

## C.G. Jung Society of Colorado Springs

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#### Newsletter, Fall 2014 Volume 28, Issue I

**Location of Events:** All events occur at Unity Spiritual Center in the Rockies 1945 Mesa Road, Colorado Springs, CO 80904

# Friday, September 19, 2014 7-9 p.m. Fate, Destiny and Choice

Lecture by: Jeff Raff
Entry: \$8-members; \$12-non-members

In this lecture, Jeff Raff will differentiate between fate and destiny. He will discuss fate as the force that appears outside of ourselves, often impersonal, but with such power that it dominates our lives leaving us little choice but acceptance or resistance. Destiny, on the other hand, he sees as the drive that pushes us to become ourselves and to embrace our own totality as a way of being. Unlike fate, destiny compels us to honor our nature and find ways of expressing it in life. Choice is essential to realize our destiny, but our choices are limited by the very nature we are trying to express. Jeff will discuss the ways in which we can make informed, conscious choices that allow our destiny to express itself, as well as the barriers to making these choices.

**Dr.** Jeffrey Raff has been in private practice as a Jungian Analyst in the Denver area for 34 years. He is the author of four books, including Jung and the Alchemical Imagination, and

numerous
articles. He has
given classes
and seminars on
the ally and
related topics
all over the
country.



# Friday, October 10, 2014 7-9 p.m. Cosmic Affinities: Finding Meaning in Today's Technological World

Lecture by: Jeffrey Kiehl, Ph.D. Entry: \$8-members; \$12-non-members

"... wholeness ... has always been characterized by certain cosmic affinities: the individual soul was thought to be of 'heavenly' origin, a particle of the world soul, and hence a microcosm, a reflection of the macrocosm."

C.G. Jung (CW 10, par. 635)

Late in life Jung stated that we "cannot stand a meaningless life." Where do we find meaning in today's world of technological speed and parallel processing? In past times a sense of meaning arose from the belief in a mirroring connection between the individual and the cosmos. Over time our sense of being in the world has shifted from one of cosmic affinity to one in which we may feel alone within a vast, infinite cosmos. In this presentation I explore how our sense of being in the world evolved through the ages and the psychological implications of this shift. Using images and Jungian concepts we will explore our very being in the world and how Jungian psychology offers a comprehensive path to creating a more sacred meaningful sense of being in the world.

Jeffrey Kiehl, Ph.D., M.A., LPC is a Diplomate Jungian Analyst with a private practice in Boulder, Colorado. He is Vice-President of the C.G. Jung Institute of Colorado, a member of the Inter-Regional Society of Jungian Analysts, and the International Association for Analytical

Psychology. Over the past fifteen years, Jeffrey has lectured and given workshops both nationally and internationally on topics including: Jungian ecopsychology, film interpretation and alchemy.

#### November 14 & 15, 2014 Lecture & Workshop

## Friday – November 14 Lecture 7-9 p.m. Jung, Music and Imagination

Lecture by: Janis Maxwell Entry: \$8-members; \$12-non-members

The poet Novalis once said, "Every illness is a musical problem and every cure has a musical solution." The power of music to tame the wildest passions, cure physical illness and penetrate to the deepest parts of the psyche is well documented by mythology and the philosophies of the ancient world. lecture, we will explore the power of music to harmonize both body and soul and bring them into relationship with what C. G. Jung calls the organizing principle of the personality, the Self. Jung has said that music "...reaches the deep archetypal material that we can only sometimes reach in our analytical work with patients. I feel that from now on music should be a part of every analysis." We will show a short film clip to demonstrate how music and its power to harmonize the instinctual and spiritual realms can be a healing force.



Artist ~ Remedios Varo

#### Saturday – November 15 Workshop Music and Imagination 9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Workshop by: Janis Maxwell Entry: \$40-members; \$45-non-members

C. G Jung described active imagination as the only way to achieve a direct encounter with the unconscious without the use of tests or dream interpretation. Marie Louise von Franz described active imagination as "the most powerful tool in Jungian psychology for achieving wholeness—far more than dream interpretation alone." In this workshop, we will demonstrate how the universal language of music can stimulate the imagination, operate as a guide into the deepest parts of our psyche, and lead beyond cognitive awareness and into a direct connection to the emotions, which Jung declares to be the chief source of consciousness. We will also discuss and demonstrate with short pieces of classical and modern music, how music can function as a bridge between consciousness and the unconscious, reflecting Jung's important idea of the transcendent function and the importance he placed on the technique of active imagination. Call (719) **527-0622 for a reservation.** Bring a sack lunch.

Janis Maxwell, MS, is a Jungian Analyst with a private practice in Easton, Maryland, Director of Training for the C. G. Jung Institute of Philadelphia and serves the Inter-Regional Society of Jungian Analysts as a seminar coordinator. Ms. Maxwell is a graduate and member of the faculty of the C. G. Jung Institute, Zurich, Switzerland and lectures internationally.

#### Friday, December 12, 2014 7-9 p.m. Jungian Odyssey

Lectures by Friends of Jung ~ free to all

Each December, members from the Jung Society share how Carl Jung's ideas have affected his or her life. This year for our Jungian Odyssey, Gary Foster, Chinese and I Ching Scholar and Autumn Hall, published poet will reflect on how Jungian psychology has influenced their lives. Following the presentation, all are invited to enjoy holiday refreshments.

#### Special JUNGIAN CLASSES/EVENTS in Colorado Springs

Kathryn Kuisle leads discussions of various fairy tales and facilitates working with dreams

#### Fairy Tale and Dream Groups for Fall 2014 ~ Tuesdays 7 – 9 p.m.

Each session is \$20

#### **Fairy Tale Meeting Dates:**

September 16, October 7 & 21, November 4 & 18, & December 2

#### **Dream Group Meeting Dates:**

September 9 & 23, October 14 & 28, November 11 & 25, & December 9 & 23

Reservations: contact Kathryn Kuisle, Ph.D. Jungian Analyst at (719) 527-0622 or www.kkuisle.com

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#### Membership entitles you to:

- 1. A member newsletter describing each event for our winter/spring season.
- 2. A reduced entry fee at each of our events per season.
- 3. Stimulating events, making the ideas of Carl G. Jung more accessible.
- 4. The opportunity to discuss Jung's ideas with others similarly interested.

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"All true things must change and only that which changes remains true." C.G. Jung (CW 14, par. 503)

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