

NOVEMBER 2015

# Newcastle Spiritualist Church Inc



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DAY	TIME	FACILITATOR	DESCRIPTION
MONDAY	7.30 pm- 9.00 pm	Marcia Parkes	Meditation/Development
TUESDAY	10.30 am - Noon	Carmel & Bill John	Meditation/Healing
	Committee Meeting	**7pm**	10th November
WEDNESDAY	11am-2.30pm	Yvonne Warren & Joanne	Meditation/development
	7.30pm	Albert Kohl	Spiritual Healing
THURSDAY	Readings \$25	Side entry, down drive	8.30-1pm
FRIDAY	7.30 pm - 9.00 pm	Jenny Havebond	Meditation/Development
SUNDAY	3.00 pm & 7.00 pm	Various	Services. All welcome
SATURDAY	21st November Bendy Yoga with Jim	Coffee Club Christmas lunch 8.30	12noon. \$5 members or \$10 others.

## *Our Philosophy is based on Seven Principles*



*(With liberty of interpretation)*

1. *The Fatherhood of God.*
2. *The Brotherhood of Man.*
3. *The immortality of the soul and its personal characteristics*
4. *The proven facts of communication between departed human spirits and mortals*
5. *Personal responsibility.*
6. *Compensation and retribution hereafter for all good and evil deeds done here*
7. *A path of Eternal Progress open to every human soul who wills to tread it by the path of eternal good.*

*Greetings friends,*

*Congratulation to our new Committee, we look forward to another smooth running year. Moving towards Christmas at a fast rate, all details of our Christmas break in December newsletter.*

*All Circles going well, and Thursday Readers are being kept busy.*

*At a recent Sunday Service a presentation was made to long time member, Rose Taylor. Rose has been awarded the honour of Life Membership, in appreciation of her many years of service as a "Thursday Reader". For more than 20 years Rose has come along at least 40 weeks a year to "read" for all comers. For a lot of that period, Rose also read on Saturdays.*

*Thank you Rose, a great example.*

*We have a busy time ahead, with Christmas just around the corner, and a visit from Karen Line-Jones OSNU from UK. Karen will be giving a mediumship demonstration and a workshop, full details further over.*

*A great day at Tomago House, thanks to Kryz for persevering and organising . Lots of orbs in photos I hear, Check them out at Coffee Club.*

*Sadly, must report the passing over of Vilma Blanch, loved wife of our member Robert Blanch. This year has brought the loss of a number of our older members, we are fortunate in Knowing they are still close by.*

*Charles Freeman*

*President.*

*Old Apache blessing...*

*May the sun bring you new energy by day,*

*May the moon softly restore you by night,*

*May the rain wash away your worries,*

*May the breeze blow new strength into your life.*

***Faith is gone when you do not believe in your own abilities anymore perhaps faith can grow stronger when you are a strong believer of feeling towards the one true soul. Perhaps this can happen also when you are a true believer in ones own abilities to do good, have faith that everything is falling in to place like a jigsaw.***

***Ivo van Emmerik***

## PROGRAMME FOR NOVEMBER 2015

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SPEAKERS</u>	<u>CHAIR</u>	<u>CHAIR</u>
<u>1st November</u> 3pm 7pm	Susanna Steel Robert Dunlop	Chair Chair	Mark Boyle Charles Freeman
<u>8th November</u> 3pm 7pm	Cathy Fuller Karen Line Jones	Chair Chair	Jenny Havebond Marcia Parkes
<u>15th November</u> 3pm 7pm	Rose Mayhew Kamal Dua	Chair Chair	Carmel John Charles Freeman
<u>22nd November</u> 3pm 7pm	Suzie Price Mark Boyle	Chair Chair	Assunta Martinelli Marcia Parkes
<u>29th November</u> 3pm 7pm	Susan Glynn Cheryl Rathborne	Chair Chair	Anona Unicomb Mark Boyle

Once again a wonderful group of speakers, some members and others visiting speakers. Looking at this line up, can't help but feel how fortunate we are to have so many well known Mediums and others, prepared to regularly speak at Swan Street, I feel the foundations put down here, many years ago by so many caring members, some Mediums, others Psychics, assisted by caring members are responsible.

