

CMI Western Conference Tentative Schedule - Redeeming The Imagination - 19 - 22 July 2017

Registration	Plenaries	Workshops	Meals	Free Time	Chats	Matin		Teen Activities
	Tuesday, 18 July 2017							
4:00- 8:30 pm	Registration for anyone coming early for Wednesday's Immersions							
5:00-6:00 pm	Supper							
	Wednesday, 19 July 2017							
7:30-8:15 am	Breakfast							
9:00-10:00 am	Registration for Immersions							
12:00 n-1:00 pm	Lunch							
10:00 am to 12:00 noon, Lunch then 1:00 - 4:00 pm	Stewarding One's Neurochemistry: Habit Formation Strategies for Those with Executive Function Deficits  Andy Smith		Mason's Method Immersion for Beginners  Dr. Jennifer Spencer		Secondary Science in a Charlotte Mason Paradigm  Shannon Goods		Keeping the Fresh Impulse of Learning -Multi-age Homeschool  Nancy Kelly	
3:00-5:00 pm	General Conference Registration							
4:00-5:00 pm	This time is dedicated to those new to Charlotte Mason and who are new to a CMI conference.							
5:00-6:00 pm	Supper - with those from your state or region							
6:00-6:30 pm	Free Time			General Conference Registration				
6:30-8:30 pm	Welcome and Announcements by Carroll and Andra Smith Singing with Lovejoy Ontiveros <b>Plenaries 1 - Dr. Jennifer Spencer, Getting Personal - The Theory of Personal Integration</b>							

8:45-9:30 pm Chats	The Hive (a high school co-op) <i>Nancy Kelly</i>	Mason's Alveary <i>Dr. Jennifer Spencer</i>	A Hundred Pennies and A Tray: Understanding 10s, decimals and percentages <i>Andy Smith</i>	Dads Art Middlekauff	What Does It Mean to Be Human: The Ontology of Charlotte Mason for Parents Dr. Carroll Smith	Dick Keyes Keynote Speaker Q & A		Teen Activity Shakespeare
Thursday, 20 July 2017								
7:00-7:45 am	Breakfast							
8:00-9:45 am	<b>Matins (Morning prayers) - Amber Vanderpol</b> <b>Announcements with Andy Smith</b> <b>Folk Song and Hymn with Lovejoy Ontiveros</b> <b>Plenary 2 - Dick Keyes - Redeeming the Imagination in the Christian Life</b>							
10:00-12:00 n	<b>The Charlotte Mason Foundation Series (CM 101) - Plenaries 3A and 3B</b> <b>Part I: Nancy Kelly - The Paradigm Shift</b> <b>Part II: Art Middlekauff - The Twenty Principles</b>							
12:00-1:00 am	Lunch - AO meeting with Naomi Goegan							
1:00-2:00 pm	Various Handworks displayed and demonstrated (CM Fair?)							Teen Activity Demo Handwork and/or show student work
2:30-3:00 pm	Eve Anderson Nature Study Tea							
3:00-3:45 pm	<b>Plenary 4 - Eve Anderson Nature Study Lecture</b> <b>Carroll and Andy Smith - Nature, Mason and Ambleside</b> <b>Picture Study</b>							
4:30-5:00 pm	Free Time							
5:00-6:00 pm	Supper - with Jennifer Spencer on Mason's Alveary							
6:30-7:15 pm	Plenary 5 - Dick Keyes - Who Needs Heroes?							

7:30-9:00 pm	Structured outdoor (or indoor) nature journaling time - Dry Brush Demonstrations with a short lesson and opportunity to practice. Weather permitting there will be a telescope for a nighttime sky viewing with explanation by a CM student.							
9:00-10:30 pm	Teen Social Time at the Apartments, hosted by the Vanderpols							
	Friday, 21 July 2017							
7:00-8:00 am	Breakfast							
8:00-8:15 am	Matins - Kaci Bergey							
8:30-9:45 am	<b>Announcements with Andy Smith</b> <b>Folk Song and Hymn with Lovejoy Ontiveros</b> <b>Plenary 6 - Dick Keyes - Heroism and the Younger Generation</b>							
10:00-12:00 n	Workshop Session 1							
	Sabbath of Learning: Why Do Children Need Time to Process Their Learning? Carroll Smith	A Third Position: <i>Ourselves</i> and Moral Development Nancy Kelly	Mason's Approach to Modern Languages Jennifer Spencer	Poetry and Spiritual Formation Art Middlekauff	Geography: Mapping Small Places with Children Under 9 Andy Smith	Sloyd Amber Vanderpol	Fostering Thoughts Towards God Kelli Christenberry	Teen Activity Discussion with keynote speaker Dick Keyes
12:00 n-1:00 pm	Lunch							
1:00-2:00 pm	Mason Methods Tour							
	Picture Study Lesson Jenny Elias	Grammar Lesson Raquel Arutian	Dictation Lesson Nancy Kelly					Teen Activity Tea Time for Teens
2:15 -4:15 pm	Workshop Session 2							

	The Basics of Narration Carroll Smith	The Way of the Teacher: Humility Nancy Kelly	The Theology of the Great Recognition Art Middlekauff	Scaffolding Nature Study Jennifer Spencer	How Executive Functions Deficits Affect Habit Formation Andy Smith	Latin- A solution to the Foreign Language Dilemma? Shannon Goods	Study Group Immersion Kelli Christenberry	
4:15 -5:00 pm	<b>Free Time</b>							
5:00-6:00 pm	Supper							
6:00-9:00 pm	Friday Night Activities — Offering two options: Redlands State Street and architectural walk with Redlands Historical Society. See link below.							
	Saturday, 22 July 2017							
7:00-8:00 am	Breakfast							
8:00-8:15 am	Matins - Raquel Arutian Announcements with Andy Smith Folk Song and Hymn with Lovejoy Ontiveros							
8:15-10:00 am	Workshop Session 3							
	Ear, Mouth, Eye, Hand: Mason's Model of Language Development Jennifer Spencer	Shakespear: The How and Why Nancy Kelly	Geography: Map Use with Upper Elementary Andy Smith	Music in a Mason Curriculum Amber Vanderpol	Teaching with Plutarch Nancy Elliott	The Basis of Our Days Kelli Chrisitenberry	Journeying Together: Charlotte Mason Groups Jenny Elias	
10:15 am-11:30 am	<b>Plenary 7 - Art Middlekauff - Charlotte Mason and the Educational Tradition</b>							
11:30 am-12:00n	Closing remarks with announcements and singing.							