



Hope Interfaith Center

January - March 2013

~ A message from Reverend Janice Hope Gorman ~

“Where do we go from here?”

Dear Friends,

First of all, where are we now?! We are living on a planet, a spaceship called Earth, suspended in a vast and infinite entity called space. And we have millions of people on the “Path of Love and Light and Peace” who are dedicated to Truth.

In the Piscean Age, the emphasis was on the development of the individual as a personality. In the Aquarian Age, however, the stage has been set for the unveiling of the true spirituality which is coming together as a family of Light.

Are you being called to help create a healthy, prosperous, peaceful, and sustainable world? Are you being asked to give your gift to the Shift? Do you want to help generate a “tipping point” that will accelerate the New Birth?

Join millions around the world committed to ushering in this great transition by joining the Hope Interfaith Center. Our guidelines are deeply rooted in the Golden Rule and the Universal Laws, which come from metaphysical principles that are easy to apply.

The Golden Rule Guidelines now place the focus of our attention and energy on the whole and not the part ~ on “WE” instead of “ME”. When we gather as a group, the whole can move to new levels of understanding, connection, and meaning.

Last year we focused on “the magic of conscious partnership” with teachers from around the world. This can uplift and infuse gatherings with a sense of unity and meaning and a vision of purpose. Yet I also know that many of those teachers had their own personal interpretation of “TRUTH” which can be

confusing. So this year we will focus on LOVE! I am looking into the Vistar Method of working together to build Evolutionary Shift Circles of Love! I have been told that the Vistar Method is easy to learn and can be used for a small or large number of participants who want to be LOVE! When the direct focus is on LOVE in any meeting or teaching, the frequency increases, and we enter into a direct heartfelt experience of connectedness and new possibilities come forth. Don’t just be spectators in this history-making evolutionary shift ~ come join us at HIC!

Check out the events and circles that we have. And, as always, you are invited to our Spiritual Services the second Sunday of every month!

Now is the time of the New Beginnings!
With Pure Heart,

Hope



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What’s new this quarter?

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Skype your appointment with Hope!
Meet face to face instead of over the phone.
(see page 6)

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Pilgrimage 2013!
Add to the light of the world.
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Reboot your life!
Harness your body’s ability to heal itself.
(see page 3)

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~ **Hope Interfaith Center** ~

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For directions to the Center and other information,

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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, January 13 - "HU - A Love Song to God"

Sunday, February 10 - "How to Contact the LIGHT"

Sunday, March 10 - "The Sound Behind All Sounds"

Sunday "Salons"

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

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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, January 20

Sunday, February 17

Sunday, March 17

ONENESS Blessing Opportunity

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

Hope Interfaith Center

(See page 6 for more information.)

Sunday, January 27

Sunday, February 24

Sunday, March 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.

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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 ******

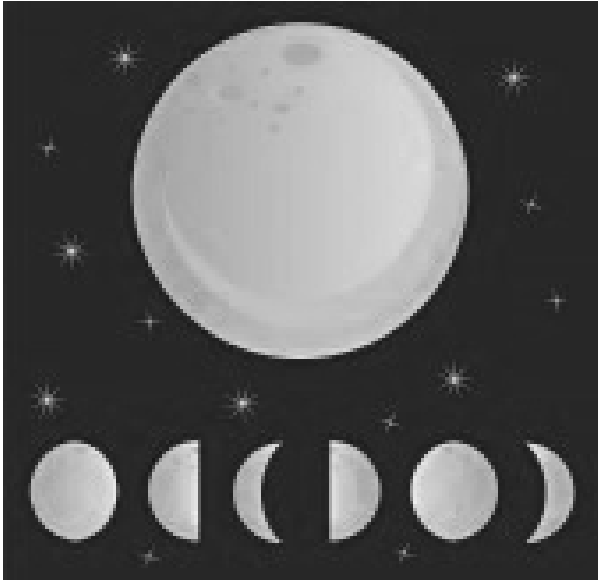
Please RSVP for gatherings by calling or emailing your intention to attend. It's a really nice thing to do for yourself and it helps in our planning. Thank you!