On her latest visit, Louise Herman spoke at length on Service, and has announced she wishes to donate an award of \$100 and Certificate to someone who contributes in a servicing manner. Louise attended our Church as a child, her mother Barbara Herman played the organ.

**Known as Herman Award, perhaps to be awarded next visit, in September.2016.**

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**Now**, on Friday 7th November at 7pm there will be a Demonstration of Mediumship, by our visiting medium Karen Line-Jones OSNU. Entry \$20 Friday Circle have made night available. All welcome, spread the word, bookings not necessary, payment at door.

### DANCE ON THE JOY OF THE SPIRIT WORKSHOP

Weekend of 7/8 November Workshop with Karen Line- Jones will be held  
 Saturday 10-4pm      Sunday 10-1pm      Workshop cost \$120  
 Bookings for workshop please contact Marcia at Church 0249363402 Thursday.  
**Leave message or email [admin@newcastlespiritualistchurch.com](mailto:admin@newcastlespiritualistchurch.com)**

**This day is suitable for all levels of awareness, each exercise can be tailored to the ability of the student**

**Karen's website is [www.soulgifts.co.uk](http://www.soulgifts.co.uk) Videos on this site, lots of information.**

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**Full details on Noticeboard at Church, It is hoped Karen will be able to be on platform for 7pm Service 8th November. However, this is not definite.**

**The grand essentials for Happiness are  
 Something to do, something to love, and something to hope for.**

## **BITS AND PIECES**

We certainly live in interesting times, information exploding around us, worldwide travel easier and cheaper, the world at our fingertips. So many scientific discoveries, and dare I say many backing up peoples' beliefs instinctively long held, that we live side by side with a wonderful Spiritual world. So much to see and do!

I am including the following article by Lynn Zambrano from OM Times available on line.

**Differences in Empath, Intuitive, Psychic, Medium and Healer.**

What are the differences, take a moment to review and clarify.

**Intuitive.** Intuition is a right brain process that taps into subconscious information to receive guidance about your every day life. Intuition can be used to receive guidance about your every day life. It is about receiving guidance to make better decisions in your life, and helping guide others in theirs.

**Psychic** Being psychic, also known as being clairvoyant, means that you can perceive information that cannot be perceived through the normal senses, (ESP) This can include predicting the future, talking to non-physical beings (dead people or spirits) and being able to sense missing objects or people. Being psychic is about sensing information that other people can't usually access.

**Medium** A Medium is a psychic who has fine tuned her extra sensory perception and can interface with the Spirits in other dimensions. They are able to feel and/or hear thoughts, voices or mental impressions from the Spirit world. A medium is able to become completely receptive to the higher frequency or energies on which Spirit people vibrate.

**Empath** Empath means that you feel other people's emotions as your own. For example, if someone around you is very angry you might start to feel angry yourself, even though there is no direct reason for you to feel this way. According to Wikipedia, "observing another person's emotional state activates parts of the neuronal network involved in processing that same state in one, whether it is disgust, touch, or pain." Empaths have the ability to scan another's energy for thoughts, feelings and possibly for past, present, and future life occurrences.

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Good news regarding Wednesday evening Circle...Albert Kohl will reopen this Circle at 7.30pm 4th November. Albert will be teaching Spiritual Healing, as used in Spiritual Churches since their inception. We are delighted to welcome Albert back after a long absence. Remember, starting 4th November.

Plans are afoot for Coffee Club members Christmas meeting, at Fern Bay. Will contact you all with final details.

