

The Temple of the People | Schedule for the 124th Convention | August 5–13, 2023

5 SATURDAY	6 SUNDAY	7 MONDAY	8 TUESDAY	9 WEDNESDAY	10 THURSDAY	11 FRIDAY	12 SATURDAY	13 SUNDAY
<p>10:00-11:30am TEMPLE Temple Cleanup Coffee & Tea will be served Welcome to Convention!</p>	<p>8:00-9:00am TEMPLE Meditation</p> <p>10:30am TEMPLE & ZOOM Formal Opening Master's Message The Feast Convention Photo</p>	<p>10:30am UC Lecture Workshop "The Square Diagram and Other Matrixes for Healing" Dr. Paul Ivey</p>	<p>8:00am CENTRAL HOME Coffee</p> <p>9:30am HALCYON FARMS Harvest for Luncheon Please RSVP to Temple Office if you plan to help</p>	<p>7:30-8:30am TEMPLE Meditation</p> <p>10:00am HALCYON FARMS A One-Hour Tour of the Farm with Ariela Meet at Halcyon Farms parking lot</p>	<p>8:00am CENTRAL HOME Coffee</p>	<p>8:00-10:00am LODGE Breakfast by Marla & Friends</p>	<p>7:30-8:30am TEMPLE Meditation</p> <p>10:30am TEMPLE & ZOOM Social Science Talks THEME: "There Is No Going Back"</p>	<p>8:00-9:00am TEMPLE Meditation</p> <p>10:30am TEMPLE & ZOOM Reconsecration of the Temple A Service in honor of the 100th Anniversary of the Blue Star Memorial Temple</p>

12:00 Noon Healing Meditation Service held each day in the Temple

<p>2:00pm UC Lecture "The Temple Centennial: Reflections on Architecture and Healing" Dr. Paul Ivey</p> <p>6:00-8:00pm LODGE Finger Food & Follies! 6:00 Dinner All Provided 7:00 Informal Opening & Musical Revue</p>	<p>2:00pm UC Lecture Tour of the Hiawatha Paintings "Legend of the Peacemaker" by Harold Forgostein Marti Fast</p> <p>5:00pm LODGE Dinner Everything is Provided!</p>	<p>7:00pm TEMPLE & ZOOM Reports of the GinC and Temple Officers</p>	<p>5:30pm ZOOM Tuesday Study Class "There Is No Going Back" FTMT3 p.66</p>	<p>12:30pm LODGE Halcyon Farms Soup & Salad Luncheon Prepared by Chef Marla & Co. Thanks to Ariela & Jeff of Halcyon Farms for the bounty of ingredients!</p>	<p>2:00-3:30pm VERONA REBOW'S GARDEN A Garden Tea Everything Provided</p>	<p>5:30pm ZOOM Friday Study Class "The Pledge of the Order of the 36"</p>	<p>2:00pm LODGE "Voices From Halcyon" Reader's Theatre</p> <p>3:00pm RON'S NURSERY Vittles and Visiting Snacks Provided</p> <p>6:30pm CENTRAL HOME Campfire Fireside Food Potluck & Music</p>	<p>1:00pm LODGE Luncheon & Ice Cream Social Everything Provided Thanks to Karen, Marla, Will & Dave</p> <p>7:00pm TEMPLE & ZOOM Temple Benediction Service Master's Message</p>
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The Theme for the
2023 Convention:

“There Is No Going Back”

There is no going back. You must go forward. It remains with you, however, whether or not you will win the Holy Grail, which is immortal life, or go back for ages.

There is, as I say, no standing still, no peace; it is battle, battle, battle, with first one enemy and then another. The powers with which you are fighting are greater than you can conceive. Be on the alert. Have your armor on. Be ready for the foe at any time of either day or night, or you will be taken unawares and swept off your feet.

And, my children, after all is said, it is the simplest thing that is asked of you — simple Faith, and Trust, and Love, and Work. You are asked to perform no great deed, nothing but your simple daily duty, one hour, one minute at a time. Nothing more nor less.

— Hilarion

The Social Science meeting on Saturday, August 12 is a time to share your reflections on the Convention theme and the place of the Temple in your life. Remarks of up to 300 words are welcome. If you cannot be with us in person, **offerings received by August 5** may be translated and read that day in the Temple. Please email to: templeoffice@templeofthepeople.org

THE TEMPLE OF THE PEOPLE was founded in November of 1898 in Syracuse, New York, and moved to Halcyon, California, in 1903. The Halcyon community, clustered around the Blue Star Memorial Temple, is actively dedicated to living the Teachings of the Temple.

The Temple Teachings are firmly rooted in Theosophy and Native American wisdom, and are filled with practical directions which help in all aspects of our lives. These teachings help cultivate the ability to realize that we are a balance of both the human and the divine. The freedom attained through this equilibrium grows as the desire, the wonder, and the love of learning spiritual truths energize our efforts to make divine spiritual unity part of our everyday affairs.

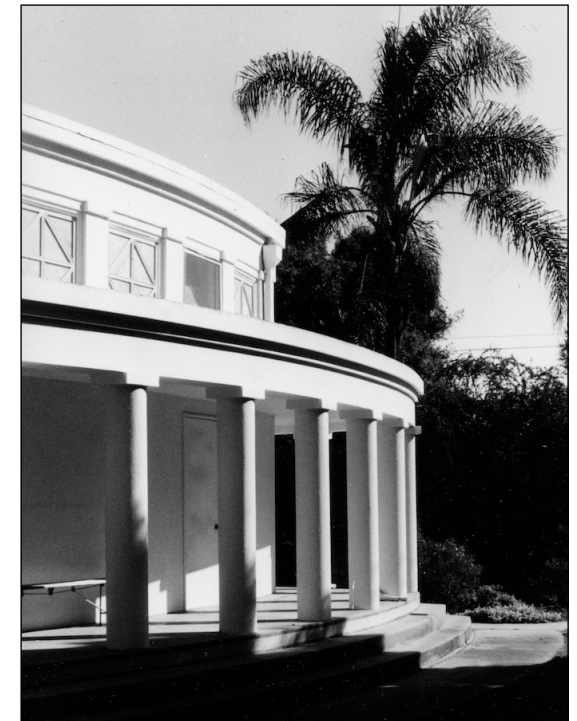
The foundation stones of the Temple are Religion, Science, and Economics: There can be no true religion without its scientific basis, and there can be no right system of economics not based on a science that is religious and a religion that is scientific. These three aspects are of equal importance.

The Temple of the People has always recognized the value, importance, and self-responsibility of each individual. Its reason for being rests on the inviolability of the Golden Rule.

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