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. Please join us during these new moons as we create a NEW WORLD.

Please RSVP at least one week before the gatherings

January New Moon
Friday, January 11 • 6:30 p.m.
Hope Interfaith Center
Osho Kundalini Meditatin
facilitated by Rev. Nora

This four-part active meditation is a kundalini raising experience! Music will lead us through each part of this meditation which can be done by anyone. From the CD: "Stressful living and unexpressed emotions can affect our ability to live joyfully and relate to others. Osho Active Meditations are scientifically designed to effectively release these tensions which block the natural flow of energies in our bodies, allowing us to become more peaceful and relaxed." The class will be approximately 75 minutes in length.

February New Moon
Monday, February 11 • 6:30 p.m.
Hope Interfaith Center

Film: "Dakota 38"

(Shared in the 151st year since the US Dakota War to keep the way of healing and reparative justice open for the Dakota people originally of the lands of Minnesota.)

Anna Larson of Mankato, Bob Klanderud, originally from Rosebud Reservation, and Jim Bear Jacobs, with the Greater Minnesota Council of Churches, will co-present this film in the spirit of healing and reconciliation.

In the spring of 2005, Jim Miller, a Native spiritual leader and Vietnam veteran, found himself in a dream riding on horseback across the great plains of South Dakota. Just before he awoke, he arrived at a riverbank in Minnesota and saw 38 of his Dakota ancestors hanged. At the time, Jim knew nothing of the largest mass execution in United States history. "When you have dreams, you know when they come from the creator... As any recovered alcoholic, I made believe that I didn't get it. I tried to put it out of my mind, yet it's one of those dreams that bother you."

Now, embracing the message of the dream, Jim and a group of riders retrace the 330-mile route of his dream on horseback from Lower Brule, South Dakota, to Mankato, arriving at the hanging site on the anniversary of the execution. This is the story of their journey - the blizzards they endure, the Native and Non-Native communities that house and feed them along the way, and the dark history they are beginning to wipe away.

This film was created in line with Native healing practices. It was inspired by one individual's dream and is not promoting any organization or affiliated with any political or religious groups.

March New Moon
Monday, March 11 • 6:30 p.m.
Hope Interfaith Center

Film: "Fat, Sick & Nearly Dead"

A film to help Reboot Your Life

(Love donation appreciated)

A hundred pounds overweight, loaded up on steroids and suffering from a debilitating autoimmune disease, Joe Cross is at the end of his rope and at the end of his life. "Fat, Sick & Nearly Dead" is an inspiring film that chronicles Joe's personal mission to regain his health. With doctors and conventional medicines unable to help long-term, Joe turns to the only option left, the body's ability to heal itself.

After watching this movie we will be starting a "Reboot Group". Join us for an opportunity to learn about juicing and what everyone needs to know to support themselves!

Each Reboot meeting will be from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m. at the Hope Interfaith Center. We will skype with other Reboot Groups and have fun and fellowship. Perhaps we will skype with Joe Crow! Let's get together and Reboot our lives.

Reboot Meetings

March 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29
from 4:00 to 5:30p.m.

~ 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.

Rev. Carol Ann Parsley, Health Minister “Facilitator of Life” 507-420-3437. Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Hope Interfaith Center.

Serenity Group

Hope Interfaith Center

facilitated by Judy Mosca

SERENITY GROUP WILL RESUME IN APRIL 2013.

The Serenity Support Group is open to all who are seeking peace in the midst of these challenging times. 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.

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.

Home Visits Available!

Rev. Jo Gangestad, an ordained Hope Interfaith Minister since 2005, has accepted the call to be HIC’s fellowship Minister. Jo exudes a special kindness in her heart and looks forward to visiting our HIC friends when they are hospitalized. She will also make home visits or phone calls. Please contact the Hope Interfaith Center if Jo’s services are needed.

