

The Parousia School for Awakening

(Wisdom School)

Fall 2022

Saturday mornings, 9:30 - 11:00 a.m. PDT

Starting Saturday, 15 October, 2022

❖ **Messianic Kabbalah**

An ecology of practices of messianic mysticism from an integral, Judeo-Christian standpoint.

Saturday Evenings

6:00 p.m. (*Fall*) and 7:00 p.m. (*Spring*)

❖ **Saturday Evening Vigil in an Ancient Church**

Mystical Vespers and Matins with St. Nicholas Orthodox Church, followed by snacks, discussion, and Q&A.

❖ **First and Third Sunday afternoons, 1:00 - 2:30 p.m. PDT**

Starting 16 October, 2022

❖ **Christwise**

A dialectical Bible study from the point of view of inner, holistic, integral, progressive Christianity for the Great Transition.

Second and Fourth Sunday Afternoons of the month, 4 - 5:30 p.m. PDT

Starting 23 October, 2022

❖ **The Christway: A Sunday Afternoon Chautauqua for the Great Transition**

Every two weeks, The Parousia School for Awakening will host a friendly gathering and public discussion about the following thirteen questions in succession leading up to Easter 2023:

1. If King Charles Can't Save the World, Then Can Anybody?

October 23, 2022

2. What Is Wisdom? And Can We Teach It to Our Kids If We Don't Even Know Ourselves?

November 13, 2022

3. Can the Wisdom You Practice Today Save the World Tomorrow?

November 27, 2022

4. What Was Christianity Supposed To Be About? And How Did That Work Out For Us?

December 4, 2022

5. What Child Is This? And If It's Not the Real You and the Real Me, Then Does It Even Matter?

December 18, 2022

Spring 2023

6. *World Religions Day: What Is Religion Supposed To Be About Anyway?*

January 15, 2023 (This is the third Sunday of the Month)

7. *The Face of the American Janus: Can the Left and the Right Live Without Each Other?*

January 22, 2023

8. *Mammon and Me: Can Money Give Me The Desires of My Heart? If Not, Then What Is It For?*

February 12, 2023

9. *The Metacrisis: Can We Fix The Christian Community Without Fixing Ourselves First, and Can We Fix the Planet Without Fixing the Christian Community?*

February 26, 2023

10. *Will Christ Return? And If We Can't Bring Him Back, Then Who Can?*

March 12, 2023

12. *Waiting For God, Oh!: Why Didn't Jesus Do His Job the First Time Around?*

March 26, 2023

Apart from the above offerings through *The Parousia School for Awakening*, I am also gathering interested (and interesting) participants for somatic-noetic experiences and ecologies of practice with the following foci:

~ *Exploring the Transformational Enneagram through DiaLogos and somatic-noetic experiencing.*

One Saturday per month one hour after the close of the monthly Saturday session of the Keys to the Enneagram (around 2:00 p.m. Pacific Time).

~ *Dialogical Book Study with books by authors like Peter Kingsley, Ian McGilchrist, Jean Gebser, Maurice Nicoll, etc.*

Sunday afternoons, tentatively

~ *Dialogical Somatic-Noetic Catechism of the Mystical Theology of the Eastern Orthodox Church*

Saturday afternoons or evenings before or after the Saturday Vespers, tentatively