



# EARTH HEALER



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An Earth-Based, Pagan-Themed, Unitarian Universalist Congregation in Kansas City

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## Good Clean Muddy Fun

The Social Justice committee is hoping to have a lot of people get their hands dirty for our next project: from Spring Equinox to the Summer Solstice, we're going to make available plenty of opportunities for environmental action, cleanups, and awareness raising. Planned activities include:

- Saturday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, 1 to 4 PM: A cleanup will be held along Tomahawk Creek in Johnson County on this date; if there's interest, let Andrew know and we can send a group there to help as a 'precursor' to...
- Saturday, April 4<sup>th</sup>, 9 AM to 4 PM: Each year, Gaia Community adults and kids get into the muck, leaves, mud and detritus and help clean up all up and down the Blue River as part of Lakeside Nature Center's **Project Blue River Rescue**. Sign-in begins at 8AM, but they break for lunch and you can show up in the afternoon even if you can't make it in the morning! Tools, gloves, and age-appropriate sites are all available. See Greta or the sign-up sheet soon to appear on the Greeter's Table if you're interested.
- Saturday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, we're planning on initiating our own cleanup of a stream down the road from Greta's house, between 64<sup>th</sup> and 66<sup>th</sup> Street on the Paseo in KCMO. More details on that project will be coming next month!
- Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, 11 AM to 4 PM: EarthFest and the EarthWalk are later than usual this year; nevertheless, we'll be sharing a table with the Heartland Spiritual Alliance again this year at EarthFest, and both KidSpace and Social Justice will be spearheading our usual "plant a seed" project for kids attending the event. If you can help out, let Greta or Linda know.
- We're also looking toward partnering with the Missouri Stream Team (who help organize the Blue River Rescue) and/or the Kansas Water Environment Association to leverage the broad geographical reach of our congregation into helping them with their water quality monitoring, cleanup efforts, and spreading the word about the importance of keeping our watersheds as pure as possible. They may come out and do a presentation for our community, or we may send interested folks to one of their regular trainings.

If you have other ideas for activities, let us know!

*- Social Justice Committee*

## Cottage Meetings in March

Pledge Sunday is coming up quickly on April 12<sup>th</sup>, and while the Stewardship Committee has not yet settled on dates and times, they are expecting to run several "cottage meetings" again this year as part of the 2009-2010 pledge drive and budget process. These meetings will probably take place in the latter half of March; more details will be made available through the announcements and our website as specifics are decided.

If you are interested in hosting one of these meetings (which last year took the shape of a potluck meal for 6-8 at several members' homes, a chance to share ideas, food, and fellowship, a look at the draft budget and chance for comment on such), please contact Mary Lynn as soon as possible. If you do not wish to attend a cottage meeting or find yourself unavailable at all dates, please get in touch with Via so she can talk with you one-on-one.

*- Stewardship Committee*

## God Auction Candidates

Nominees for the 2009 God Auction are now being solicited by Ritual Teams. Nomination forms are available on Sundays or at <http://gaiacommunity.org/pennyauction>, or you can send names directly to Ritual Teams through [rtc@gaiacommunity.org](mailto:rtc@gaiacommunity.org). This year, we are limiting the field for nominations to 20, or however many we reach the day we reach 20 (if four nominations come in that day, we may have 22 or 23 total). As of this writing, ten candidates have already been nominated, so don't delay!

Remember that previous God Auction winners (Osiris, Arianrhod, Lugh, Hestia, Brigid, and Thor) cannot be nominated, nor can the other candidates from last year (Artemis, the Green Man, and Persephone).

A "Penny Auction" will be run for six weeks to narrow the field to a final group of four. The actual God Auction will then take place on July 12<sup>th</sup>.

*- Ritual Teams*

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All Sunday activities take place at Shawnee Mission UU Church; 7725 W. 87th St., Overland Park, KS (near 87th & Metcalf) and begin at 4 P.M. unless otherwise noted.

