

Community Envisioning, January 22 and 23, 2021

Brainstorming - 10 people in attendance

- Continue the variety of guest speakers
- Buy the building north of the office
- Increased community engagement & involvement
- Multimedia production of the service
- Community movie at the Loft when we can go out and about
- Bigger congregation
- Outdoor labyrinth
- Scholarship fund for people to take classes
- How to reconvene when Covid is over
- More families, wider age range
- Advertise (more)
- Continue zoom meetings and meditations for us sunbirds!
- Continue the variety of classes
- Services outdoors sometimes?
- Music-paloosa
- Meet-in-person
- A big party when we can meet again in person
- Look into incorporating elements of 'What We Believe' into the service

Highest Vision, Highest Ideal for CSLT in 2021?

Golden yellow, strawberries in bloom

Campus in the clouds, rain, cowboy boots

Walking on clouds, smiles, big bouncing ball, hexagon shape, expanding hearts, voices, color blue, tastes like dark chocolate

A herd of galloping horses in an unfenced meadow, joy, freedom, forward movement

Liberation, butterfly breaking out of cocoon

Vibrancy? Bright shining light

Sense of playful ease, Frank Lloyd Wright building, our mountains in technicolor, Logo like stained glass or vibrant sign

Bookstore/coffee shop/gathering place, macaroni letters/art project, kids singing on stage

Living, flowing water

To leap with freedom, invisible weight fell from shoulders, uplift and expansion at the heart center, accessing the endless

What changes, evolves, or becomes as this Vision comes to pass?

Covid is over in 2021, gates open, smiles everywhere. deeper understanding of the Science of Mind, fields of flowers, and dogs running around.

Collective worry gone, everyone valued, new sprouts of fun

Violet, blue, green, yellow, red, orange

More participation, greater access, greater reach, more joy

Large wooden gate swinging open.... no limits

Dandelion fluff, mountains in the distance

Large animated group of people all knowing each other well

People joyfully singing by the river

Flower bud bursting into bloom

Is there anything else that wants to be known, realized or understood?

No more violence, everyone is open to all possibilities

Welcoming arms
Castles on clouds, 3rd mesa Northern Arizona, indigenous people, Ernest Holmes
Algebra in play, popcorn, lollipops, Sunburst, Starburst (as in outer space, not candy)
Surfer dude voice: Peace, love and joy, man! A great big yes!
Popcorn popping in a large popping machine
All is All
AZ license plate
Support everyone with Truth and Love, Understanding.

SYNTHESIS OF VISIONING

| <u>Highest Vision?</u> | <u>Changes or Becomes?</u> | <u>Anything else?</u> |
|------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Vibrantly alive | What happens after liberation | Happiness |
| Free, Fun, | Birthing into something new | Expanded, inclusive |
| Nature | Movement, expansion | Love, joy & fun |

Our Forward 'Plan' (Activities to explore/experiment with) for 2021: (11 people attending)
(all these things to be scheduled)

*****on zoom*****

- (Monthly) Movie Discussion Group - Janet to take the lead on the first one.
- Six-week home book study on Julia Cameron's *The Prosperous Heart* (three facilitators have already volunteered, Pat, Janie & Mariann, more welcome)
- Zoom Room First Sunday Potluck - Gregg and Marsha to host the first one
- Wednesday night speaker on racial inclusion and equity, late April - Marya to set up
- Potential musicians to contact for Sunday services (or other musical evenings) include Faith Rivera, Jan Garrett & JD Martin, Cerise Patron, Gary Lynn Floyd, Jami Lula

***** in person*** (masked and socially distanced)**

- Monthly full moon labyrinth walk continues, Janet lead
- Potential community field trips:
 - View the sandhill cranes (near McNeal) -- Susan to see what Tohono Chul is doing and advise
 - View the lavender fields in bloom (near Oracle) -- Mariann to follow up and advise
 - Visit Colossal Cave (near 'north Vail') -- Susan to follow up and advise
 - Visit the Wonderland of Rocks in the Chiricahua National Monument (Day hiking. Hiker shuttle currently suspended) -- Pat?

Another idea to explore - Having an unrecorded outdoor service. -- David P & Rev Janis

A previously recorded service at Cityside CSL in Chicago. (<https://youtu.be/AEDWVcUO-OQ>)
Not quite in-person, but probably what in-person services looks like for the foreseeable future.

Other ideas welcome, as long as they come with the intention, and willingness, to support the activity.

Thank you for your participation & engagement in our center. -- Rev Janis & Your CSLT Board