

Creative Life

TODAY

CREATIVE LIFE SPIRITUAL CENTER

Our 29th year!

Jesse Jennings, Marsha Lehman and Debra Morwood, Ministers

Mind Power Session Your Invisible Power



Rev. Arthur

Genevieve Behrend was the only personal student of Thomas Troward, the master of Mental Science. In her memorable masterwork, *Your Invisible Power*, she teaches how to use the

power of visualization and other processes taught by Thomas Troward to transform your life. You really can be, do and achieve what you want in life. Your power and potential is unlimited. Behrend says, "We all possess more power and greater possibilities than we realize, and visualizing is one of the greatest of these powers. It brings other possibilities to our observation." Minister **Arthur Johnson** presents a four-week Mind Power Session, **MONDAYS, 7:00-8:30PM**, starting **APRIL 6**. All are welcome; cost is \$60. Please sign up in Builders' Hall. For more information:

arthur@arthurjohnson.com



We have not received a spirit of bondage but one of adoption. (Rom. 8) This is a beautiful saying. It implies that we are adopted by the Supreme Spirit as its own offspring. How could it be otherwise since we are made of the same stuff as the central fire... This is the spirit of freedom whereby we are all born free.

Ernest Holmes



EASTER
We shall all be changed
with musical guest
EDDIE WATKINS, JR.

FIELD DAY
Having gifts differing, cleave to what is good

Pray without ceasing; in everything give thanks

Not robbery to be equal with God
with musical guest
EMILY ELBERT

Emily Elbert
in concert
"Emily is among the most glowing of the upcoming generation of American singer-songwriters, if 'upcoming' even applies to this phenom any longer."
-Boston Folk Festival

Saturday April 25
showtime 7PM
Doors open 6pm
"Happy hour" snack foods

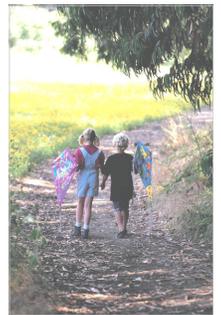
Tickets
\$15 advance
\$20 at door
Ages 6-12, \$10 • Under 5 free

Tickets on sale now at CLC and online via PayPal

Field Day!

Our first was so much fun (and also a great windy day), here it comes again!

On **SUNDAY, APRIL 12**, after the **11AM** celebration, we'll fly kites in the back parking lot, fling some Frisbees, maybe play a little croquet or badminton and — whatever you'd like to bring by way of outdoor games. We'll also enjoy ice cream and whatever snacks anyone wants to bring. Thanks to **Alline Dawson**, whose idea this was, we will have extra kites on hand. Come play!





Sunday morning Meditations

"...Sit and rest and refresh your soul.
Eat of the fruit and drink the wine.
All, all is yours, and you are welcome."
—*The Science of Mind* text



The Sunday morning meditation is actually an awesome extra to Sunday celebrations. Led by practitioner **Malené Njeri** or others (see below), it's 35 minutes, ending in time to comfortably get into the 11am celebration. There is music to enhance as you are guided into a restful state, and inspirational readings to tap into your spiritual center. Don't be concerned about being late. Stand a moment outside the door and bring yourself to complete silence. Maintain that silence as you enter. You'll find yourself suddenly present in the meditation and all is well. **SUNDAYS 10:15-10:50AM**, upstairs in the Learning Center. Leaders:

APRIL 5 Kathy Faulkner

APRIL 12 Janet Carman

APRIL 19 Tom Ryan

APRIL 26 Linda Clesson

Science of Mind QuickStart



Rev. Morene

This is a breezy, fun and, yes, quick study of the basics of our teaching and their practical application, especially for our newer members and friends. Topics will include • New Thought and world religions • Spirit, mind, emotions and the body • The creative process and what it means for you • Intuition and imagination • Meditation and treatment. Using a very interactive workbook and lots of animated discussion, participants learn and grow together. Appreciative giving plus \$5 workbook. It's led by minister **Morene Barker-Morris**, two **SUNDAYS, APRIL 12 & 19, 1-4PM**. Please sign up in Builders' Hall or by e-mail to...

mbarkermorris@yahoo.com

EDDIE WATKINS, JR.