## Gaia About Town

**Voices of Gaia** (every week before ritual, at SMUUCH): Voices of Gaia is Gaia Community's choir. We sing pagan chants and songs, usually with harmony parts, for rituals and other events. We meet Sundays from 2-3:30 p.m. downstairs at SMUUCH. Since the piano has been moved to the newly remodeled High School/Teen room, we'll be moving rehearsals to there. We are once again welcoming singers of all voice parts, though the majority of our core group is currently female. Our primary requirement is that you can match pitch, though some familiarity with reading music is useful. If you have questions, please contact Kitty Degler at [voices@gaiacommunity.org](mailto:voices@gaiacommunity.org) or in person.

**Ritual Teams Meeting** (2/5, 6:45 PM, at SMUUCH): All active ritualists must attend at least one meeting a quarter; please contact Kimberly, the Ritual Teams Coordinator, in person or at [rtc@gaiacommunity.org](mailto:rtc@gaiacommunity.org) if you have questions. As always, any member of the congregation may help with any particular ritual, so if you have an interest let a ritualist (they have the blue ribbons on their nametags) know!

**Craft Circle** (3/7, 1-5 PM, at Kimberly and David's house): Craft Circle will be back at Kimberly and David's house in south KCMO this month: 1306 E. 118<sup>th</sup> Street if you have not been before. Any project you have or craft you'd like to share with the group is welcome.

**Social Justice Committee Meeting** (3/10, 7 PM, at Andrew's): This meeting will be at Andrew's apartment: 11132 W. 76th Terr. #34 in Overland Park; you can also e-mail him at [sj@gaiacommunity.org](mailto:sj@gaiacommunity.org) or find him in person. The committee will be working on the ongoing social justice project with Salvation Army.

**Ritual for Business** (3/14, 9:30 AM, at SMUUCH): This is our monthly "church business" meeting. Anyone, member or not, is welcome to come and provide input or ask questions, although only Full Active Members can participate in the formal consensus process. If you've ever had an official question or concern, this would be the place to bring it. Any questions or items for the agenda should be sent to a board member, as shown to the right.

**Stewardship Committee:** Stewardship resumed having regular meetings in February, but have not settled on a date yet for their March meeting. Get in touch with Via or Kimberly by email at [stewardship@gaiacommunity.org](mailto:stewardship@gaiacommunity.org) or in person if you'd like to be a part of this committee as they plan the Pledge Drive, Cottage Meetings, and other 2009 events!

**KidSpace Coordinating Committee** (3/15, 1 PM, at Dunn Brothers): The KidSpace committee is for everyone; you do not have to be a parent to attend; get in touch with Rosemary (the Committee Chair) or Linda (the KidSpace Coordinator) at [kidspace@gaiacommunity.org](mailto:kidspace@gaiacommunity.org) to find out more about what is on the agenda; this committee meets on the third Sunday of each month, at the Dunn Brothers Coffee Shop near Half-Price Books on Metcalf.

**Games Night** (3/20, 7 PM, at SMUUCH): Kick back and relax; NO OFFICIAL BUSINESS IS ALLOWED! Bring a game, bring a friend, bring some munchies, or just bring yourself! Usually held in the Barn Chapel or downstairs in the Jefferson room, depending on weather and/or what games are available.

**Friday Night Supper Club** (3/27, 7 PM): March's supper club will be at Viet Nam Cafe, a Vietnamese restaurant just west of KU Med Center at 2200 W. 39<sup>th</sup> Street in KCK. Please let Linda know if you are coming this month, so she can reserve enough space for all. Vegetarian items are plentiful, and kid-friendly items are available on their menu.

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## Caring Connections Corner

Birthdays for this month include Greta Erhardt on the 1<sup>st</sup>, Debbie on the 2<sup>nd</sup>, John Boyce on the 3<sup>rd</sup>, Scot on the 4<sup>th</sup>, Cory on the 10<sup>th</sup>, Andrew on the 15<sup>th</sup>, Kitty on the 17<sup>th</sup>, Joevani on the 21<sup>st</sup>, Rachel Gadd-Nelson on the 22<sup>nd</sup>, and Aubry on the 31<sup>st</sup>. Let the Caring Committee know of any others that we're missing, and congratulations and blessings to all those folks for another trip around the sun.

In addition, we gladly welcome Amanda and Larke back to town under less than ideal circumstances while Amanda cares for her mother during convalescence. If you'd like to help, please visit [http://whatfriendsdo.com/L\\_Pence](http://whatfriendsdo.com/L_Pence) or get in touch with her in person.

