ASSISI 2025

22-28 August

"Oasi del Sacro Cuore" (Sacred Heart Oasis) Retreat Centre Viale Vittorio Emanuele II, 5, Assisi, Italy

Workshop with Robert Powell

The Healing Miracles of Christ in the Gospel of John

With Cosmic Dances of the Planets in the Signs of the Zodiac at the time of the Healing Miracles.

Musical accompaniment by concert pianist Fabio Berellini English/German – with translation into Italian by Uberta Sebregondi

There is a statement made by Rudolf Steiner to the Russian eurythmist Tatiana Kiselev quoted in the German language book: *Tatiana Kiselev: A Life for Eurythmy*, 2007, p. 114): "If you take on leading the Eurythmy here [in Dornach], then I am certain that... you will give it [Eurythmy] its cosmic-sacral background and you will be able to maintain this."

This statement by Rudolf Steiner gives the Choreocosmos School of **Cosmic** and **Sacred** Dance, founded in the year 2000, an historical background with regard to the development of Eurythmy. In our Eurythmy activity as both Cosmic and Sacred Dance we cultivate the **cosmic-sacral** side of Eurythmy, which Rudolf Steiner regarded as being particularly significant.

Through Rudolf Steiner's statement to Tatiana Kiselev, it is evident that there is a Cosmic-Sacral background to Eurythmy in addition to the Artistic, Pedagogical, and Therapeutic Eurythmy that he developed between 1912 and 1924.

In this seminar, dedicated to Cosmic & Sacral Eurythmy, we shall work with the theme as to how Eurythmy can be practised as a path leading to Christ in his second coming the onset of which was proclaimed by Rudolf Steiner to begin in 1933—not in a physical form, but in an ethereal form—whereby Eurythmy leads us into connection with the etheric realm in which Christ is now to be found during a period of 2,500 years, from 1933 to 4433. In particular, we shall focus on the Seven Healing Miracles of Christ described in the Gospel of St John, working with these Seven Healing Miracles in the cosmic dance of Eurythmy according to the positions of the planets in the signs of the zodiac at the time of each of Christ's healing miracles. The seven healing miracles recorded in the Gospel of John represent the healing of the seven major infirmities of human nature, both in individuals and in groups - something that is particularly needed in our time.

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The seminar/workshop is taking place at the Spiritual Retreat Centre Oasi del Sacro Cuore, although most of the Eurythmy sessions will be at the Santa Chiarella Church, which is a 10-minute walk up the hill from Oasi del Sacro Cuore.

Please note that full pension (breakfast, lunch, and dinner) is also possible at Sacred Heart Oasis, however, accommodation there is limited. Early registration is advisable.

See daily program and workshop details on next page—

Daily Program

The seminar begins with dinner on Friday evening, 22 August, at 7:00 pm, followed by an introduction at *Oasi del Sacro Cuore* (Sacred Heart Oasis), Viale Vittorio Emanuele II, 5, Assisi

07:30-09:00	Breakfast
09:00-09:30	Opening with movement exercises
09:30-10:45	Cosmic Dances of the the Healing Miracles of Christ
11:15-12:30	The Healing Miracles of Christ and His Second Coming
13:00-14:00	Lunch
15:00-16:15	The Healing Miracles of Christ and His Second Coming
16:45-18:00	Cosmic Dances of the the Healing Miracles of Christ
18:00-19:00	Break
19:00-20:15	Dinner
20:15-22:00	Celebration/Meditation with music on some evenings.

During the week there will be a free afternoon and evening to explore Assisi.

The seminar ends on Wednesday evening, 27 August, at 22:00 (10:00 pm) after the closing musical meditation/celebration. Departure after breakfast on Thursday, 28 August.