Relationship Group

(refer to the calendar for dates)

Hope Interfaith Center

facilitated by Hope

“A Call to Lovers”

In survey after survey after survey, at least 80 percent of couples in successful long-term relationship’s report that they have become best friends. They feel accepted with their faults and have come to accept their mates as a package deal.” ~ Dr. Georgia Witkin, “How To Keep Intimacy Alive”

Come join us in our Relationship Group where we come together to remember to make our relationship a priority! We laugh and have fun every month while we discuss a topic. Put energy into your relationship in 2013 and make it priority.

Whether you are newlyweds or walking into the golden years, the timeless insights and practical suggestions in these groups will transform a good marriage into a great one. We only focus on the Good Stuff! Because then you get more of the Good Stuff! HIC is dedicated to building stronger relationships!

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

Winter focus: Spritual Gifts and Passions

Expressing one’s gifts and passions is a spiritual practice, whatever that may be. This season, we will hold a space to support those who are continuing to develop their gifts, and for others who are at the beginning of exploring and discovering their gifts. Evenings are flexible but will include a presentation, a discussion, and a guided journaling time. All are encouraged to bring in what they have been working on: quilts, wood-working, paintings, recipes, poems — the

***Your success and happiness lies in you.
Resolve to keep happy, and your joy and
you shall form an invincible host
against difficulties.***

~ Helen Keller

Monday Morning Wellness Circle

Drumming and Qigong

Mondays • 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

No gathering when HIC is closed

Hope Interfaith Center

facilitated by Paulette Ford

Join Paulette from 9:30 –11:00 a.m. We will open with drumming, and then move into an active Qigong exercise and a sitting meditation. You need not have taken Qigong classes to attend and participate. Start your week with the Wellness Circle as you receive and share unconditional love.

A \$5.00 donation is requested. Call Paulette at 507-381-3870 or email her at pford@hickorytech.net.

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.

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!

***Celebrate what you want
to see more of.***

~ Tom Peters

Orb Room at HIC

ONeness Blessing/Spring Forest Qigong Energy Healings

contact Marcie Douglass for appointments:

507-380-2717

"If you want to be healthy and live to 100, do Qigong."

~Dr. Mehmet Oz

Marcie Douglass is offering ONeness blessing/Spring Forest Qigong energy healings in our Orb room at HIC. In your private session, you will experience an energy healing and you will be introduced to the techniques that will allow you to move your own energy. As a Level 4 Spring Forest Qigong Energy Healer, it is Marcie's passion to facilitate Master Lin's goal: A healer in every family, a world without pain.

The Deeksha (ONeness) Blessing is a direct transfer of intelligent sacred energy which causes the heart to open, heals relationships, quiets the chatter of the mind, opens the doors to higher states of awareness and initiates a process of Awakening into ONeness. Through this awakening we tap into our natural ability to heal. The ONeness blessing combines with and enhances a Qigong energy healing.

Spring Forest Qigong is based on the simple yet profound understanding that everything in the universe is energy. Qigong began and remains a science--the study of how the universe works at its most basic, energetic level. Disease is created by blockages in our energy channels. SFQ Energy Healings help to release the blockages in your body.

Still time to sign up:

2013 Monthly Teaching CDs

It astonishes me to think that it has already been three years since I started these monthly teachings CD's. Three years is weighty phase of time. Yet three years is but a heartbeat in the life of our Star beings. I have heard from my inner Voice to continue on with the monthly teaching CDs.

In 2013, The Divine is moving on up within each and every one of us. By the Divine, I am referring to the unique wisdom, strength, and Love that we all possess in abundance; a quality so powerful, it can only be called "The Divine."

The power of creation is stirring within us all. The world is a different place than it was three years ago. While it has become less innocent, I'd like to think it has become more receptive to the life-affirming messages of the Divine!!

