

LAN Circle Wrap-Up

November 22, 2022



Thank you to those of you who joined us for our circle in November. There were about 21 of us who gathered.

Meditation/Thought

Thanks to Tisha Strauch for helping tonight. She stepped in for Chris Katzenmeyer, who was suffering with RSV, and did a beautiful meditation to help us, "Stay in our hearts."

LLP Updates

Gary Peterson, President of the Legacy Labyrinth Board also stepped in for Chris to tell us about our in-person board meeting and mention the LLP end of year giving campaign if anyone feels called to support the work we are doing.

I also called on Carmel Stabley, The Labyrinth Society Regional Representative Coordinator to tell us about the upcoming event she has planned that will be a follow-up to the recent event with Chris and I about Labyrinth Activism and Sound Healing. This December 17th event will headline Clive Johnson and the Labyrinth Activism work he is doing. More information can be [found here](#).

Research/News/Updates

We were honored to have Lorraine Rodda of Australia share her journey with Reconciliation with First Peoples in Australia using the labyrinth. She sent this note after our meeting. The documents and videos she spoke of are posted on the LAN page of the Legacy Labyrinth website.

- [Recognising and Celebrating the Oldest Continuous Culture on Earth](#)
- [Reconciliation Matters](#)

From Lorraine...

Thank you so much for your interest in our activity down under - the highlighting of Sacred Activism and the work here has made such a difference. A couple of things I forgot to mention that my ancestors go back 7 generations with the first Australian born in 1817 occupation/invasion was in 1788. I became aware of the Frontier Wars in the settlement of my ancestors only in 2013.

The advancement on respect of First Peoples in Victoria recently saw a State Funeral for the late Uncle Jack Charles, relative of the elder Shane Charles. The funeral was live on the State Government website. His story is in the video magazine on page 11

I have checked with Joy at ALN and the brochure for NYE is only accessible to Members. Hopefully, I will be able to have that changed in the future so if you can send out those documents as attachments that would be great

I have made some small changes to the Referendum Document and have attached the amended version for distribution.

Front page video magazine

Dadirri - 3 minute Visual and talk is in the brochure

Miriam-Rose Ungunmerr-Bauman

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Dadirri - This is a 6 minute talk on Youtube

Aboriginal educator and artist, Miriam-Rose Ungunmerr-Bauman talks about challenges facing Aboriginal communities, and the Aboriginal concept of 'dadirri', a form of deep inner listening and contemplation. She spoke to Eureka Street TV at an Indigenous Theology Symposium held at Australian Catholic University Brisbane campus, and the interview is sponsored by the University's Asia-Pacific Centre for Inter-Religious Dialogue

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This is the lecture I mentioned about Aboriginals being unloved. The context was that as a Country we have embraced the culture of people from many other countries.

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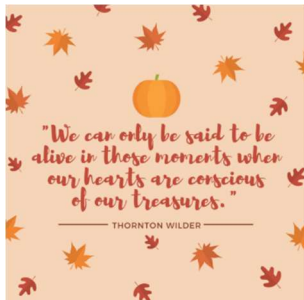
Sharing

We ran out of time and we weren't able to break up into groups. Because this is an important piece of our circle, the December meeting will be devoted to community and sharing.

Closing

GHR Q4: Heart/Radiate:

"Only from the heart can you touch the sky." — Rumi



Sheila Spremulli shared this wonderful opportunity:

Foundations of Trauma Supported Spiritual Care, Shannon Michael Pater

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"If anyone from the labyrinth community is registered, we can form our own cohort which means we could meet w Shannon Michael as a labyrinth group to discuss how best this information as labyrinth activists."

Thank you for this, Sheila.

I am looking forward to being in circle with you on December 27 when we will share and get to know each other and our work better. Thank you for all you do in the world to make it better!

Peace, Ellen Bintz Meuch