We are coming up to the silly season with so many things happening. Next newsletter will have details of break-up dates for Circles and Services. Thanks to all responsible for the smooth running of Our Church, all mistakes are mine....*Alva*

A frail old man went to live with his son, daughter-in-law, and four-year-old grandson. The old man's hands trembled, his eyesight was blurred, and his step faltered. The family ate together at the table. But the elderly grandfather's shaky hands and ailing sight made eating difficult. Peas rolled off his spoon onto the floor. When he grasped the glass, milk spilled on the tablecloth. The son and daughter-in-law became irritated with the mess. 'We must do something about father,' said the son. 'I've had enough of his spilled milk, noisy eating, and food on the floor.' So the husband and wife set a small table in the corner.

There, Grandfather ate alone while the rest of the family enjoyed dinner. Since Grandfather had broken a dish or two, his food was served in a wooden bowl. When the family glanced in Grandfather's direction, sometimes he had a tear in his eye as he sat alone. Still, the only words the couple had for him were sharp admonitions when he dropped a fork or spilled food. The four-year-old watched it all in silence.

One evening before supper, the father noticed his son playing with wood scraps on the floor. He asked the child sweetly, 'What are you making?' Just as sweetly, the boy responded, 'Oh, I am making a little bowl for you and Mama to eat your food in when I grow up. The four-year-old smiled and went back to work.. The words so struck the parents so that they were speechless. Then tears started to stream down their cheeks. Though no word was spoken, both knew what must be done.

That evening the husband took Grandfather's hand and gently led him back to the family table. For the remainder of his days he ate every meal with the family. And for some reason, neither husband nor wife seemed to care any longer when a fork was dropped, milk spilled, or the tablecloth soiled. On a positive note, I've learned that, no matter what happens, how bad it seems today, life does go on, and it will be better tomorrow.

I've learned that you can tell a lot about a person by the way he/she handles four things:  
a rainy day, the elderly, lost luggage, and tangled Christmas tree lights.

I've learned that making a 'living' is not the same thing as making a 'life..'

I've learned that life sometimes gives you a second chance.

I've learned that you shouldn't go through life with a catcher's mitt on both hands. You need to be able to throw something back sometimes.

I've learned that if you pursue happiness, it will elude you

But, if you focus on your family, your friends, the needs of others,  
your work and doing the very best you can, happiness will find you

I've learned that whenever I decide something with an open heart, I usually make the right decision.

I've learned that even when I have pains, I don't have to be one.

I've learned that every day, you should reach out and touch someone.

People love that human touch – holding hands, a warm hug, or just a friendly pat on the back.

I've learned that I still have a lot to learn.

I've learned that you should pass this on to everyone you care about . I just did.

A little boy was doing his math homework.

He said to himself, 'Two plus five, that son of a bitch is seven. Three plus six, that son of a bitch is nine...'

His mother heard what he was saying and gasped, 'What are you doing?'

The little boy answered, 'I'm doing my math homework, Mum.'

'And this is how your teacher taught you to do it?' the mother asked 'Yes,' he answered.

Infuriated, the mother asked the teacher the next day, 'What are you teaching my son in math?'

The teacher replied, 'Right now, we are learning addition.'

The mother asked, 'And are you teaching them to say two plus two, that son of a bitch is four?'

After the teacher stopped laughing, she answered, 'What I taught them was, two plus two, THE SUM OF WHICH, is four.'

## HOW PLANETARY CHANGES AFFECT YOUR LIFE

Each one of us is an individual sole, but we all go through our lives connected to the Universal Clock.

From the moment we are born all the Planets and Numbers in our lives move forward. It does not matter if we were born here or in Iceland our Astrological and Numerology clocks move in their own pattern.

The Planet Mars returns to its original position when we are 2, and continues to do 2 yr cycles around us.

At 2 a child first feels the pull of their need to become an individual and the words me and mine are used. The Planet Jupiter returns every 12 years. This is the Planet connected with our greatest satisfaction. So every 12 years it reminds us of what we want.

