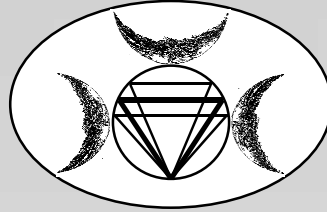


Pagan Sanctum Recovery



Pagan Sanctum Recovery is a support group for persons recovering from substance abuse and/or behavioral/mood disorders who have found their Higher Power in the Native American, Wiccan, Pantheist, Shamanist, Odinist and other pre-Christian faiths (known collectively as *The Old Religion*). Our program is one of abstinence, fellowship and conscious contact with the Higher Power of our understanding.

PSR may also be for those who have only a vague, fleeting impression of a Divine power. They may sense it in nature. Such glimpses into the Divine, as experienced intimately by the individual, and not interpreted for them by someone else, is the essence

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of paganism. This connection makes our recovery possible... *and* happy, joyous, and free. It may work for you. PSR offers a personal plan for identifying power from within, and from without. We leave it to you to connect the remaining dots, and discover your true path to personal healing.

All are welcome; there are no dues or fees, and the only requirement for membership is a desire to recover. Some of us have found a spiritual home in ancient pagan paths, which honor a Pre-Christian Deity or Deities, and/or focus on a duality of universal forces. Paganists try to live in balance with the Earth, and go with the flow of life. We value the free exercise of thought and action, provided no person or being is harmed.

"I define my faith, not others. No matter how severely others misrepresent the Old Religion, my faith continues to cast light in the darkness and suffering I once wandered in. This is enough for me. I have found peace and unconditional love in our fellowship. Our concepts of Deity may not be shared by the majority, but the joy and serenity arising from regular conscious contact with this elusive Spirit is the same. We maintain our special gift by sharing our experience, strength and hope with others. Deity asks nothing more of me than this simple compassion." --AriC.

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