*"My music is an expression
of all the experiences of my life."*



Growing up in the ghettos of Detroit, playing bass on recordings with the Temptations and Marvin Gaye at 17, being "brought up" by the Motown greats, becoming a studio musician, making lots of money, moving to LA with Motown, substance abuse and recovery; led to a spiritual search. When he became involved in Religious Science in 1997 songs woke him up, pouring out of him. His first CD was conceived, recorded, produced and selling in six months. Eddie's second CD, *We Come*

Together, was released in June of 2008; the third CD, *And So It Is*, in June, 2009; and the fourth, *When You Believe*, in June of 2012. Eddie served three years as the Music Director at Center for Spiritual Living in Las Vegas and three years as the Director of Music Ministries at Center for Spiritual Living in Seattle. He has recorded with Marvin Gaye, Quincy Jones, James Brown, Santana, Cher, Diana Ross, Herbie Hancock, Patti Labelle, the Pointer Sisters, Peter Frampton, Gato Barbieri, the Temptations, Phyllis Hyman, Norman Connors, Thelma Houston, Nancy Wilson, and many more. "I know what my life purpose is, to share this music with the world." Eddie visits CLC at both services on Easter **SUNDAY, APRIL 5!** eddiewatkinsjr.com

COMING IN MAY

Project Teddy Bear



This is our fourth year of teddy bear collecting. **Alline Dawson** brought us the idea and coordinates the collection of stuffed animals (new, please), which sit with us in the services for the month of **MAY** and then toddle off to new homes in the arms of appreciative children. Alline can help direct you to the best bear deals around, and welcomes your help: allinedawson@yahoo.com

This Thing Called You book study



Peggy E.

The study of Ernest Holmes's book, *This Thing Called You*, created and led by practitioner **Peggy Engelhardt**, will again meet for four Sunday classes. Chapters 1-10 will be reviewed the first hour of class one (**MAY 17**). Then we will begin study of chapter eleven the second hour. If you did not meet with us during the first session, you are most welcomed to join us now.

This book is one of Holmes's cornerstone works. His beginning statement is "You, like all others, are seeking the joy of living. You wish to be needed, to be loved, to be included in the drama of life. This urge is in every individual." The class will focus on practical ways to move toward the joy Holmes speaks about. The law of attraction, how to hush your inner critic, establishing new habits that serve us well, and understanding the power of our words are some of the subjects we will explore.

There is no homework and class discussion/participation is encouraged and welcomed. **SUNDAYS, MAY 17** through **JUNE 1, 1:00-2:30PM**. Cost is \$40 plus the book. Please sign up in Builders' Hall or by e-mail to...

PeggyEngelhardt2@gmail.com



Wisdom of the Universe weekly discussions



Dick & Denese

We are studying the confluence of metaphysics and science to help us better understand how the world of consciousness gives rise to our world of form. Using books, speakers and various forms of media, we bring current information forward for open discussion.

WEDNESDAYS, 12-2PM, led by Denese & Dick Schmelzkopf, who also teach at the Academy of Lifelong Learning at Lone Star College (Montgomery). All are welcome and you may join anytime. Appreciative giving. For more information:

denese28@comcast.net

A Course in Miracles weekly discussions



Bill

A Course in Miracles is "a unique, universal, self-study spiritual thought system that teaches the way to Love and Inner Peace is through forgiveness." (acim.org)



Cathy

The Course states, "...seek not to change the world, but choose to change your mind about the world."

The group is now in its 11th year of weekly meetings at CLC, led by Bill and practitioner Cathy MacKenzie, 7PM THURSDAYS, in the McTaggart Library, upstairs. All are welcome; join anytime. Appreciative giving. For more information...

billmackz@gmail.com • catmackz@gmail.com

CODA meetings

We now host weekly open meetings of Codependents Anonymous, SATURDAYS, 5-6PM, in the McTaggart Library, upstairs. For more information please e-mail Lisa C. at lcucerre@mtntking.com

Wednesday celebrations at 7pm

Our midweek celebrations in the Great Hall feature a talk by Jesse Jennings or a guest, plus live music, poetry, prayer support, and fun surprises!

