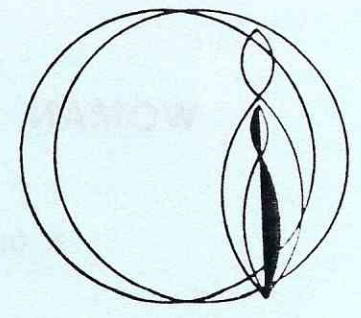


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IMPORTANT DATES

3/18 MARCH W&RTF MEETING

STAR KING SCHOOL

Parking is a problem! If you plan to come, call Jodi Shipley at (415) 524-5653 by Fri. March 17 to be picked up at the BART station in Berkeley at Delaware and Sacramento before 10:40 am. We hope to have some students with us for some of the meeting. Wheelchair accessible, but call Jodi.

4/14 - 16 ANNUAL W&RTF RETREAT

See note below

4/24 Betty Friedan speaks as part of the

lecture series Women in the Second half of Life at San Jose State University from 4:00 - 5:30 Student Union Ballroom; SJSU

2/15 - 4/2 VIEWS FROM JADE TERRACE

Chinese Women Artists
1300-1912

Asian Art Museum - San Francisco
Description in newsletter

5/6 - Workshop on Women and the Diety in Religious History (See attached page)

5/20 - May Meeting has been changed from Reno to San Francisco

WOMEN'S APRIL RETREAT

The 12th annual retreat sponsored by the Women and Religion Task Force PCD will be held April 14-16 at the Westminister Retreat near Walnut Creek. Relaxation, arts & crafts, discussions, worship, music, a book fair and delicious food are just a few things to anticipate. Space is almost gone, so sign up NOW! There will be a waiting list. Cost is \$95 with some partial scholarships available. For reservations contact Shirley White, 1585 Zolezzi Lane, Reno, NV 89511.

REPORT ON SHARED LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP

The Shared Leadership Workshop sponsored by W&RTF-PCD on Feb. 4th at the San Francisco Unitarian Church exceeded attendance expectations. Fifty-seven men and women under Patti Lawrence's well-planned guidance examined different leadership styles. After lunch, a simulated small group exercise gave participants a chance to assume committee roles and evaluate the results of their problem solving efforts. The majority of attendees gave the workshop high ratings. Thank you, Patti, process observers, and organizers.



"OUR GLORIOUS PAST- WOMAN & GODDESS IN ANCIENT RELIGION"

A ONE-DAY WORKSHOP. BOTH WOMEN AND MEN WELCOME!

CONTENT:

The ancient Goddess
The status of women in ancient society
The Goddess in Old Testament literature
The portrayal of women in the Old and
New Testaments

PROCESS:

An 80-slide presentation tracing the concept of deity as female and the position of women in ancient society, plus lectures, discussion, poetry and music

LEADER:

Rev. Emily A. Champagne

DATE:

Saturday, May 6, 1989. 10:00 a.m. -
5:00 p.m.

LOCATION:

Palo Alto Unitarian Church
505 E. Charleston Rd.
Palo Alto, Calif. 94306
(415) 494-0451
(FULL ACCESSIBILITY)

CHILDCARE:

Free, but reservation REQUIRED by
Thursday, May 4. Call Jane Mickelson -
(415) 493-6319 or (415) 494-2319.

OTHER:

Bring a bag lunch (beverages provided),
your most curious self, an inquiring
mind, and lots of good energy.

COST and RESERVATIONS:

Sliding scale - \$20 - \$10 per person (includes handouts).
Scholarships available. Reservations suggested but not required.
Checks payable to "W&RTF-PCD" and should be sent to:
Betty Ortez, 309 West Arbor Ave., Sunnyvale, Calif. 94086,
or payable at the door.

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