



Playing With Fire A Spiritual Retreat

5pm, Friday 28th April – 1pm, Sunday 30th April 2017

Together with Martin Samson, Cheryl Nekvapil and other presenters, we will ignite the theme, Playing With Fire, the theme chosen for the International Whitsun Conference of The Christian Community being held in the Netherlands in June this year.

Observe and experience fire in the world, then awaken to the transformative power of fire in our hearts, in our inner life and becoming. There is a “fire of love” which we long to enkindle individually and in community. We will immerse ourselves in such contemplation and activity in the beautiful Yarra Valley for the retreat.

Venue: *‘Riverdale’, 55 Cavanagh Road, Wesburn, Victoria*

Riverdale is a 15-acre slice of heaven, exuding magic from the beautiful flower gardens, fields, bush lands and old majestic gum trees on the river flats of the Yarra River. Working with biodynamic principles, the owners have been passionately transforming the property into what some have called a ‘paradise off the grid’, relying on solar power and tank water. With paths along the bordering Yarra River and through open fields, and the Warburton ranges as a backdrop, guests can walk and explore the unique beauty this property holds.
<http://riverdale.net.au/>

To register email: cherylnekvapil@yahoo.com

Cost: Generous donation or \$300 full, \$220 billeted. Concession on request. Includes talks and workshops, delicious nourishing meals and venue.

Bring a bible, note book, eurythmy shoes (if you have them), comfortable shoes, warm clothes for camp fires and star gazing outside at night, torch and usual personal things.

Programme: At this point the details of our timetable are still to be confirmed for fulfilling days with contributions on the theme supported by artistic activity. We will be nourished by tasty food and times of rest while the evening will be filled with an open space for conversation about our path.



Friday 28th April:

4pm	Registration and Welcome
5pm	Opening session
6pm	Dinner
7.30pm	Presentation and conversation
8.15pm	Close of Day Service
	Evening activities by an outside fire, star gazing, inside

Saturday 29th April

8am	The Act of Consecration of Man followed by Breakfast
9.30am	Session
10.30am	Session
11.30am	Morning-tea
12.00	Session
1pm	Lunch
2.30pm	Golden Silence
3.30pm	Artistic activity/in nature
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6pm	Dinner
7.30pm	Presentation and conversation
8.15pm	Close of Day Service
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Sunday 30th April

8am	The Act of Consecration of Man followed by Breakfast
9.30am	Session
10.30am	Session
11.30am	Morning-tea
12.00	Closing Session
1pm	Lunch