

Commemorating the Olympic Spirit every February since 2002

Salt Lake Interfaith Roundtable's Seventh Annual

Interfaith Week 2009

"Many Faiths ~ One Family"

February 1-8, 2009

~ Schedule of Events ~

Check website schedule regularly for updated events, listings, times

All events open to public and free, unless noted otherwise.

PRE-WEEK EVENTS

Sunday, January 25

LECTURE, Bishop Carolyn Tanner Irish, Episcopal Diocese, SL Public Library Auditorium, 2 p.m.

Forum for Questioning Minds ~"Religion, Culture, and Nature" converging in our concerns

BA Philosophy U. of Michigan, Master of Letters Oxford University, MDiv Virginia Theological Seminary

Sunday, January 25

LECTURE, Annual Aquinas Lecture, Newman Center, 170 S.University, U of U., 2 p.m.

"Christian-Muslim Relations: A Peaceable Excellence," Sr. Marianne Farina, Prof. Domincan School

of Philosophy and Theology at Berkeley, Ph.D Theological Ethics Boston College

Saturday, January 31

MEDITATION, Salt Lake Public Library, 4th Floor Room, 3 p.m.

World peace meditation, with Rev. Gretchen Faulk, Our Lady of the Wasatch Church

Prayer practice for peace within and without, w/ presentation on deities of diverse spiritual traditions

INTERFAITH WEEK

TOUR, Spiritual Sites Stroll of Salt Lake, self-guided

Brief tour by car or foot, of key religious locations in Downtown Salt Lake City

SUNDAY, February 1

FILMS & discussion, SL Public Library, Main Auditorium, 12:30 p.m.

"Beyond Our Differences" new Bill Moyers film interviews global figures (pbs.org) 12:30 p.m.

Comments by Khando Chazotsang, neice of His Holiness the Dalai Lama, 2 p.m.

"Kundun" story of the Dalai Lama, his destiny and spiritual practice, 2:30 p.m.

Comments by Utah Tibetan Association ~ Mr. Rinzin, Mr. Choeden, Ms. Lhaksam, 4:30 p.m.

MONDAY, February 2

PRESS, SL Interfaith Roundtable Press Conf., Marriott, West Temple, 11 a.m.

Annual interfaith awards and events of Interfaith Week, watch for media stories

MONDAY, February 2

VESPERS, interfaith "Return of Light," Holy Cross Chapel, 6 p.m.

From Brigid to Imbolc to Candlemas to Groundhog Day, the light returns in February 1050 E. South Temple, SL Reg. Med. Center <u>www.holycrossgnosis.blogspot.com</u>

LECTURE, Utah Krishnas, 4th Floor Room, SL Public Library, 7 p.m

A lecture about vegetarianism in world cultures, with chanting <u>www.utahkrishnas.com</u>

TUESDAY, February 3

ART & FILM, Students & Spirituality, Utah Museum of Fine Arts, UU, 2-5 p.m. www.UMFA.utah.edu Campus Center Drive (near Trax) 581-7332 Gallery stroll ~ "An Innermost Journey: the Art of Shauna Cook Clinger," 2 p.m. Free with any university ID; public \$5; high school students \$3 Artist Shauna will comment & answer questions (show ends Feb. 15)

"What Do You Believe?" film about student views on religion, spirituality, 3 p.m. Free film screening and discussion after; Cafe open to 4 p.m.

CONCERT, First Baptist Church, 777 S. 1300 East, SLC, 7:30 p.m.

"Celebrate the Earth" ~ award-winning musicians on faith & environment <u>www.utahipl.org</u>

StoneCircle, Kate MacLeod, Phillip Bimstein, April Meservy, Rebecca Eaton, Bill Green, Jon Eaton

Folk and contemporary musicians contemplate spirituality and environment

THURSDAY, February 5

COUNCIL on Homeless, Salvation Army, 679 South Main St., 12 noon

Salt Lake County Homeless Coordination Council <u>www.utahcontinuum.org/ucc/cocm</u>

Info on homeless services/resources of faith-based organizations, Rescue Mission, Family Promise

IMAGES, "Utah: Jews Lived There?" Rochelle Kaplan, SLC Library Main Aud.,7 p.m. A photographic history of rare and entertaining images that tell an unknown story of Jewish influence on Utah history, culture, architecture, arts, business and society ~ a visual tour. Kaplan will narrate her images and research, and answer questions.

FRIDAY, February 6

OPEN HOUSE, "Diversity in Islam" with Imam Mohammed Mehtar, Khadeeja Mosque, 6 p.m.

Social 6 p.m. Lecture 6:45 p.m. Prayers 7:30 p.m. 1019 W. Parkway Ave. West Valley

Islamic Society welcomes visitors for prayers, conversation, refreshment <u>www.utahmuslims.com</u>

Directions to the Mosque

SATURDAY, February 7

WORKSHOP, Carla Kelly, Karla Reading, 4th Floor Rm, SL Public Library, 2 p.m.

"Coming Together to Heal: the Labyrinth of Forgiveness" ~ an active process, central to peacemaking

Interactive workshop navigates complex passageways of healing, for both sides of conflict

ASHURE, Multicultural Arch Foundation, 363 W. 2720 South, Suite A, Salt Lake, 5 p.m.

"Noah's Pudding Night," a taste of Turkish culture, RSVP <u>contact@mcarchfoundation.org</u>

Simple dish (grains, nuts, fruits) symbolizes Noah's first meal after the Flood

SUNDAY, February 8

SERVICE, "Interfaith Music Tribute to the Human Spirit," Salt Lake Tabernacle, 5 p.m.

Annual interfaith service sponsored by SL Interfaith Roundtable, hosted by LDS Church

featuring music, song, dance, prayer, devotions, and readings of many faiths

with participants from Buddhist, Christian, First Nation, Jewish, Muslim, and other traditions

Open to all ~ Free tickets mailed <u>www.lds.org/events</u> or available at the door

SERVICE, Ogden Interfaith Music Tribute, Weber State Ballroom, 5 p.m.

Interfaith service sponsored by Ogden Interfaith Roundtable, hosted by Weber State University

featuring music, song, dance, prayer, devotions, and readings of many faiths

Open to all, free seating, see location Union Building ballroom <u>http://weber.edu/weberstatemap/</u>

POST-WEEK EVENTS

TUESDAY, February 10

LECTURE, (also Feb. 24, Mar. 17), Dr. Lance Owens, 7:30 p.m. (tuition \$10 ea) "J.R.R. Tolkien: An Imaginative Life," Gore Business School Aud., Westminster College, 1840 S. 1300 East

Three lectures examine the span of Tolkien's work with focus on his gift of creative imagination Dr. Owens lectures on mythology, psychology, Jung, Kabbalah, Gnostic themes <u>http://gnosis.org/wgs/Tolkien.html</u>

Wednesday, Feb. 11

CHORAL, Vieve Gore Concert Hall, Westminster College, 7:30 p.m

"Understanding the African American Spirituals and their Place in Public Education"

Choral groups from Bountiful Community Church, Calvary Baptist Church, and Davis School Dist.

Narrated by Pastor France Davis of Calvary Baptist, and Anita P. Baker of Hill Field

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