



## Work Group Proposal

From the Bylaws, “The Church of Conscious Harmony exists for the sole purpose of facilitating the spiritual journey for people who want to make God-devotion the center of their lives”. To this end, in addition to the regularly-scheduled core classes (e.g., Lessons in Truth, Simple Explanations of Work Ideas, new member classes, the Gospel & Work class, etc.), a new form of small group spiritual enrichment is encouraged. “Work groups,” are small (generally 7-12 people), self-directed, semester oriented and focused on a particular topic or practice related to the two foundations of the Church: the Christian contemplative tradition and the Work of Inner Christianity.

The aim of Work groups is to provide participants with transforming spiritual enrichment, inspiring love of God and love of neighbor.

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**Work Group Title:** Christ *is* in Evolution!

**Meeting day/time:** Tuesday noon-1:30pm

**Duration:** Sept 8 - Nov 24

**Purpose or specific aim of Work Group:** Contemplation of the big idea Christ brings "a new heart" to humanity on the individual and collective plane.

**Sources for content or practice:** Meditations with Teilhard De Chardin and The Emergent Christ, Elia Delio. Hymn to Matter as daily devotion (copies provided). Previous viewing of the Cosmos series as background information is helpful. Also, we will use short videos for group synergy and discussion.

**Outline and timeline for study and/or practice:** 12 weeks based on the chapters in Meditations with Teilhard.

**Prerequisites for participants:** 1-year CP practice; *Anyone who has a Wondering question about the Cosmos and its application to daily life!* Previous participants in the Meditations with Teilhard groups are welcome to continue our exploration.

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