



Work Group Proposal Form

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: Making All Things New

Meeting day/time: Monday 7:30- 9:00pm

Duration: September 12 - November 14

Purpose or specific aim of Work Group: As The Church of Conscious Harmony leans ever deeper into her teachings, this is an opportunity to come together as a small, committed group to explore those teachings. We will not only share the intellectual challenges presented in these ideas, but also open ourselves to ways these ideas can truly change our lives.

Sources for content or practice: Making All Things New by Ilia Delio

Outline and timeline for study and/or practice: The reading material is challenging. Our general pattern will be to read and discuss one chapter per week. For our joint exploration to be as fruitful as possible, it is critical that each member read the assigned chapter before we gather each week.

Prerequisites for participants: If you are familiar with Ilia Delio and have a genuine desire to dig deeper into her ideas with a small group of seekers, I invite you to prayerfully consider participating.

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