

AGENDA

Opening Prayer: (volunteer)

Current, for the rest of 2013

- Treasurer: Financials for the last 4 months (Jerry)
- December schedule
 - The 1st: Annual Commitment Mtg, "talking stick"
 - The 15th: The Divine Feminine "Queen of Heaven" (Dennis)
- **NY Eve Vigil**
 - STATUS UPDATE

Calendar and study topics for the first quarter of 2014 (& longer)

- STATUS UPDATE: Saturday, January 11 meeting at the hermitage
- STATUS UPDATE: Next spring a one day retreat with Cyprian at the end of April
- Book a fall 2014 sangha retreat at NCH
 - BOOKED:
 - 9/12-14 AND 10/3-5 (either can be cancelled)
 - Third option is the weekend of 9/19-21
 - These dates may be the best option
- Offer joint one-day sesshin (all day zazen sitting meditation and talks) with SC Zen Center
 - Focus on how a sangha supports practice

Other possible topics for discussion

- How to engage people more 'strongly'
 - More opportunities to gather and support each other in practice
- Follow-up on our conversation about 'connection' with NCH
- Previous suggestions for topics
 - Sikhism, Thich Nhat Hanh, Yoga sutras, Tantra, Cyprian's new book

Next service committee meeting

- Bi-monthly ? (without Fr Cyprian)
 - December, February, April, June, August, October, December
- Quarterly ? (with Fr Cyprian)