

# JOURNEYS

Newsletter

# CENTRE FOR INTERSPIRITUAL PEACE



INTERSPIRITUALITY RESTS ON A VAST COMMUNITY OF **INSIGHT AND EXPERIENCE** AVAILABLE TO HUMANITY AT ALL TIMES AND IN ALL PLACES. THIS COMMUNITY EMBRACES THE COLLECTIVE WISDOM OF THE HUMAN FAMILY. BEHIND THIS VAST COMMUNITY OF COLLECTIVE AWARENESS IS THE ONE SPIRIT, INSPIRING BREAKTHROUGHS TO ITS REALM, OPENING MINDS AND HEARTS. TRANSFORMING ATTITUDES AND WILLS, AND **ENCOURAGING GROWTH IN** COMPASSION, LOVE. KINDNESS, MERCY, AND SENSITIVITY.

BRO. WAYNE TEASDALE

Dear friends,

It has been more than a month since the Centre for Interspiritual Peace held their first open retreat day. We were delighted to have you come along to participate in spiritual practices that brought us together in peace, love, and unity. The creation of this WhatsApp group is for the purpose of keeping you informed about the vision and plans for future events that the steering committee implement. This to hoping newsletter, as well as those that will follow. are designed to keep you up to date with the events that we hope to hold in the near future. (cont. Pg 2)









We were very grateful for your feedback following our inaugural retreat. You told us that you want more retreats that promote collective prayer, meditation and worship.

Our vision is to build community around the principles and values of interspirituality. According to Wayne Teasdale, "Interspirituality is the combined spiritual wisdom amassed across faith traditions and across time....[it] includes the courageous tendency to religious and spiritual creativity, which springs from understanding how much can be gained by venturing out of one's comfort and familiarity and into other traditions."

Our aim is to discover and explore the oneness that can be found in our diversity while accepting and embracing the diversity that can be found in our oneness.

Here are some of the events that we are hoping to hold once the holiday season is over:

### Picnic Day

We are planning a picnic day on Saturday the 15th of February at the Hobart Botanical Gardens. This will be an opportunity for contemplative activities as well as getting to know each other better.



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## **Public Retreat Day**

Our next public retreat day will be on Saturday 15th of March at the Friends Meeting House in Newtown.

#### Silent Music

We will continue to provide the Silent Music sessions on the second Tuesday of every month at 7.30pm. These will only be accessible via Zoom on the following link:

## https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6401673016

You are warmly invited to all these events!!

The committee really values hearing from you, whether it's just to introduce yourself, to offer feedback and suggestions, or to offer some assistance in whatever capacity you can manage.

We are contactable via our email address, our website address, or on our Facebook site. These addresses can be found under the heading "Contact Us".

Alternatively, you can communicate with us on this new WhatsApp site.

Wishing you all a very joyful and peaceful holy season.

In loving friendship, CIP Steering Committee:

Shih Jingang, Anne Bliss, Nagaratnam Jeyasreedharan (Sree), Terry Sussmilch, Cathy Nuttman, and Julian McGarry