Our usual practitioners on duty are David Dewhurst and Lisa Ryan, while Lorraine Sasser staffs the bookstore. Want to gift us with your music on a Wednesday night? E-mail Nancy at bonillamay@gmail.com for details.

THE APRIL SERIES: THE TEMPORAL & THE ETERNAL

Become as a fool, that ye may be wise

with music by To be announced

But he that is spiritual judges all things

with music by David Mayes

The house not made with hands

with music by Jimmy Caldwell

Gifts of faith, hope and charity

with music by Bill Birch

Do It Anyway



with guest speaker Judy Bunch

Always a poet and writer, Judy has spent her life on a spiritual journey. She grew up sampling different faiths and has not stopped as an adult, being an active participant in a variety of churches, which experiences are the basic foundation for her spiritual practices. Judy has been a leader in many Unitarian Universalist activities including as chair of committees, newsletter editor, lay leader who organized and invited speakers, board president, and choir director. Presently, she sings in a choir and gives inspirational talks. Pursuing spirituality in other venues, she served as leader in the Woodlands Wonder Workers, using her gift as the Spring Stone Crone in which she reads stones, sometimes called lithomancy, in a way similar to reading tea leaves, which she also teaches to others.

Judy underwent eight surgeries in eight years beginning December 2006, retired from full-time work, and obtained her certificate as a

Healing Touch Spiritual Ministry practitioner in May 2010. She also received a certificate as a minister from Universal Ministries, which gives her the opportunity to officiate for house blessings, weddings, funerals and memorial services.

At CLC she took the Heartfelt Living class, made many friends, and has been an even greater supporter of CLC ever since. She'll speak here, in a talk titled *Do It Anyway*, with insights drawn from the life and work of Mother Teresa, on WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, at 7PM. We'll also enjoy music by her friend and Heartfelt Living classmate, Margaret Byrd.

Bardic Circle



If you have felt the calling of the Bard — to sing, dance, write or tell stories — then come to the monthly Bardic Circle! Here we meet to share our talents and to be

honored and blessed for doing so. All forms of creative expression are welcomed, in meetings led by David "Great Bear" Mayes, a long-time student of Pagan and Native American spiritual traditions, who tells stories, sings and plays his handmade flutes. Next is TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 7-9PM in Katherman Hall. Appreciative giving.

greatbear1@peoplepc.com



Heartfelt Connection Communication from the Inside Out



Rev. Marsha

Needed: a volunteer focus group to try out parts of a newly developing class being written by minister **Marsha Lehman**. You will be asked to participate in proofreading the written material and take part in some of the activities offered in the class. You will then give feedback about the effectiveness and note improvements that you see are important. We will meet for four consecutive **TUESDAYS, APRIL 7-28, 7:30-9:30PM**, upstairs in the Learning Center.

As well as being an enormous help to Marsha you will also greatly benefit from the class materials and exercises that we experiment with. The group ideally needs to be 15-20 people. Those who participate in this focus group will receive a 50% discount when the first official class is rolled out in September. There is no charge for this four-week experience. Please sign up in Builders' Hall.

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May's musical guests



KEN GAINES & WAYNE WILKERSON

Houston-area singer/songwriter, guitarist, producer, and teacher **Ken Gaines** has the goal of writing great songs in just about every genre and style. His voice has the range to cover all styles

and his supple guitar work lays down arrangements instead of just chords. His lyrics are both powerful and poetic and highlight the skills of a story teller and observer of life. In 2005 he was voted Singer Songwriter of the Year by the Academy of Texas Music and in 2007 his song "Einstein's Violin" was nominated Song of the Year at the Texas Music Awards. Ken is a regular at the Kerrville Folk Festival both on stage and around the song circles and, in 2009, was chosen as the festival opener. Since the fall of 1998 he's produced and hosted the songwriter's series at Houston's legendary Anderson Fair. In 2010 he was featured in the documentary film, "For the Sake of the Song: The Story of Anderson Fair," starring Lyle Lovett, Lucinda Williams, Guy Clark, Robert Earl Keen, and Nancy Griffith, and a host of performers who have graced the stage since 1969. Ken currently has two CDs in print, *Catfish Moon* (2006) and *Real Men* (2002) on the Songdog Record label.

