At the Crossroads of Environmental & Social Justice: Showing up for Earth and Each Other

A five-day workshop featuring the Work That Reconnects
April 22-27, 2016
at Friendly Crossways in Harvard, MA
with Aravinda Ananda, Markie Babbott, Kirstin Edelglass and Joseph Rotella

Immerse yourself in this extended retreat for exploring the *Work That Reconnects*, the powerful group method developed by Joanna Macy and colleagues to deepen our capacity for participating in the healing of our world. As climate catastrophe looms, the sixth mass extinction accelerates, and the wounds of inequality and inhumanity between humans are laid bare, we are alive at an extraordinary moment in time. Every generation that is to come after us depends on what we do collectively in the next few years and decades.



Join gifted facilitators Aravinda Ananda, Markie Babbott, Kirstin Edelglass, and Joseph Rotella; the third Earth Leadership Cohort (a *Work That Reconnects* immersion for young adults); and many other activists, artists, and educators for this intergenerational experience. In a community of caring, we will explore both the hierarchy of oppression leading to planetary crisis and the role we play as leaders in the transition to a life-sustaining society. Living systems theory and ecopsychology inform this collaborative exploration, helping us tap reserves of courage and inspiration as we "go forth" to work in our various communities.

This retreat kicks off on Earth Day with a secular Earth Seder in observance of the first day of Passover. People of all faiths and traditions who want to deepen in service to Earth Community are welcome.

The program, delicious meals prepared with love, and lodging are all included in the price of the workshop. Please see the registration form for costs by accommodations choice. Partial scholarships are available.

"This team facilitates the Work The Reconnects with integrity, creativity and passion while honoring its rich heritage. I would highly recommend attending their workshop, and believe that it will enrich your service to the Great Turning."

-- Joanna Macy

To register for the workshop, please submit a completed <u>registration form</u> with a \$100 nonrefundable deposit by April 1st. There is a \$50 early bird discount if you register by February 15th. Email <u>registrarwtr@yahoo.com</u> with any questions.