**The Caring Committee is now chaired by Jacki Kelley; please let her know of concerns or blessings you wish to share with the community, or if you have ideas for how to make this committee a more vibrant part of our community. Leave a message on our answering machine at 816-931-9900 or by e-mail at [caring@gaiacommunity.org](mailto:caring@gaiacommunity.org).**



## Sunday Schedule (*held at 4pm unless otherwise noted*)

*Voices of Gaia meets at 2:00 PM, Sacred Rhythms at 3:30 PM*

### **Sunday, Mar. 1st**

#### **Forum — Magical Ethics**

*Facilitators: Erin and Kit*

In several neopagan paths, magic is a common practice. However, exactly when and how to perform magic while remaining ethical is not so easily defined. What are your thoughts on performing magic in an ethical manner? Are there times when unethical magic is necessary? We'd like to have a discussion about what you think of the subject. Come with an open mind and a willingness to respectfully listen and talk. *Kids younger than the Trees class are unlikely to find today's Sunday service interesting or fulfilling.*

### **Sunday, Mar. 8th**

#### **Ritual — American Gods (Americana arc)**

*Ritualists: Devin, Eric, and Linda*

This Sunday we will be delving into what we as modern Americans actually worship and give reverence to on a daily basis without even realizing. Be prepared for the possibility for deep work if you haven't really thought about this before and for an interesting challenge if you have. *This is the second of a three part arc exploring America's past, present and future. Kids are welcome, but may find the KidSpace programming more interesting.*

### **Sunday, Mar. 15th**

#### **Ritual — Sharing Our Spirits (All Snakes' Day)**

*Ritualists: Jacki and Jeff*

Sharing Our Spirits (SOS) rituals are co-created and co-designed by those in attendance that day, with the help of one or two trained ritualists. Everyone's ideas, skills, and offerings brought that day come together to create something that serves the needs of the group. Bring a song, an instrument, ritual idea or magical tool to help out! The theme for the ritual may have to do with All Snakes' Day/St. Patrick's Day, or the imminent arrival of spring, or whatever the group decides.

#### ***A Look Ahead to Next Month...***

**Apr. 5th - Ritual: The Fisher King**

**Apr. 12th - Ritual: The Pentacles (*Tarot arc*)**

**Apr. 19th - Sharing Our Spirits: Snakes' Day**

**Apr. 26th - EiR students' Final Ritual**

**May 3rd - High Holiday: Beltaine**

### **Sunday, Mar. 22nd**

#### **Spring Equinox - The Descent of Inanna (*w/potluck*)**

*Ritualists: Kitty, Lizzy, David, Paul, Devin, and the  
Excellence in Ritual students*

For this year's Spring Equinox, we will be visiting the ancient myths of Sumer and the descent of the goddess Inanna into the underworld. Participants will be involved in an 'active' form of trance that places them directly into the context of the myth. *Our children will be upstairs for the first part of ritual, leave for a while to learn about Sumer, and then return.*

We'll have a potluck feast following the ritual, so please bring a dish/drink/dessert to feed yourself, plus at least eight other hungry people. Please remember to label your ingredients for those who are careful about their food choices, and bring reuseable place settings if possible (some extras are available if you forget).

### **Sunday, Mar. 29th**

#### **Class - Sacred Geometries**

*Facilitators: Kit and Eric*

Sacred geometry is the use of certain geometric figures, ratios, and constructions in magical or prayerful work. This class will cover some of those techniques from history, as well as some more modern applications.

*- Ritual Teams*

#### **Currently Active Ritualists**

Barbara	Cheryl Russell
David Reynolds	Devin S.
Eric Simpson	Erin Truitt
Jacki Kelley	Jeff Park
Kimberly	Kit Peters
Kitty Degler	Linda Boyce
Lizzy Ticer	Paul Gorbas

*Please see Kimberly, the Ritual Teams Coordinator, if you are a former ritualist who would like to rejoin teams, or a newly trained ritualist looking to join for the first time.*

## *KidSpace Updates*

**New Beginnings:** Starting March 1<sup>st</sup> and for at least a month, our KidSpace students will start their class period upstairs in ritual with the adults. At a point in the ritual, all students, with the exception of babies, will be "sung out" by the adults. This is to give adults and students a chance to share some time together on Sundays. The teachers will lead the students out of the ritual space and down to their classrooms. Prior to being sung out, we ask parents/guardians to have the students with them in ritual space and demonstrate how ritual space is handled correctly. The exact point at which the kids are sung out will change depending on the ritual, and some Sundays will still be intergenerational. Ritual descriptions will now contain more guidance on which rituals are most appropriate or accessible for which age groups.