Robert Powell, PhD is an internationally known lecturer, author, eurythmist and movement therapist. He is founder of the Choreocosmos School of Cosmic and Sacred Dance, and cofounder of the Sophia Foundation of North America. He received his doctorate from the Polish Academy of Sciences for his thesis on the History of the Zodiac, now available as a book from Sophia Academic Press. His published works include the following books: Divine Sophia-Holy Wisdom, The Most Holy Trinosophia, The Sophia Teachings, The Mystery, Biography, and Destiny of Mary Magdalene, Elijah Come Again, Chronicle of the Living Christ, Hermetic Astrology volumes 1 & 2, The Star of the Magi and the Life of Christ, The Christ Mystery, The Sign of the Son of Man in the Heavens, Prophecy-Phenomena-Hope and Cultivating Inner Radiance & the Body of Immortality. Robert is co-author with Kevin Dann of Christ and the Maya Calendar and The Astrological Revolution, with Lacquanna Paul of Cosmic Dances of the Zodiac and Cosmic Dances of the Planets, and with Estelle Isaacson of Gautama Buddha's Successor and The Mystery of Sophia. He was consulting editor of the yearly Star Wisdom Journal with monthly ephemerides-planetary movements (geocentric & heliocentric)- with monthly commentaries for many years, and with many articles of interest by Robert and other authors. He translated the spiritual classic Meditations on the Tarot and co-translated Valentin Tomberg's Lazarus, Come Forth! He teaches a gentle form of healing movement: the sacred dance of eurythmy (Greek: harmonious movement) as well as the cosmic dances of the planets and signs of the zodiac. Through the Sophia Grail Circle he facilitates sacred celebrations dedicated to the Divine Feminine. Robert offers workshops in Europe each summer. With Karen Rivers, cofounder of the Sophia Foundation, he leads pilgrimages to the world's sacred sites (1996 Turkey; 1997 Holy Land; 1998 France; 2000 Britain; 2002 Italy; 2004 Greece; 2006 Egypt; 2008 India; 2009 Turkey; 2010 Grand Canyon; 2012 South Africa; 2014 Peru; 2016 Holy Land; 2018 Bali. No further pilgrimages since the Covid Lockdown.

Websites: www.sophiafoundation.org / www.sophiaschoolofmovement.org / https://steinerbooks.org/search? q=Robert+Powell&options%5Bprefix%5D=last

SEE SEPARATE BROCHURE (<u>https://sophiafoundation.org/upcoming-events-non-sponsored-events/</u>) FOR <u>THE FOUNDATION STONE OF LOVE</u> SEMINAR FROM 15-21 AUGUST, IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THE SEVEN HEALING MIRACLES SEMINAR, ALSO AT OASI DEL SACRO CUORE, MAKING IT EASY TO PARTICIPATE IN BOTH SEMINARS.

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See below registration information and further details concerning cost, accommodation and registration TRAVEL:

<u>Train</u>: 2 hours from Rome, or about 3 hours from Florence to Assisi-S. Maria degli Angeli railway station.

From Sant'Egidio airport (Perugia) to Assisi takes less than ½ hour. Here with some links: • <u>How to reach Assisi by car</u> • <u>How to reach Assisi by Train</u> • <u>How to reach Assisi by Air</u>

Arrival on Friday, 22 August in time for dinner at 19:00 (7:00 pm).

Accommodation and seminar at the "Oasi del Sacro Cuore" Retreat Centre, Viale Vittorio Emanuele II, 5, Assisi. The Retreat Centre is just in front of the bus stop directly connecting to the Assisi train station, and to the upper historic centre of Assisi.

Free private parking. Map: <u>https://goo.gl/maps/nZZiJYtZeoH2</u>

Oasi del Sacro Cuore Retreat Centre is situated in a large and beautiful garden, with olive trees opening onto the road to San Damiano (5-minute walk), and also Saint Clare's Basilica is a 10-minute walk.

No evening closing time. <u>Departure</u> on Thursday, 28 August after breakfast. (Breakfast is from 7:30 am).

<u>COSTS 2025</u>

COST OF COURSE WITHOUT ACCOMMODATION AND WITHOUT MEALS: EURO 350 PAYMENT OF EURO 350 IS DUE UPON ARRIVAL IN ASSISI ON FRIDAY, 15 AUGUST. IF YOU HAVE FURTHER QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT UBERTA SEBREGONDI: Phone from USA: 01139-335-674-9935, from Europe: 0039-335-674-9935, EMAIL: <u>usebregondi@gmail.com</u>

REGISTRATION FORM FOR THE COURSE 22-28 August 2025

Name:

Address:

Phone number and email address:

Amount due on 22 August for the course: EURO 350

Send registration form to Uberta Sebregondi: viale Guglielmo Massaia 18, Sc. N/1, 00154 Roma, Italy. Tel: +39-06-45544847, Mobile: +39-335-6749935 (**39** is the country code for Italy). E-mail: <u>usebregondi@gmail.com</u>

FOR THOSE STAYING AT "OASI DEL SACRO CUORE" Viale Vittorio Emanuele II, 5, 06081 Assisi, Italy: https://ospitalitareligiosa.it/strutture/ad/oasi-sacro-cuore-assisi,6390

> DAILY RATES 2025 — per person/per day — B&B: € 42-Half board: € 55-Full board: € 62-

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