



The Theosophical Society in Maryland, Inc.

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THE LODGE WILL BE OPEN REGULARLY ONLY ON **SUNDAYS FROM 1 TO 3 PM (our Winter Hours)**, and TO BROWSE OUR LIBRARY ON **WEDNESDAYS FROM 6-8 PM**. Both activities are free and open to the public. (Donations are optional and appreciated.) In case of inclement weather please see our website, our Facebook page (Baltimore Theosophical Society), or the media for downtown closings. More detailed information about a program is available on our website and Facebook closer to the date of the program.

JANUARY-FEBRUARY 2017

Sun, Jan 1, 1-3 pm	<u>No program – New Year’s Day</u>
Wed, Jan 4, 6-8 pm	<u>Library Night</u> : an opportunity for the public and TS members alike to browse the shelves of our extensive esoteric library, as well as converse with others on the myriad of subjects it houses. Borrowing privileges are only extended to current members of the Theosophical Society. However all are welcomed for browsing and on-site reading
Sun, Jan 8, 1-3 pm	<u>Open Discussion</u> : What book/article/movie really grabbed your interest recently? Tell us a little about it and then we open up the floor to respectful discussion, everyone contributing from their own point of view and personal experiences. Choose <u>any</u> topic that touches on our Three Declared Objects (see below).
Wed, Jan 11, 6-8 pm	<u>Library Night</u> (see above)
Sun, Jan 15, 1-3 pm	<u>A Theosophical View of America’s Destiny</u> Leonard Jackson, Jr <i>The Secret Doctrine</i> indicates that America has a special destiny. We will explore this idea and the esoteric events surrounding the founding of the United States.
Wed, Jan 18, 6-8 pm	<u>Library Night</u> (see above)
Sun, Jan 22, 1-3 pm	<u>Magick 101 - Introduction to the Fundamentals</u> Robert Randle "The Method of Science, the Aim of Religion". Come learn what Magick is and what

A **Gurdjieff Group** is associated with the Lodge; it meets on some Tuesday evenings at the Lodge and also in teleconference. Call to apply - 732-291-4747.

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	it is not. Robert will be teaching some of the basic concepts of magickal theory and practice, and how you can apply those principles to your own life... to begin performing your own magick today! (First of two programs. See Feb 26th)
Wed, Jan 25, 6-8 pm	<u>Library Night</u> (see above)
Sun, Jan 29, 1-3 pm	<u>Esoteric Christianity by Annie Besant, Part I</u>Ann Ford Learn the main concepts in this Theosophical classic which Annie Besant described this way: "The object of this book is to suggest certain lines of thought as to the deep truths underlying Christianity, truths generally overlooked, and only too often denied."
Wed, Feb 1, 6-8 pm	<u>Library Night</u> (see above)
Sun, Feb 5, 1-3 pm	<u>Open Discussion</u> (see above)
Wed, Feb 8, 6-8 pm	<u>Library Night</u> (see above)
Sun, Feb 12, 1-3 pm	<u>Esoteric Christianity by Annie Besant, Part II</u>Ann Ford (see Jan 29 th)
Wed, Feb 15, 6-8 pm	<u>Library Night</u> (see above)
Sun, Feb 19, 1-3 pm	<u>Theosophy at the Movies- "Going Clear: Scientology and the Prison of Belief (2015),</u> Movie and Discussion This documentary by Alex Gibney is an in-depth look at the inner workings of the Church of Scientology, founded by L. Ron Hubbard
Wed, Feb 22, 6-8 pm	<u>Library Night</u> (see above)
Sun, Feb 26, 1-3 pm	<u>Magickal Accoutrements - Crafting Items for Spellwork</u> Robert Randle ABRAHADABRA: "I Create What I Speak". What is a sigil? What is candle magic? What's the difference between the magickal operations of Divination, Enchantment, Sorcery, The Double, and Transmogrification? All this and more will be answered in this <u>hands-on workshop</u> ... and not just what kinds of magickal operations are likely to have the most success for you... but some of the theories behind <i>why</i> they work!

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