It is with renewed hope that I offer these CD's! The suggested donation is \$10.00 per month and they will be ready to be picked up by the 2nd Sunday to every month. We will also be mailing them out to those who are out of town.

Call Jody at the Center today to sign up for these CDs!

Blessings & Love ~ Hope

Free ONENESS Blessings!
Read on for personal stories of truth!

These are complex and chaotic times when our communities, organizations, and businesses are facing unique challenges and opportunities.

People are facing personal challenges and opportunities as well! We all seem to be approaching a learning edge, actively seeking tools to help us navigate through the changes. Some of our deepest healings and awakenings happen in group.

When you come to a Free ONENESS Blessing gathering it is designed not as a meeting but as an opportunity to sit in DIVINE Love, open up and receive Deeksha — “The Divine Light and Love of Pure ONENESS.” Deeksha is the practice of receiving energy. It can be an experienced as pure golden sunlight flooding down through your crown chakra. Some people feel the energy and see colors while receiving this blessing. We have created two opportunities for the community to come together for ONENESS Blessings. Come join us for these Free opportunities.

1. ONENESS BLESSING WEDNESDAYS

~ Every Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. we have Oneness Blessing. 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!

2. ONENESS BLESSING OPPORTUNITY SUNDAYS

~ The 4th Sunday of each month we have a “Oneness Blessing Opportunity” that begins at 10 a.m. and goes for one hour exactly. This is a way of coming together to have a collective opportunity to send light to the world. Each person who comes receives one Blessing. Then into silence we disappear to feel a sense of rapport and synthesis while being in the ONENESS.

A witnessing statement from Karen Ambros-Ward

“I would like to share my gratitude to the positive effects that ONENESS BLESSING has had on my life and personal growth during the past year. I began participating last winter on a spiritual journey and arrived to the Wednesday evening group with an open mind. There is such love, kindness, support and nurturing evident at every session that it embraces you and has you wanting more...which therefore challenges me to evaluate and be more reflective about my life. The opportunity to be more reflective about my life. The opportunity to be in such a relaxed and meditative state allows healing...physical, emotional and spiritual. I am very grateful to say that I am experiencing few migraines and I believe this is due to the benefits of deep relaxation and more mindful response to stress and issues that may cause anxiety. I look forward to Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. for the session; it has become as much a routine as a priority and I am so grateful for all the ‘Blessing Givers’ who share of themselves.” Karen Ambros-Ward

Salon Sundays

*Join us for Salon the 3rd Sunday of the month at 10:00 a.m.
See page 2 for dates.*

Statistics show many people with cell phones prefer texting over talking. The practice has even invaded families. The Associated Press recently reported that a 13-year-old girl texted her mother, who was just downstairs in the kitchen, that she wanted cinnamon rolls for breakfast. The mother then demanded that the girl come downstairs and make her request in person!

Salon is an opportunity to put down those phones and computers and to see each other and to talk with each other. It is a casual gathering with the intention of coming together for Free Fair Trade coffee and sitting around a table in casual clothes. Wow, what a wonderful way to join together in community! We talk about the sermon topic that was given to us at Spiritual Service the Sunday before.

Lightworkers around the world have made the heart commitment to join circles like these to tangibly manifest lives of eternal peace and abundance and true fellowship! Fellowship time is a time to come to really know each other within our community. As we move forward into this time of transition our true assets are our friends and family! Come join us for fellowship time on Salon Sundays!

Skype your appointment with Hope!

Janice Hope is now doing her phone readings over skype. You can make an internet call for free with skype and be able to have eye to eye contact. Yes, believe it or not, Hope is trying to bring innovative technology to HIC!

She is able to give Deeksha over skype and is thrilled to be able to Namaste everyone face to face. The energetic experience is different than just talking over the phone. These higher states of contact can lead to higher states of consciousness. And these high states of consciousness can lead to changes in the brain, which would eventually accumulate to a very big shift in your life.

If you would like to skype with Hope, please contact Jody to give her your skype name.