Ken is joined today by Houston's most called-upon guitar accompanist, **Wayne Wilkerson**. A guitar wizard and amazing lead player, Wayne owned the third Collings guitar ever made, and still plays them. Along with Darryl Pettit (Lonnie's brother), he was the first act to play McGonigle's Mucky Duck, and has performed with many songwriters at the Kerrville Folk Festival. Wayne has played with Ron Crick since the 1970s, including a gig at Carnegie Hall in 1983 when they opened for Don MacLean, and with Tom Paxton as well.

Ken and Wayne visit Creative Life again on Mother's Day, **SUNDAY, MAY 10!**

kengaines.com

Spring Garden Party



Garden Gods and Goddesses, you are invited to join use from **9AM-12PM** on **SATURDAY, MAY 2**, as we beautify the courtyard. We will be raking, weeding and trimming. Snacks and drinks will be served. Bring your gloves and favorite tool. Please RSVP to **Franceska Perot-Starcevic** or **Michele Macias**...

fdperot@sbcglobal.net • thegriefhealingcenter@yahoo.com

Blood drive and brunch



For 18 years CLCers have been regularly serving the community in this way.

Our second drive of 2015 happens **SUNDAY, MAY 31**, along with a potluck

brunch for the whole community.

At giveblood.org you can register as a *Commit for Life* donor and schedule your donation time, then log in early on the morning of the drive and answer the donor questions. We seek volunteers to set up and clean up after the meal, place signs, etc.; the team leader is **Margo Juarez**. Sign up in Builders' Hall to donate or bring food. To volunteer:

margojuarez@gmail.com

Your Guide to Creative Life mini-workshop



Here's a short, free workshop with founding minister **Jesse Jennings** that's especially for those new to CLC and/or to what we teach, and a prerequisite for anyone wishing to become a member who has not yet completed *Heartfelt Living*. We'll discuss the basics of our philosophy and way of life, but also how the Center came to be, and how it's cared

for and supported; our classes and programs; and what membership means. There will be plenty of time for questions plus you'll get printed materials to take home. **SUNDAY, MAY 3, 1:00-2:30PM**. Please sign up in advance in Builders' Hall or by e-mail to info@creativelife.org.



Diagrams for Living & Alter Your Life book study



John Hickman

"[The Bible] outlines diagrams for living so that you can take the necessary steps to make your life worthwhile and interesting. This biography of you is called the Bible, and, whether you realize it or not, you are on every page from Genesis to Revelation." —Emmet Fox

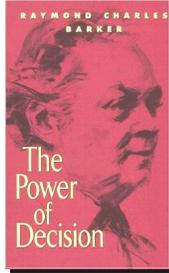
These writings by Emmet Fox unveil hidden meanings that mystics have known for centuries. If you are not familiar with this teaching then you might be pleasantly surprised. We will explore some well-known Bible stories and learn their symbolic meanings and how these truths can help you in your everyday life. Join us as we contemplate the idea that the Seven Days of Creation and the treatment process used in Science of Mind are basically the same. Discover the hidden symbols behind people and places that open up new levels of awareness within you. Become aware of the spiritual meaning of Adam and Eve and the Garden of Eden. Learn the symbolic meaning of "our daily bread."

We will find that the esoteric knowledge contained within the Bible confirms our Science of Mind teaching. This six-week book study, created and led by CLCer **John Hickman**, is open to everyone, and happens **MAY 16-JUNE 13, 10AM-12PM**, in Katherman Hall. Cost of the event is \$15 per week, and you'll need the books *Alter Your Life* and *Diagrams For Living*, by Emmet Fox, available here. A free workbook will be provided. Please sign up in Builders' Hall, and for more information:

jdh455@verizon.net

Intermediate Science of Mind Courses

The Power of Decision



"The fact that you and every other living soul want health, wealth, joy, and self-expression indicates that their possibilities are already in you, or you could not seek them in your world of experience. If they are within you, how did they get there? Mind individualized these potentials in your consciousness because, only as you express these needs, are you expressing life intelligently.."

