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Celebration of Life for Gerry Kinneavy

Saturday, January 26, 1:00 pm

at The Old Church Concert Hall in Portland.

1422 SW 11th Avenue

Portland, OR 97201

Gerry Kinneavy joined Labyrinth Network in 2006 when the organization was founded and remained a member until his death on December 20, 2018. After his retirement from the University of Colorado, Gerry became a Chaplain with North Lincoln Hospice in Lincoln City, Oregon. In his work with hospice, Gerry used the labyrinth many ways.

Gerry taught the hospice staff and patients many ways labyrinths could be used. He held an annual memorial labyrinth walk, putting on the labyrinth the names of patients who had died in the previous year. He wrote a curriculum based on the labyrinth to use which his grief support groups, and gave each member a finger labyrinth which he recommended that they use to help them through the bad times especially when they woke in the middle of the night.

Gerry also hosted Blue Holiday Celebrations for people who had recently lost a loved one to help them chase away the sadness they often feel during the holiday season. The event featured lavish blue decorations of soup and salad dinner, Taize prayer and a Labyrinth Walk.

The pictures above show Gerry walking the labyrinth at Hilton, England, in 2006, with his wife Kay at LNN's 5th anniversary celebration in 2016, using his walker to participate in the election labyrinth at Christ United Methodist Church, and using a wheelchair to "walk" the labyrinth at the farewell ceremony for Marylhurst University. This year on World Labyrinth Day, Gerry stayed home and walked a finger labyrinth and colored a picture of a turtle labyrinth.

You are invited to join Gerry's family in celebrating his life on Saturday, January 26 at 1:00 pm at the Old Church in downtown Portland.

Walk for Justice - Eugene, Oregon

Saturday, January 19, 2019 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM St. Mary's Episcopal Church 1300 Pearl Street Eugene, OR 97401 [map]

This is special walk in honor of Martin Luther King Day.

[Flyer for this event]

For more information email <u>Geoff Colvin</u> Telephone: 541-915-1645

Labyrinth Walk: Turning Points

Saturday, January 19, 2019 12:00 PM - 4:30 PM Cerimon House



5131 NE 23rd Avenue Portland, OR 97211 [map]



This new labyrinth is an adaptation of the Reims, France pattern.

A \$10.00 donation is suggested.



Dancing our Winter Pathway

Tuesday, January 22, 2019 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Kempton Hall Trinity Episcopal Cathedral 147 NW 19th Avenue Portland, OR 97209 [map]

In this season of winter, we will dance our pilgrim pathway, encountering traditions of the labyrinth along the way. Dancing our inner journey, we will explore several modes of contemplation and reflect on new directions in our lives.

[Flyer for this event]

If you're curious about this new class but are hesitant because of your lack of talent at dancing, come and try it on a drop-in basis. I can personally testify that this group welcomes everyone, and the dances are easy to learn.

People of all abilities are welcome. Wear comfortable clothing.

\$45 General; \$40 Trinity Cathedral Members

Instructors: Jane Rickenbaugh and Susanna Lundgren

Are you planning a labyrinth event? We are now accepting calendar entries for all of 2019 Be sure it's on the LNN Calendar. If you have an ongoing repeated event, please confirm that all info remains the same. Send us the info about your upcoming events

To assure the accuracy of your calendar entries, please check the guidelines. Click the Dark Green Bar at the top of the LNN Calendar page which will give you the format for submission. Send us the info about your upcoming events

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