Babies may be brought down to the nursery ahead of ritual. Please do not come any earlier than 3:45 PM, and be patient; because of the rotating schedule, it is sometimes hard for our teachers and nursery personnel to be early.

It used to be a tradition to sing our students out. We ceased doing it for a while and are now starting it again to see if it adds to both the adults' and students' experiences during rituals.

### LYRICS FOR SINGING THE CHILDREN OUT:

*Go Now In Peace,  
Go Now In Peace,  
May the Spirit of Love Surround You  
Everywhere, Everywhere You May Go (repeats)*

**New Classes:** Because of the wonderful growth in the size of KidSpace, we have decided to break the middle class into 2 classes, something that had actually been planned for when the new program was started and much anticipated. Starting March 8<sup>th</sup>, the Shoots will be our 3-6 year olds; Saplings will be 7 and up to preteen. Sprouts (below 3) will be in the nursery. These ages are guidelines only; some children will be moved into the class that best serves their needs, as always. Classes will be on parallel tracks but the content will be slightly different.

**New Faces:** Besides our much appreciated regular teachers, we have added some new faces. Please welcome Barbara, Kate, and Dani as new teachers for our students.

**New Chapters:** NEW CHAPTERS: KidSpace finished their chapter on Christianity with a field trip to see the Faces of Jesus exhibit at Broadway Baptist. Now we are starting our chapter on Buddhism.

- ◆ March 1: Video of the Life of Buddha and discussion of the fieldtrip. Also, discussion of the upcoming changes in class structure.
- ◆ March 8: New class structure takes effect. Some basic Buddhist beliefs, history, and culture.
- ◆ March 15: Social Justice--I Have a Dream
- ◆ March 22: Spring Equinox-Intergenerational Ritual (*see page 3*).
- ◆ March 29: Buddhist practices, including meditation

We will continue Buddhism into April.

I hope to have a speaker for at least one of the these dates so the schedule may change.

**Looking for Snacks:** We serve our students a snack every Sunday. We are looking for folks who would be willing to bring nutritious snacks of juice, fruit, cheese, etc. for the students. If this sounds like something you could do, please get in touch with Linda, the KidSpace Coordinator.

**Committee Meeting:** We are looking at some more field trips, including one related to Earth Day and one later in the Spring related to sustainable agriculture. EarthFest, Blue River Cleanup, and the upcoming fieldtrips will all be on the agenda for the March 15<sup>th</sup> committee meeting, 1:00 PM, Dunn Brothers Coffee Shop on Metcalf. Please address questions or concerns to Linda Boyce (the KidSpace Coordinator) or Rosemary Harris (the Committee Chair) either personally or through [kidspace@gaiacommunity.org](mailto:kidspace@gaiacommunity.org).

– *KidSpace Committee*

# Ritual for Business Minutes for February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2009 Started at 9:45 AM

*In attendance: David, Lizzy, Kate, Erin, Kit, Jamie, Judy Brenner, Cheryl, Rosemary, Kelley, Coyote, Eric, Barbara, Greta, Via, Tony, Ellen, Gwendolyn, Linda, Mary, Kimberly, Cynthia, Jacki*

## I. Explanation of Consensus Process

- II. **Approval of Agenda** – approved, with the addition of an intermission before New Business. Caring Committee was moved down the list because Jacki will be late.
- III. **Minutes** – clarified the differences between the Johns. Also fixed Barbara's name in one place.