—Raymond Charles Barker (1911-1988)

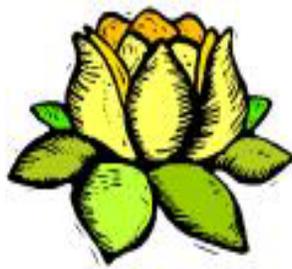
What mind can conceive, you can achieve. Our decisions impact every area of our lives. Making better decisions means living a better life. But how can we develop the habit of making great decisions? Every noteworthy achievement the world has ever seen was born with a single thought.

Raymond Charles Barker's *The Power of Decision* reveals this principle of success and illustrates the process of choice that all of us must take — and that all of us are capable, this very second, of taking — to change our lives and make our dreams come true. In this course, we'll examine this basic truth while exploring the decision-making process in the individual, and the role of the subconscious mind in either abetting or thwarting each of our conscious decisions, and learn specific steps to shift the balance of decision-making power in your favor.

Practitioners **Sharon Mignerey** and **Shirley Sandlin** lead this eight-week certificated class experience, **THURSDAYS 6:30-9:30PM**, starting **APRIL 16** through **JUNE 4**. Tuition is \$200 and all you'll need is the book, *The Power of Decision*, available here. Please sign up in Builders' Hall.

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Practical Mysticism



For *Heartfelt Living* graduates, this ten-week course explores mysticism and provides a framework for living the mystical life here and now. The main purpose of this class is to evoke the inner mystic that indwells you. This is something that cannot be taught, intellectualized, or forced. Awakening the inner mystic is invitational in that the Divine Self comes forward as we prepare ourselves and invite it to do so. The

class is entitled *Practical Mysticism* because true mystics are grounded, fully expressing their humanity as well as their divinity. You'll learn four types of meditation, practice the presence of God, discover "witness" consciousness, plus much more on spiritual mind treatment, in a combination of discussion and periods of silent and guided meditation. The course is led by minister **Jesse Jennings**, assisted by practitioner **David Dewhurst**, and tuition is \$250 plus a workbook and two texts — *The Essential Mystics*, by Andrew Harvey, and *Seven Paths to God: The Ways of the Mystic*, by Joan Borysenko — all available in our bookstore. It happens **SATURDAY** mornings, **10AM-1PM**, starting **MAY 9**, through **JULY 18** (no class on **JUNE 20**) Please sign up in Builders' Hall or to...

info@creativelife.org • dbdewhurst@yahoo.com



CHILDREN & YOUTH



Rev. Debra

Children begin their Sunday learning adventures in the registration area in the youth foyer, then move to their classrooms, returning to the Great Hall to be reunited with their

parents in time for the closing song. Some Sundays we offer special theme workshops for the kids, too.

We are devoted to providing a safe environment for our happy children! CLC's Youth Director, minister **Debra Morwood**, reminds parents that when your children are returned to the Great Hall on Sunday, please note it is the policy of the Center that each child, no matter the age, must be supervised by their adult caregiver. The children are not allowed to be outside their classrooms *unless accompanied*.

If you have any questions or concerns about our classes, Debra is in the youth lobby from **10:15-11AM** on **SUNDAYS**, or call her at **(281) 651-9295** or connect by e-mail to debramorwood@sbcglobal.net

MORE TEACHERS, PLEASE!

We're seeking one toddler attendant, and one teacher each for the 3-6-year-olds, 7-10s, and 11-15s.

Curriculum and all materials are provided! Come help, in a delightful atmosphere, among a team of mutually supportive teachers, and the most wonderful kids imaginable! If this speaks to you, please contact our youth director, minister **Debra Morwood**, at debramorwood@sbcglobal.net

NEWS & NOTES

- The **APRIL** theme for the children's classes is *Ancient Hindu Stories*.
- Many thanks to new teen teachers **Carol & Richard Stromatt!**
- For parents: age-appropriate prayer/treatment opens all the classes, and for each class there is age-appropriate discussion of the monthly theme and creative projects to enhance the learning.
- Just after noon all the teachers and children gather in the reception area of the Learning Center for our closing prayer circle. Following this, the teachers will bring the children to you in the Great Hall.

WHAT WE DO

The CLC *Children's and Youth Services Department* is devoted to celebrating the spiritual development of each child we teach. All age groups are involved in various activities, workshops, and special projects incorporating the teachings of Science of Mind. We strive to create an atmosphere of love and kindness in our words and actions toward each other and to recognize and honor the diversity of every person.