Namaste means that the light in me bows to the light within you. *Namaste! Namaste! Namaste!*

***Resolution One:
I will live for God.
Resolution Two:
If no one else does, I still will.***

~ Jonathan Edwards

Yoga, Breath and Movement with Nora
Beginning Monday, January 14 • 11:00 a.m.
and running for four weeks
Hope Interfaith Center
facilitated by Rev. Nora
A \$7.00 love donation is requested

A 90-minute class for everyone! We will draw upon Kundalini yoga, Hatha yoga, and Tjah (tai-chi like) movements to help build strength, flexibility, balance, and stamina in our lives as well as our bodies.

These practices help build the immune system, detoxify from the inside out, increase energy and open the heart. Please bring a yoga mat or large towel and wear comfortable clothing you can move in.

Rev. Nora (Marcia Nermoe) has been leading yoga and movement classes in Mankato for eight years and is passionate about using breath and movement to not only bring us into the present moment, but also into a more loving relationship with ourselves.

Spring Equinox (Abundance Time)
Wednesday, March 20 • 6:30 p.m.
Hope Interfaith Center
facilitated by Hope

Equinox = either of two points on the celestial sphere at which the ecliptic intersects with the celestial equator; the two times during each year when the sun crosses the celestial equator and the lengths of day and night are approximately equal. During the Spring, or Vernal, Equinox, the sun enters Aries (the first sign of the zodiac), approximately on March 21st annually.

So, this year, on this most powerful day of balance, bring in one “bill” which will represent all of your bills. And bring your check book or bank statement which represents your money flowing in! Also, bring your drums and rattles and dancing feet and bring one fruit with seeds to put on the altar.

We will be invoking abundance to come into our lives by asking the Celtic God “Belenus,” God of the sun, love, enrichment, abundance, magical power, protection and healing light to join us. And we will call forth the Greek Goddess “Demeter,” Mother goddess of abundance, fertility, prosperity, rebirth, renewal, creativity, plants, protection, matrimony, and empowerment.

This will be a low-key event that will unlock the energies to your “Abundance.”

Pilgrimage in 2013
7th Annual World Congress
on Illumination
August 10-15, 2013

Lowes Ventana Canyon Resort Tucson, AZ

This is an opportunity to add to the Light of the World. See if it begins to resonate in your heart to join me for an enlightening and fun-filled experience. You will be hearing more about this opportunity in the months to come, but I wanted you to mark your calendars and check in with your heart!

Patricia Diane Cota-Robles is the co-founder and president of the nonprofit, educational organization called New Age Study of Humanity’s Purpose, which sponsors the Annual World Congress on Illumination.

The Annual World Congress on Illumination is truly a life-transforming event that provides you with an opportunity to meet and network with other like-minded light-workers. Lightworkers come to this sacred conclave from all over the world to join their hearts together, as they fulfill a unique facet of the Divine Plan. Every year the Spiritual Hierarchy and the God Selves of all Humanity devise a plan that will fulfill the greatest need of the hour in Earth’s Ascension process. This is a glorious six-day event which is held each August over Harmonic Convergence in a beautiful setting! What a wonderful journey to be able to share with you.

HIC play’s a major role in helping with personal and planetary ascension! Please consider joining me to give service to the Light.

If interested please call HIC at 507-386-1242.

Suggested Donations and
Credit/Debit Cards Now Accepted at HIC!

Throughout the years, many in our HIC community tell me that I should increase the suggested love donation for a session, and many have also asked us to accept donations using credit and debit cards.

We are already accepting credit/debit cards, and with the suggestions that I have received, the HIC board decided that beginning January 1, 2013, we will be increasing the suggested love donation for a session to \$55.00, and phone sessions will have a suggested increase to \$60.00. Remember — your donations are tax deductible!

WE DID IT!
Thank you for the...

Love Match!

We at HIC experienced the labyrinth of reaching our \$30,000 goal with the 500 Club, which started in 2011 with \$60.00 love donations.

