

Eastern Regional Holding Group  
Agenda 08/19/2021 7:30 PM Est 6:30 Cst

\*Verse - Verse for America

May our feeling penetrate  
Into the center of our heart,  
And seek, in love, to unite itself  
With the human beings seeking the same goal,  
With the spirit beings who, bearing grace,  
Strengthening us from realms of light  
And illuminating our love,  
Are gazing down upon  
Our earnest, heart-felt striving.  
*Translation by Frederick Heckel*

\*Check-ins

\*Study – Leading thoughts 11-13 Self-consciousness, the “ I ” published 3/16/25

- Society news from council meeting in Ann Arbor
- Video Newsletter planning - scheduled for Sept. 14th, 7:30pm est.
  - Berkshire-Taconic Branch - Patrice
  - ASA in Greater Boston Branch - Cynde
  - Auburn Alabama Study Group - Helene
  - Questions we asked
    - During that time, we are interested in hearing specifically about how you work and if you involve the School of Spiritual Science and the wider anthroposophical movement in your work.
    - How do you foster a relationship with the national office?
    - What role does your Branch fulfill in your community?
    - How is Anthroposophy fostered in your Branch?
    - What are your future plans?
  - Format for registration
  - Recording posting/sending out
  - Break out rooms?

\*Closing verse - Verse for America

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Future Events

- AGM and conference - Oct. 7-10
- Mid-atlantic Area meeting NYC - Nov. 20th

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**Mission of the Eastern Region Holding Group**

The Eastern Region Holding Group consists of individuals from the three areas (Northeast, Mid-Atlantic and Southeast areas) who see it as their mission:

1. To support, further and share the meaningful work of Rudolf Steiner and the whole of Anthroposophy in the eastern region through exchange of ideas, research and art generated within local groups and members.
2. To provide opportunities for human beings longing for the spirit to meet each other soul to soul, through conversation platforms.
3. To promote larger exchange of information and collaboration between branches and groups and radiate out the healing effects of Anthroposophical spiritual endeavors in the Eastern Region.
4. To create a bridge between the national organization and the groups, branches and members of the Eastern Region.