- **Toddlers** (up to age 3) are lovingly cared for by our toddler teachers. In their very artistically designed Discovery Room, the children are encouraged to interact and experience their world as only a toddler can. They are offered games, toys, books and other age-appropriate activities in a safe, secure and loving environment.
- **3-6 age group.** Beginning around the age of 3, our toddlers are moved to the Ingenuity Room. This group begins to learn the basics of Treatment and the value of giving a smile and a kind word. Our creative teachers provide age-appropriate instruction and activities.
- **7-10 age group** are in the Quimby Room, regularly practicing the steps of Treatment presented in a manner appropriate to their age group. The teachers provide learning tools, creative projects, workshops and other teaching methods to engage each child's learning of the principles of Science of Mind.
- **11-15 age group** meet on the second floor of the Learning Center in the Hopkins classroom. They are engaged in special projects, workshops, have guest speakers and are involved in several volunteer service endeavors at CLC. The teachers working with this group encourage their talents, keep them engaged in learning Science of Mind principles and we throw in a bit of fun along the way!



Rachel Lino created this event in 2004; now **Melody Berryman** leads it each year, and it has grown to where children changing age groups in our Sunday classes, and all who wish to acknowledge and ritualize a significant life-passage, are invited to come cross a ceremonial bridge during the Sunday celebration.

If your child would like to perform musically, please e-mail melodyberryman@sbcglobal.net by **SUNDAY, AUGUST 9**.



Buddy Backpack



You can now help by donating cash or Kroger cards or generic gift cards (only -- no checks, please, or other store-specific cards); or by volunteering to help pack or deliver the food to the Montgomery County Food Bank every three weeks. See the display in Builders' Hall. Identified cash donations are of course recorded and are tax-deductible. Our commitment to the Buddy Backpack program is to feed 15 young students every weekend throughout the school year, as well as to recruit other faith communities into the project (three so far!).

The next shopping dates are **TUESDAYS, APRIL 7 & 28**, and the shopping team leader is **Sean Kenneth Connolly**. The next packing dates are **FRIDAYS, APRIL 17 & MAY 8**, at 1PM, and that team leader is **Michele Macias**. The next delivery dates are **MONDAYS, APRIL 20 & MAY 11**, at 10:15AM, and that team leader is **Sandy Tramel**.

Our program co-coordinators are **Carol Stromatt** and **Alline Dawson**. With general questions, and also to volunteer at the new MCFB facility, please e-mail Carol at...

cstromatt@gdcrealty.com



Our Creative Life practitioners are outstanding spiritual support persons, available to lovingly and confidentially assist you, and are at your service. Each has spent hundreds of hours in training, to direct natural compassion into helping you through listening, caring, and using spiritual mind treatment — affirmative prayer — to reveal the truth of you that is greater than any apparent limitation. Each is licensed by the Centers for Spiritual Living, and engages in ongoing study and spiritual development. Have a new goal, an old problem, or a question about applying our teaching? Work with a practitioner

and watch what happens with conscious use of the Law of Mind!

- At **prayer circles** every **SUNDAY** in the Garden Room, following each service, with the Practitioner-of-the-Day, and now by telebridge. Practitioner **Sheryl Boyle** hosts a weekly gathering, **TUESDAYS, 7:30PM**, by telebridge (phone) where you can join with others to submit prayer requests and have them treated upon. Be thinking about any desire you might have in the areas of abundance/prosperity/flow; relationships with self and others; career and job (might include promotions; pleasant working environment, or looking for a new job); emotional and physical health; and of course spiritual understanding, inner peace, and sense of communion with your God/Source. This is a free service. Call **(605) 475-3235** and enter code **664697#**.
- **By appointment**, on an individual fee basis, for a one-hour session of spiritual support and treatment...
- **Prayer anytime**. The CSL World Ministry of Prayer handles urgent requests at **(866) 306-5546**.
- **More options** for requesting and receiving prayer support include using a form on our website here:

creativelife.org/links/prayerrequest.php

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Donate soccer gear

Lynn Rippelmeyer is trying to help others keep Honduran kids busy and off the streets and drugs through their favorite sport: soccer. Please place used soccer equipment -- shoes, shin guards, goalie gloves, socks, jerseys or t-shirts, even balls (deflated if possible) -- as well as general shoes and clothing, in the collection bin by the copy room door. Says Lynn, "Thank you to all who have supported this project over the years. You guys are the best." Contact her at **(281) 356-7506** or ljripp@comcast.net