Saturn ( connected with responsibility) returns at 29. This is known as Saturn return and it pushes us to let go of wrong people and wrong attitudes. It is time to grow up!

It takes 30 years for the Sun to travel through each constellation. If you were 10 days into your Sun Sign the Sun would enter the next sign when you were 20 and be there for the next 30 years. When the Sun moves into another sign you will be working with a different energy and not understand why.

30 to 33 years are called the Sun years. This is a time when you are working out your attitudes and .capabilities.

38 to 39 the Planet Pluto creates a square (learning) aspect. Usually 3 time a year. This is to prompt you to start to realise that your own spiritual beliefs are more important than material matters.

At 42 the Planet Uranus makes 3 aspects (suddenly) in order for us to accept our own ideas and values and to learn to speak our own truths. (Psychologists term for the years 38 to 42 is Mid Life Crisis)

They say 'life begins and 40' and the years 40 to 45 are classed as the 'power' years in life.

At 50 the Planet Chiron returns. It commenced its journey from Saturn, through Uranus and Neptune and back to Saturn in order to use the knowledge we have gained in a responsible manner. It is time to look at the wounds we have carried and let them go.

At 56 we start on the last Numerology section of our life, governed by the year we were born. Time to give back what we have learned.

At 58 we have double Saturn return. This is your second chance to let go of all negativity. If you do not let go of anger, bitterness, criticism etc. now Saturn, which rules everything that holds you together - skin , hair, bones, teeth etc. will not be able to stop your skin, hair, bones, teeth etc from breaking down.

At 84 Uranus has completed its journey. Time to be your own true self.

### **CHILDREN.**

Mars returns every 2 years. (me/mine)

Up to 7 years (Moon period) when emotions rule. This is a time -specially between 1 and 5- that children can only FEEL and are not capable of putting into words how they are affected by the treatment they get from their parents and family. If they are made to feel unworthy at this time they will carry that feeling all of their lives as a feeling...without knowing why they feel that way, and they will accept the idea that they are not worthy of better treatment.

7 to 14 growing bodies and skills.

During this time at ten and a half the Planet Uranus makes an aspect which creates the need for independence and questioning of authority.

At 12 years (Jupiter) there is an expansion of the body or interests

At twelve and a half the Planet Chiron (the Planet that represents our inner wounds) creates an aspect that can result in worrying about things that they do not understand or their personality or appearance.

14 to 21 physical and sexual interests (without the mental understanding of the results of their actions).

At fourteen and a half Saturn creates an aspect connected with responsibility. A child is torn between their need to do their own thing and how they understand responsibility.

At 21 the Fore Brain kicks in. This is the part of the Brain that works out what will happen as a result of our actions. (This is why 21 has been seen to be the time of growing up)

28 is the middle section of life (ruled by the date of birth number) Time to have job, a home etc.

29 is Saturn return. Saturn returns to its original position in the chart and prompts us to let go of wrong people and wrong attitudes in our lives.

**TIME TO GROW UP.!!**



**Thank you Shirley . Check out Shirley's latest book, now available.**

## **Story of a Mighty Girl from Facebook**

**When Maggie Doyne decided to take a year off after high school to travel around the world, the adventurous 19-year-old New Jersey native never imagined the unexpected direction her life would take. While backpacking around Nepal shortly after the end of the Nepalese Civil War, she was struck by the plight of the many children who were struggling to survive and made a radical decision. She asked her parents to wire her the \$5,000 she had saved from years of babysitting and used the money to open an orphanage.**

**Ten year later, the now 28-year-old Doyne is the mother and legal guardian of nearly 50 children and has built a community school that educates 350 students. In recognition of her incredible dedication to improving the lives of Nepalese children, Doyne has just been named one of CNN's Top 10 Heroes of 2015!**

**From her earliest days in Surkhet, the Nepalese city where she built the Kopila Valley Children's Home and the Kopila Valley School, Doyne has worked closely with the local community: "I learned very early on, from the beginning, that I couldn't come in and just be like, 'Here, I have a vision. This is what we're going to do.' That doesn't work. It has to be slow; it has to be organic. And it has to come from the community and be a 'we' thing."**

