The Theosophical Society in Detroit

Chartered in 1916 as a Branch of the Theosophical Society in America



SEPTEMBER 2019

Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Programs begin promptly at 7:00 p.m. \$5 Suggested Donation From 6:30 to 6:55 is time for socializing and browsing through the bookstore and library.

Sep 13 Opening the Lecture Season, Potluck & Group Sharing

Join us for a **vegetarian** potluck to celebrate the opening of our Friday lecture season. We'll have time for group sharing of our individual insights and experiences that occurred over the summer.

Sep 20 Vignettes of China's Depth and Breadth

Presentation by Claudia Fontana

Claudia Fontana, experienced Eurythmist, has been teaching in China since 2011. She will give some glimpses into the profound imagery of the Chinese script. Also, what does the Chinese person reveal of his/her spiritual character when referring to himself with the word "I" ?

Sep 27 The Path Towards Peacemaking

(Peacemaking with Self and The World: Inner Calm and Peace of Mind)

Presentation by Mike Whitty

Getting Out of Our Own Way: Trusting Ourselves and Trusting Life will greatly increase our peace of mind. After a brief meditative reflection on spirituality and positive psychology, we will have small group breakouts for sharing the ways we keep our thoughts, emotions, and spirit framed in a positive manner. How might we all help each other to strive for a daily mantra of thankfulness and positive thoughts especially speaking of concerns in a hopeful, optimistic and positive manner? Mike Whitty is a spiritual futurist and student of integral consciousness.

Oct 4-5 Annie Besant: The Diamond Soul and Theosophy: The Utopian Ideal Friday Lecture and Saturday Presentation.

with Colin Boyce from England's Foundation for Theosophical Studies

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ONGOING ACTIVITIES

If you have any questions or comments about our ongoing activities, please call (248) 545-1961 or email theosodet@gmail.com

MONDAYS: 2ND MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH 7:00 PM

BOOK STUDY

The Astral Body and Other Astral Phenomena (Classics Series) by A.E. Powell. In print since 1927, this study of our subtle body is based on the works of theosophical authors and noted clairvoyants, including H. P. Blavatsky, C. W. Leadbeater, and Annie Besant, and is one of a series of 5 books dealing with our dimensions of consciousness and our role in the Scheme of Evolution.

TUESDAYS: 7:00 PM TO 8:30 PM Getting Acquainted with The Secret Doctrine

MEMBERS' MEETING AND STUDY

Continue study of H. P. Blavatsky's remarkable work *The Secret Doctrine* assisted by the study course *Getting Acquainted with The Secret Doctrine* by John Algeo. *The Secret Doctrine* is the basis for modern theosophy, its subject is the origin and essential nature of the universe and of humanity.

WEDNESDAYS: 7:00 PM TO 9:00 PM Open Forum facilitated by Gary Contesti and Galen Garst

OPEN DISCUSSION



BOOKSTORE HOURS

TUESDAYS

10:00 AM to 3:00 PM

NOTE: SEE TSD WEB SITE

FOR EXCEPTIONS



Theosophical Society in Detroit parking is limited. . .

The **good news** is. . .the Vinsetta Garage restaurant (next door) offers

<u>free valet parking</u>

for people attending our programs.

Just tell the parking attendant that you are attending a program at the Theosophical Society in Detroit.