Life Center support

The Life Center is a residential care facility for the homeless at 4516 Old Yale Street in the Heights. They gratefully welcome your donations of cleaning supplies, trash bags, non-perishable food, clothing, hygiene and grooming products, light bulbs, appliances, cooking utensils, computer supplies, linens, and blankets. The collection bin is behind the door by the copy room. Want more info? Contact **Michael Martin** at...

michael@mslawfirmllp.com



We're grateful for

♥ **Michael Mandrell**, for all his help installing a new microphone in the Great Hall piano...

♥ **Margo Juarez** and all her helpers for another excellent blood drive on March 22nd...

♥ Everyone who made *Volunteer Day* so great: the **Stromatts**, who donated the barbeque for the brunch; the team leaders who staffed tables; and of course all our volunteers past, present, and future, who keep the Center rolling...

♥ **Sean Kenneth Connelly**, who repaired the bookstore deck hand rail; moved the roof lights; repaired the garden light; and tended to our well in the last big freeze of the season...

♥ **Franceska Perot-Starcevic**, who donated 147 books to our lending library...

♥ **Janet Carman**, for presenting the March 21st *SoulCollage*® workshop...

♥ March's wonderful Sunday guest musicians, **Lainey Bernstein**, **Fletcher Clark**, and **Michael Mandrell**...

♥ Wednesday musicians and poets **Michele Macias**, **John McDonald**, **Robin Roberts**, and **Robin Van Pelt**, with support crew **Nancy Bonilla-May**, practitioner **David Dewhurst**, ministerial student **Lisa Ryan** & husband **Tom**, and **Lorraine Sasser**...

♥ March 27th *Danceathon* presenters **Amy Alvarez**, **Rochelle Barker**, **Nancy Bonilla-May**, and **Jeffrey Powell**, who raised money for the *Buddy Backpack* program...

♥ Sunday meditation leaders **Janet Carman**, **Linda Clesson**, **David Dewhurst**, **Kathy Faulkner**, **Rev. Marsha Lehman**, **Malené Njeri**, **Monty Wilson**, and **Tom Ryan**...

♥ *Heartfelt Usher/Greeters*, **Suresh Balachandran**, **Bob Biddison**, **Jimmy Caldwell**, **Linda Clesson**, **Babs & David Dewhurst**, **Ken Dwight**, **Jeanice & Jerry Felkins**, **Linda & Tom Grayson**, **Elly Hard**, **Rick Huttner**, **Diana Jugon**, **Sharon Mignerey**, **Ann Richardson**, **Shirley Sandlin**, **Judith Sherbenou**, and **Carol Stromatt**. To help, e-mail at billmackz@gmail.com

New Members

Elnora Bratland • Spring
John Garlock • The Woodlands
Michael Schmidt • Conroe
Rhonda Toppel • Spring
Robin Roberts • Magnolia
Paul Watson • Houston



Transition

♥ **Veronica MacKenzie**, mother of our **Bill MacKenzie**, graduated into larger life on March 17th. We surround the family with our comforting thoughts and prayers.

Weddings

These three couples were all married on Saturday, March 7th...

♥♥ **Linda Benthall & Carter Frank**
 ♥♥ **Saskya Gagneaux & Piero Toffano**
 ♥♥ **Rachel Keller & Aaron Maurice** and on March 14...

♥♥ **Kristie Taylor & Kenneth Muzny**
 The last three ceremonies were performed by minister **Debra Morwood**.

Christening

💧 **Cassius Chandler Powell**, son of **Tracey Cheiffetz & Jeffrey Powell**, was welcomed to our world in a ceremony on March 29th!