## IV. Committee Reports

1. **NomCom** – looking toward the next election, they want to hear from the current Board and anyone interested in serving.
2. **Ritual Teams** – Accepting nominations for the Penny Auction starting at ritual tomorrow. There will be a form to fill out this year, to get a little more information on the candidates.
3. **KidSpace** – January attendance was about 12, which was reported to the UUA for our annual membership. Starting March 1st, the kids will be sung out of ritual each week for a month. They have also covered the Kids' Code of Conduct. They will finish up their Christianity unit with a guest speaker and a field trip. Then they will be covering Buddhism; will be seeking a speaker for that as well. They have two new teachers (Barbara and Kate). Linda is now trained in adult, child and infant CPR, and trained in the use of AEDs. Their next meeting will be on Feb. 15th. They will talk about Earth Day, the Blue River Cleanup, class scheduling, and singing out the children.
4. **Membership** – 8 people in the Membership class, and almost as many kids. Most of them will probably be joining the community tomorrow; the others will probably join later after they've been to more rituals. Lizzy certified the community at 40 members to the UUA.
  1. **Library** – Lizzy has the CueCat; Greta would like to borrow it next. Linda asked for a clarification of the process, which Jamie supplied.

5. **Communications** – Earth Healer went out on Feb. 9th; website continues to grow. Kate got David the information from Meetup.com. Are rituals showing up on the day when there's a lot of things in the roster before that? May be a resolution issue. Ellen asked about our presence on MySpace and Twitter; can be raised in a Communication Committee meeting. Lizzy updated a group in St. Joseph that lists us for the last several years; she also got a request from a national GLBT group to list us as a local resource.

6. **Site/Lease** – Site has a proposal under New Business. Lizzy and Kim from SMUUCH are working on the lease negotiations, but nothing is ready to sign. Lizzy spoke to someone from SMUUCH who said an NBA player had made an offer to turn the building into a community center. Linda also spoke to the person from SMUUCH, who said the request was ridiculously low and not under consideration. Coyote asked how much warning we would get if they do sell and want to move; the lease says 30 days. They may take us with them, but that would be up to them. Barbara wanted to point out that the congregation of SMUUCH isn't wanting to move to Gardner anymore, which changes their options.

7. **Welcoming** – continue to attend and be a member of the Coalition for Welcoming Ministries. A local filmmaker is working with the Coalition to produce something about welcoming churches, but that probably won't affect us.

8. **Caring** – Jacki reported that John C. (who passed away) wanted to let Gaia Community have any sort of service they like. She referred the matter to Rites of Passage. She is also communicating with the RennFest and Camp Gaea. She also talked to Earth Rising/HSA about tabling for Earth Day. She has already made arrangements to have the labyrinth at Heartland Pagan Festival; she also made arrangements with Selene that staffing the labyrinth will qualify for community service again this year.

9. **Stewardship** – They're having a meeting on Wednesday at the Metcalf Dunn Brothers at 7PM. They will be discussing the pledge drive and cottage meetings. Anyone is welcome to attend. There will be a garage sale in May, and a Fall Bazaar. Via also solicited anyone who has information/experience about capital campaigns.

10. **Treasurer** – Money paid through PayPal for Longest Night is locked up right now because PayPal wants verification/letterhead from us. That will happen. As

of now, he is totally caught up with deposits from the time we had without a Treasurer. There were ~\$212 in returned checks; John is in contact with those people to make arrangements. He also had to pay an IRS penalty of \$271.80 (check 1246) for a case from 2005 that we had thought resolved. Linda as a Board Member followed up with the IRS and they said it was a civil penalty for "willful disregard of notification", and that penalties continue to accrue. Linda requested a letter of confirmation of closure, and copies of everything are provided to the IRS, filed with the Treasurer's files, and the Secretary. 10 days after the check is received we should follow up with them. Linda will put the employee's name and information into the minutes when she gets it from home. The case # was 7571525041, and Linda spoke to employee #9409738 on 2/9/2009. The CD matured on 2/11/2009 for \$22,911.33. Savings has \$868.43. Ellen suggested we ask the IRS for a full accounting, and they may be required to issue a refund if something was done wrong on their end.

11. **Social Justice** – the last quarter was supposed to be the Salvation Army project. That didn't happen because of various scheduling complexities, but they are meeting on Wednesday at 7PM at Andrew's. The next things will likely be the Blue River Cleanup (first Saturday in April) and Earth Fest (second Saturday in May).

## V. Old Business

1. **Closet Cleanout** – happening today after the RFB. They may break for lunch before starting. Be brutal (no flamethrowers allowed)! David wants to be able to hold a three-person circle dance in there after we're done cleaning.