**Over the years, Doyne has continued to expand the breadth of their work to tackle various needs in the community. "We run the school lunch program. Then we needed to keep our kids really healthy, so we started a small clinic and then a counseling center," she explains. "From there we started getting more sustainable and growing our own food. And then from there we decided to start a women's center."**

**This year, they bought more property and converted to solar energy. Soon, Doyne says, "we'll have a high school and then a day care, preschool, elementary, all the way up, and a vocational center where kids can become a thriving young adult with everything they need to succeed moving forward." Doyne is thrilled to be selected as one of CNN's Heroes of 2015, a recognition which makes her eligible for CNN's Hero of the Year and a \$100,000 grant to help further her work. "It's become so much more than just a little girl with a backpack and a big dream," Doyne says. "It's become a community. And I want to teach and have other people take this example and hope this sets a precedent for what our world can be and look like." And, while she knows that her path has been unconventional, it's certainly been the right choice for her: "I wake up every day saying 'I love my job.,' That's my message for young people, especially for young women: do what you love and what makes you feel good."**

*An exasperated mother, whose son was always getting into mischief, finally asked him 'How do you expect to get into Heaven?'*

*The boy thought it over and said, 'Well, I'll run in and out and in and out and keep slamming the door until St. Peter says, 'For Heaven's, Dylan, come in or stay out!''*

A nursery school pupil told his teacher he'd found a cat, but it was dead.

'How do you know that the cat was dead?' she asked her pupil.

'Because I pissed in its ear and it didn't move,' answered the child innocently.

'You did WHAT?' the teacher exclaimed in surprise.

'You know,' explained the boy, 'I leaned over and went 'Pssst' and it didn't move'

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A young lad had just gotten his provisional license. (learner's permit) He asked his father, who was a minister, if they could discuss his use of the car. His father said to him, "If you bring your marks up, study your bible, and get your hair cut, we'll talk about it." A month later the boy came back and again asked his father if they could now discuss his use of the car. His father said, "Well, son, I see that your marks have improved, you've studied your bible diligently, but you didn't get a hair cut!" The young man waited a moment and then replied, "You know dad, I've been thinking about that. Didn't Samson have long hair, Moses have long hair, Noah have long hair, and even Jesus himself have long hair?" His father replied, "They did so, and they walked everywhere they went!"

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After living to a ripe old age, Dr Smith, a world-famous surgeon, passed away during his sleep one night. He found himself at the back of an extremely long line leading to the Pearly Gates.

After waiting what seemed like an eternity, the surgeon had it in his mind that he shouldn't have to wait in line. He walked up the Pearly Gates and said to Saint Peter, "I'm Doctor Gregory Smith, world-famous surgeon. While on earth I saved many lives and cured uncounted illnesses. I don't think I should have to wait in this line."

Saint Peter curtly replied: "Here in Heaven, everyone is treated the same. Go to the back of the line, please." As he was walking to the back of the line, he noticed a gentleman with a leather bag and a stethoscope, obviously a doctor, walk to the front of the line. Saint Peter waved him right through.

Furious, Doctor Smith ran up to Saint Peter and shouted: "Why did that doctor get to go right through?!"

## MEAL MAYHEM

Airborne 30 minutes on an evening flight from Glasgow, the head flight attendant nervously made the following announcement: "Ladies and Gentlemen, I am sorry but it appears that there has been a mix-up by our airport catering service. I don't know how this happened, but we have 103 passengers and only 40 dinner meals. I apologise for this mistake and inconvenience"

When passenger mutterings had died down, she continued, "Anyone who is kind enough to give up their meal so someone else can eat will receive free, unlimited drinks for the duration of our five hour flight."

Her next announcement came 90 mins later, "If anyone would like to change their minds, we still have 40 dinners available."