Then, at the end of 2012 a beautiful person saw that our 500 Club donations were at \$16,000 and noted that it was stuck at that amount for some time. This person offered HIC a \$5,000 end of the year push. If we could get \$5,000 raised by December 31st of 2012 the anonymous person would give us a \$5,000 match. This marked the initiation of a second wave of raising money.

So, we have walked a labyrinth which has brought us to a renewed awareness of how we can come together to make a difference.

I asked all of you to do the walk inward and invited you to build our future together at HIC. And we did it! We have reached our goal!

So, from the bottom of my heart I thank you all so very much for participating in the walk with me.

A special thank you to the anonymous donor — you gave \$5,000 to get to our goal!

From all of us at HIC we thank you for your continued support and love for our mission at HIC! May we all have a Happy New Year of 2013!

Blessings,
Rev. Janice Hope Gorman
and the HIC Board Members

**WITH GRATITUDE
IN OUR HEARTS!**

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

Thank You! Those two words are simple yet so powerful. We would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to ALL who donated to and purchased items from our annual Silent Auction. A special thank you goes to Kim Stanton Cummings, who gives her generous gift of time, energy and talents for all the HIC fundraising events.

Our deep appreciation goes out to Tom Westlund, HIC's computer technician. Tom, we are so thankful to have you ~ you're the BEST!

And many thanks to ALL who facilitated gatherings here at HIC in 2012, thank you for taking the time to share your great information!

With sincere appreciation we thank Rev. Jo Gangestad for helping all that are in need with her time and love, that she so graciously gives as she makes her home visits as well as hospital visits within our community.

The 4th quarter New Moon gatherings were enjoyed and appreciated by many! Thank you, Jinelle & Amy Markham and Marion Lichtenberg. We also want to thank Rev. Jo Gangestad and Rev. Kathy Heinie for making our December Spiritual Service so special. We are grateful for Rev. Jo who shared an evening on 12-12-12 with our HIC friends

~ Thank you Ladies!

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 events, 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*

*Let us begin to create our
New Year with Abundance!*

Happy New Year!

January

- 2,9,16,23,30 Wed. Oneness Blessing Circle 5:30 p.m.
- 7, 14,21,28 Monday Morning Wellness Circle 9:00 a.m.
- 8 Journaling 6:30 p.m.
- 9,23 Men's Group 5:30 p.m.
- 10 Providence Partners 7:00 p.m.
- 11 New Moon 6:30 p.m.
- 13 Spiritual Service 10:00 a.m.
- 14,21,28 Yoga, Breath and Movement 11:00 a. m.
- 17 Relationship Group 6:30 p.m.
- 20 Salon 10:00 a.m.
- 27 ONENESS Blessing Opportunity 10:00 a.m.

February

- 4,11,18,25 Monday Morning Wellness Circle 9:00 a.m.
- 4 Yoga, Breath and Movement 11:00 a. m.
- 6,13,20,27 Wed. Oneness Blessing Circle 5:30 p.m.
- 6,20 Men's Group 5:30 p.m.
- 7 Providence Partners 7:00 p.m.
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- 24 ONENESS Blessing Opportunity 10:00 a.m.

March

- 4,11,18, 25 Monday Morning Wellness Circle 9:00 a.m.
- 6,13,20,27 Wed. Oneness Blessing Circle 5:30 p.m.
- 6,20 Men's Group 5:30 p.m.
- 7 Providence Partners 7:00 p.m.
- 10 Spiritual Service 10:00 a.m.
- 11 New Moon 6:30 p.m.
- 12 Journaling 6:30 p.m.
- 17 Salon 10:00 a.m.
- 20 Vernal Equinox 6:30 p.m.
- 21 Relationship Group 6:30 p.m.
- 24 ONENESS Blessing Opportunity 10:00 a.m.
- 25,26,27,28,29 Reboot Meetings 4:00 p.m.

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