

ABOUT THE WEEKEND

Is a question a gift or a burden? What does it signal that a question burns within us? When does a question deserve not having an answer?

This workshop will look at the questions in the life of Parzival, both those confronting him and the question he failed to ask. How could a question bring healing to a wound that could not be healed? What were the forces working against Parzival on his path towards asking that Question, and how was he able to overcome them?

On Saturday evening, we will look at the way in which questions may form the seeds for future earthly lives.

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The workshop will be enlivened by artistic activities including Eurythmy led by Eve Olive and presentations of scenes from Russell Pooler's *Parsifal: A Play in 12 Pictures*. Margaretta and Bruce Bornhorst are directing our community members in the performance of the scenes from this drama.

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CONFERENCE LOCATION

Emerson Waldorf High School
Brown Room
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CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Friday, March 12,

7:30 p.m. Presentation of Scene 6 from Russell Pooler's *Parsifal: A Play in 12 Pictures*
Lecture: "The Gift of the Question: How We Wrestle With Our Angels"

Saturday, March 13

Theme of the Day: "Parzival's Experience of the Question: Supersensible Forces at Work in our Souls"

9:00-9:30 a.m. Registration

9:30 – Morning Session:

Presentation of Scene 10 from *Parsifal*
Lecture: "Parzival and Gawain's Encounters with Lucifer and Ahriman"

Eurythmy

Break

Plenary Discussion on the theme

12:30-2:00 Lunch

2:00 Afternoon Session and Closing:

"Christ as the Balance: Parzival's Meeting with the Greater Guardian of the Threshold"

Eurythmy

Break

Plenary Discussion on the Theme

5:00-7:00 p.m. Dinner Break

7:00 p.m. Evening Session

Lecture: "Questions as Seeds of Earthly Lives: The Spiritual Biography of Trevrizent"
Presentation of Scene 12 of *Parsifal*

A note for members of the First Class:

Sunday, March 14

The School of Spiritual Science will meet in the Eurythmy Room at EWS. Review of Lesson 16 will be held at 9:30a.m.. Doors will open at 10:30 for the reading of Lesson 17. Blue cards are required.

REGISTRATION FORM

"Parzival and the Grail Question"

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

Email _____

Date _____

COST:

EARLY BIRDS (registration prior to Feb. 20):

*Members: \$60. Nonmembers \$70.

FULL CONFERENCE (after Feb. 20)

*Members \$65 Nonmembers \$75.

Friday Evening Lecture Only

*Members \$10. Nonmembers \$15.

Work Scholarships – a limited number are available for people experiencing financial hardship. Please call Peg Carmody at 919-537-8142 to find out more.

*Members must have paid 2010 dues before the February 20 registration to qualify for the discount.

Saturday Lunch is included in the Full Conference Fee. It will consist of a simple meal of soup, salad and bread plus a drink.

Please make checks payable to: ASNC and mail to:

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ABOUT OUR PRESENTERS

Keynote speaker Edward Schuldt met Anthroposophy as a teenager while studying at the University of Chicago. His work in philosophy there led to his departure from academia and to a career in Camphill, where he spent fifteen years, and the Waldorf Movement. Most recently, he was the first Director of Administration at the Emerson Waldorf School. He has consulted with more than two dozen Waldorf schools regarding organizational development and philanthropy. Edward has been teaching and lecturing on esoteric themes for twenty-five years, including Egyptian and Greek mythology, Gilgamesh, and Kaspar Hauser. He led the Village Seminar in Camphill Village-Copake and taught Esoteric Christianity at Sunbridge College. He has made a particular study of Wolfram von Eschenbach's *Parzival*. Edward is currently on the Board of the ASNC.

Eurythmist Eve Olive studied Eurythmy at the Zuccoli School in Dornach, Switzerland and with Ilse Kimball, one of the first Eurythmists, in NYC. Eve, along with others, founded the Emerson Waldorf School in 1984, after many years of preparation and Study groups. Eve has taught Eurythmy at the Emerson Waldorf School for 20 years, and has conducted Eurythmy classes and workshops for adults in this country and abroad. She is also a trained Therapeutic Eurythmist and a performing artist. Eve was the architect of the original buildings of the Emerson Waldorf School, and she was the first Class Holder for the School of Spiritual Science in NC.

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