## VI. New Business

### 1. Proposal regarding 1127 Belmont –

1. Secure a buyer's agent, either paid as part of the offer OR paid outright up to \$3500 (different agents had different requirements).
2. Work with the buyer's agent on an initial offer on 1127 Belmont of not more than \$85,000, with all earnest money returnable and offer terminatable contingent on:
  1. the inspections coming back with acceptable results (structural, foundation, mold, asbestos, lead – *later added "and radon if the inspector agrees"*). Inspection data will come back to Site Committee in an open meeting before the Special RFB. A summary of that data/meeting will be made available through all normal channels, as well.
  2. The community must consent at a Special Ritual for Business to actually purchase the property.
3. (*added later*) Greta will look into the old government inspections on file for the property.

### Objections:

- ✗ this will be a waste of the community's time and money, because we will never agree on the eventual purchase.
- ✗ Initial offer cap is too high.
- ✗ Buyer's agent arrangement is too narrow – wish to have a more long-term relationship.
- ✗ Problems with the concept of paying the buyer's agent up front.
- ✗ What is the earnest money cap?
- ✗ Where are our finances at for this proposal?
- ✗ How will we pay the inspector? How much will the inspections be?
- ✗ Lack of a radon test in the inspections (*dealt with*).
- ✗ Utilize old inspections already on file with government agencies (*dealt with*).

Counterproposal: Back up, secure a buyer's agent for six months, and have them work with the Site Committee in a systematic fashion to define parameters for what we want. This did not receive consensus either.

These concerns and objections were not fully dealt with; the group agreed at 2 PM to refer this back to Site Committee, who will look at them and decide whether or not to hold another S.C. Meeting within the next two weeks.

2. **Special Ritual for Business to Buy Property** – no action was taken on this item, due to lack of consensus on the item above.
3. **New Home Fund CD** – Someone proposed that that money should be back into our Savings account in case we should need it quickly. Consented.

– *David, Secretary*

## *Agenda for the March 14<sup>th</sup> Ritual for Business:*

- *Proposal regarding Pride Day involvement.*
- *Updates from the March 1<sup>st</sup> Site Committee meeting.*
- *Regular business (committee reports, etc).*



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– *David, Editor*

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 <i>Matronalia</i> 2-3:30: Site Committee Meeting 3:30-4: Sacred Rhythms 4 PM: Forum on Magical Ethics	2 7PM: Ritual Teams Meeting @ SMUUCH	3	4 ☾	5 7PM: Excellence in Ritual	6	7 1-5PM: Craft Circle @ Kimberly & David's
8 <i>Int'l Women's Day</i> 2-3:30: Voices of Gaia 3:30-4: Sacred Rhythms 4 PM: Ritual: American Gods (Americana series)	9	10 ☉ 7 PM: Social Justice Committee Meeting @ Andrew's	11 <i>Johnny Appleseed Day</i>	12 7PM: Excellence in Ritual	13	14 <i>Pi Day</i> 9:30-11:30 AM: Ritual for Business @ SMUUCH
15 1 PM: KidSpace Meeting 2-3:30: Voices of Gaia 3:30-4: Sacred Rhythms 4 PM: Sharing Our Spirits Ritual	16 <i>Bacchanalia</i>	17 <i>Bacchanalia, St. Patrick's Day</i>	18 ☾	19 <i>First Day of Quinquatria</i> 7PM: Excellence in Ritual, final class	20 <i>Vernal Equinox, World Storytelling Day</i> 7 PM: Games Night @ SMUUCH	21 <i>World Poetry Day, International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination</i>
22 <i>World Water Day</i> 2-3:30: Voices of Gaia 3:30-4: Sacred Rhythms 4 PM: Ritual: Descent of Inanna (w/potluck after)	23	24	25	26 ● <i>Birthday of Zoroaster</i>	27 7 PM: Supper Club @ Viet Nam Cafe, 2200 W. 39 <sup>th</sup> St., KCK	28 1-4PM: Tomahawk Creek Cleanup @ Tomahawk Park, 119 <sup>th</sup> Street in Leawood
29 2-3:30: Voices of Gaia 3:30-4: Sacred Rhythms 4 PM: Class on Sacred Geometries	30	31	1	2 ☾	3	4 1-5PM: Craft Circle @ Kimberly & David's