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CALENDAR



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EVENT KEY

- Celebration service
- SOM certificated class
- Other class/group/event
- Meditation/prayer/ritual
- Music & arts event
- Social/service/business
- Youth event



Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Feast of Fools Wisdom of the Universe discussion • 12PM MIDWEEK CELEBRATION: Become as a fool, that ye may be wise JESSE JENNINGS • 7PM Music: TBA	2 A Course in Miracles discussion • 7P	3 Passover begins at sunset Good Friday Buddy Backpack packing team • 1P	4 ○ CODA meeting • 5P

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
5 Easter CELEBRATIONS 9:30 & 11, with minister JESSE JENNINGS We shall all be changed with musical guest, EDDIE WATKINS, JR. Meditation • 10:15A Prayer Circle • 10:30 & 12 Children and Youth • 11A Prosperity Plus II class 7 of 10 • 2P	6 Buddy Backpack delivery team • 10:15A Our World Within and Practitioner II classes • 6:30P Heartfelt Living class 9 of 11 • 7P	7 Heartfelt Connection class 1 of 4 • 7:30P Prayer Circle by telebridge • 7:30P	8 Buddha Day Wisdom of the Universe discussion • 12P MIDWEEK CELEBRATION: But he that is spiritual judges all things JESSE JENNINGS • 7P Music: DAVID MAYES	9 A Course in Miracles discussion • 7P	10 A Course in Miracles discussion • 7P	11 CODA meeting • 5P
12 ☾ CELEBRATIONS 9:30 & 11, with minister JESSE JENNINGS Having gifts differing, cleave to what is good Field Day • all morning Meditation • 10:15A Prayer Circle • 10:30 & 12 Children and Youth • 11A Quickstart part 1 • 1P Prosperity Plus II class 8 of 10 • 2P	13 Our World Within and Practitioner II classes • 6:30P Heartfelt Living class 10 of 11 • 7P	14 Buddy Backpack shopping team • TBA Heartfelt Connection class 2 of 4 • 7:30P Prayer Circle by telebridge • 7:30P	15 Yom HaShoah begins at sunset Wisdom of the Universe discussion • 12P MIDWEEK CELEBRATION: The house not made with hands JESSE JENNINGS • 7P Music: TBA	16 The Power of Decision opening class • 6:30P A Course in Miracles discussion • 7P	17 A Course in Miracles discussion • 7P	18 ● CODA meeting • 5P
19 CELEBRATIONS 9:30 & 11, with minister JESSE JENNINGS Pray without ceasing; in everything give thanks Meditation • 10:15A Prayer Circle • 10:30 & 12 Children and Youth • 11A Quickstart part 2 • 1P Prosperity Plus II class 9 of 10 • 2P	20 Our World Within and Practitioner II classes • 6:30P Heartfelt Living final class • 7P	21 Heartfelt Connection class 3 of 4 • 7:30P Prayer Circle by telebridge • 7:30P	22 Earth Day Wisdom of the Universe discussion • 12P MIDWEEK CELEBRATION: Gifts of faith, hope and charity JESSE JENNINGS • 7P Original verse: DICK SCHMELZKOPF	23 The Power of Decision class 2 of 8 • 6:30P A Course in Miracles discussion • 7P	24 Arbor Day Buddy Backpack packing team • 1P	25 ☽ CODA meeting • 5P Emily Elbert in concert 7P • Tickets \$15 advance, \$20 at door
26 CELEBRATIONS 9:30 & 11, with minister JESSE JENNINGS No robbery to be equal with God with musical guest, EMILY ELBERT Meditation • 10:15A Prayer Circle • 10:30 & 12 Children and Youth • 11A Prosperity Plus II final class • 2P	27 Our World Within and Practitioner II classes • 6:30P	28 Bardic Circle 7P Heartfelt Connection final class • 7:30P Prayer Circle by telebridge • 7:30P	29 Wisdom of the Universe discussion • 12P MIDWEEK CELEBRATION: Do it anyway Guest speaker, JUDY BUNCH • 7P Music: MARGARET BYRD	30 The Power of Decision class 3 of 8 • 6:30P A Course in Miracles discussion • 7P	Emily Elbert in concert "Emily is among the most glowing of the upcoming generation of American singer-songwriters. If 'upcoming' even applies to this phenom any longer." -Boston Folk Festival Saturday April 25 showtime 7pm Doors open 6pm "Happy hour" snack foods Tickets \$15 advance \$20 at door Ages 6-12, \$10 • Under 5 free Tickets on sale now at CLC and online via PayPal	