



New Horizon

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ADDRESSES FOR 7th TRADITION CONTRIBUTIONS

We are self-supporting. Please consider a donation of \$3 at the meetings you attend.

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After maintaining abstinence for over 2 years, I realized something was missing from my program. I looked back over my recovery journey and realized that I had not been doing much service over the group level. So I started attending Intergroup meetings and when the position of newsletter editor became available, I offered to do that service. Then I offered to attend the Region 8 Assembly as delegate and eventually was elected as Region 8 Rep. For me service was the missing piece providing the willingness to stay abstinent no matter what! – Pam G.

Together in Recovery – A 12 Step Journey

Winter Retreat, January 13-15, 2017

Christian Retreat Center

1200 Glory Way Blvd, Bradenton, FL

Registration starts Friday at 3, Dinner at 5, Program begins at 6:30. Retreat ends Sunday at noon.

Register before Aug 1, 2016 - \$45; after Aug. 1 - \$65 (Retreat program only)

Single Room: \$65 x 2 nights = \$130

Double Room: \$32.50 x 2 nights = \$65

Meals = \$50

(Fri – Dinner; Sat – Breakfast, lunch, & dinner, Sun – Breakfast)

Questions? Call or email: Karen (614) 500-1080

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News from WSO:

New Podcast

Have you heard the latest podcast in our “Service and My Recovery” series? *Always to extend the heart and hand of OA* is now available on the podcast page at oa.org. This newest podcast focuses on the spiritual **principles of Purpose and Consideration** and the roles they play in service and recovery.

New Literature

The *Twelve Step Workshop and Study*

Guide (#960), OA’s new Conference-Approved book, is now available for purchase at the OA bookstore. \$13.50.

Find it online at What’s New (<https://oa.org/whats-new/>) or at the OA bookstore (<http://bookstore.oa.org/>).

OA MANASOTA MEETING SCHEDULE

Day	Time	City	Location	Contact	Notes
Monday	1 pm	Venice	Lion's Club Venice Health Park 1283 Jacaranda Blvd. (Left side of bldg., Community Room A)	Gloria: 941-488-2533	Discussion/Literature
Monday	7 pm	Bradenton	Trinity Methodist Church 3200 Manatee Ave W, Conference Room at SE corner of church by Fellowship Hall (park in front of Church off Manatee Ave [SR 64])	Sandi: 941-932-6651 Mary Beth: 941-705-1417	Literature/Big Book
Monday	7 pm	Sarasota	First Presbyterian Church 501 Bowman Ct. (off Oak St. east of 301) Rm. #203	Pam G: 941-343-7181	Steps & Traditions/Beginner's Meeting on last Monday
Tuesday	10 am	Sarasota	Bahia Vista Mennonite Church 4041 Bahia Vista St., (Main Bldg, back of church, thru double glass doors, 1 st door on left, Room 9)	Diana: 941-544-5838	Steps & last Tues. Tradition
Wednesday	10 am	Osprey	CLOSED UNTIL OCTOBER Church of the Holy Spirit 129 S Tamiami Trail (First door – left side of bldg.)	Babs: 339-788-1960	Steps & Traditions
Wednesday	6:45 pm	Sarasota	Gratitude Club, 530 Payne Parkway	Andrea: 941-926-7555	Literature
Thursday	10 am	Bradenton	Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Catholic Church 833 Magellan Dr (9th Street East) (between 63rd Ave East and Whitfield) Rm. #10 in school building	Mary Ann: 941-744-0230	Steps & Traditions
Thursday	10 am	Port Charlotte	Pilgrim United Church of Christ 24515 Rampart Blvd. (off King's Highway)	Carolyn: 941-626-8969	Discussion/Steps/Speaker
Thursday	6:30 – 8 pm	Sarasota	Unitarian Universalist Church, 3975 Fruitville Rd. (Jefferson Room inside courtyard) Call in to live meeting: 712-775-7031 Access code 519003816#	Ree: 315-447-4175	Special Focus Meeting: OA H.O.W
Thursday	7 pm	Anna Maria Island	Episcopal Church of the Annunciation 4408 Gulf Dr. Bradenton Beach	Gillian: 941-243-3919	
Friday	10 am	Venice	Lion's Club Venice Health Park 1283 Jacaranda Blvd. (Left side of bldg., Community Room A)	Gloria: 941-488-2533	Discussion/Literature
Friday	7 pm	Sarasota	St. Wilfred Episcopal Church, 3773 Wilkinson Road (parking lot in back of church; little white house)	Andrea: 941-926-7555	Speaker/Discussion
Saturday	8:30 am	Sarasota	Unitarian Universalist Church 3975 Fruitville Rd. (Jefferson Room inside courtyard)	Wendy 941-806-7080	Special Focus Meeting: Anorexic/Bulimic
Saturday	10 am	Sarasota	Unitarian Universalist Church 3975 Fruitville Rd. (Jefferson Room inside courtyard)	Wendy 941-806-7080	Big Book/Literature
Sunday	4 pm	Sarasota	Bahia Vista Mennonite Church 4041 Bahia Vista St., Portable 3	Kathy: 941-954-4210	Big Book/Step Study

Manasota Intergroup meets the 2nd Saturday of every month at 11:15 am at the Unitarian Universalist Church, 3975 Fruitville Road, Sarasota (Jefferson Room inside Courtyard), following the Saturday morning meeting.

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