thank you Craig Domeier for donating a new stereo and sound system for HIC! Our community appreciates your generous and heartfelt gift!

Abundance flows within HIC as we were gifted candles from Marcie Douglas, Ginger Neilon, Kim Stanton Cummings and Maryann Morningstar.

Words cannot express how grateful we are to have Mark Parsley, Dave Scholtz, Jerry Wright and Jeff Douglas who so graciously gave time and energy for our reconstruction project!

A special thank you to Monika Antonelli and Jinelle Markham! We had some Awesome New Moon Events this past quarter!

It fills our heart with Joy when our community is a part of our Spiritual Service. We want to thank Sharon Taylor for the wonderful February Service.

And a big thanks to all who graciously accept our invitation to help with announcements, communal readings and the sharing of communion.

Last but not least thank you Kim & Andrew Cummings and Maryann Morningstar who gift us with their talents in creating this beautiful temple we call the Hope Interfaith Center.

As always, we also appreciate all those who help out around HIC without even being asked! Simple gifts such as putting chairs away, helping in the kitchen after Sunday Service, emptying garbage, etc. All of those actions are witnessed and appreciated!

~ Calendar of Events ~

Please RSVP for all events: 507-386-1242

*Visit www.hopeinterfaithcenter.com
for a printable calendar of events*

April

2, 16, 23, 30 Wellness Circle 9:30 a.m. / Toning 5:30 p.m. /
As Spirit Moves You 6:00 p.m.
4, 18 Men's Group 5:30 p.m.
Serenity Support Group - watch for weekly email
Providence Partners - watch for weekly email
4, 11, 18, 25 ONENESS Blessing Wednesday 5:30 p.m.
8 Spiritual Service 10:00 a.m. / Easter Potluck 12:00 p.m.
10 Journaling/Life Writing Group 6:30 p.m.
15 Salon 10:00 a.m. / New Moon 1:00 p.m.
19 Relationship Group 6:30 p.m.
22 ONENESS Blessing Opportunity 10:00 a.m.
24 Decluttering to Create Home Grace
(PLEASE NOTE: HIC WILL BE CLOSED APRIL 6-10)

May

6 Spring Fling Bingo 4:00 p.m.
7, 14, 21, 28 Wellness Circle 9:30 a.m. / Toning 5:30 p.m. /
As Spirit Moves You 6:00 p.m.
Serenity Support Group - watch for weekly email
Providence Partners - watch for weekly email
8 Journaling/Life Writing Group 6:30 p.m.
2, 9, 16, 23, 30 ONENESS Blessing Wednesday 5:30 p.m.
2, 16, 30 Men's Group 5:30 p.m.
13 Spiritual Service 10:00 a.m.
19 Divinity/Oneness/Energy Class 9:00 a.m.
20 Salon 10:00 a.m.
16 Relationship Group 6:30 p.m.
27 ONENESS Blessing Opportunity 10:00 a.m.
(PLEASE NOTE: HIC WILL BE CLOSED MAY 24 -29)

June

4, 11, 18, 25 Wellness Circle 9:30 a.m. / Toning 5:30 p.m. /
As Spirit Moves You 6:00 p.m.
12 Journaling/Life Writing Group 6:30 p.m.
6, 13, 20, 27 ONENESS Blessing Wednesday 5:30 p.m.
Serenity Support Group - watch for weekly email
Providence Partners - watch for weekly email
9 Integration Class 10:00 a.m.
10 Spiritual Service 10:00 a.m.
13, 27 Men's Group 5:30 p.m.
15, 16 HIC Garage Sale
17 Salon 10:00 a.m.
21 Summer Solstice Celebration 7:00 p.m.
23 Better "Humanship"
24 ONENESS Blessing Opportunity 10:00 a.m.
28 Relationship Group 7:00 p.m.
21 Summer Solstice Celebration 7:00 p.m.

All sacred pathways honored

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