Abhayagiri Buddhist Monastery

Address: 16201 Tomki Road, Redwood Valley, CA 95470  CA
Tradition: Theravada Forest Sangha
Affiliation: Amaravati Buddhist Monastery (UK)
EMail: sangha@abhayagiri.org
Website: http://www.abhayagiri.org

All One Dharma

Address: 1440 Harvard Street, Quaker House  Santa Monica CA 90404
Tradition: Non-Sectarian, Zen/Vipassana
Affiliation: General Buddhism
Phone: e-mail only
EMail: info@allonedharma.org
Website: http://www.allonedharma.org
Spiritual Director: Group effort
Teachers: Group lay people
Notes and Events:

American Buddhist Meditation Temple

Address: 2580 Interlake Road, Bradley, CA 93426  CA
Tradition: Theravada, Thai, Maha Nikaya
Affiliation: Thai Bhikkhus Council of USA

American Buddhist Seminary Temple at Sacramento

Address: 423 Glide Avenue, West Sacramento CA 95691  CA
Tradition: Theravada
EMail: temple@middleway.net
Website: http://www.middleway.net
Teachers: Venerable T. Shantha, Venerable O.Pannasara
Spiritual Director: Venerable (Bhante) Madawala Seelawimala Mahathera

Spiritual Director: Group effort
Teachers: Group lay people
Notes and Events:

American Young Buddhist Association

Address: 3456 Glenmark Drive, Hacienda Heights, CA 91745  CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Humanistic Buddhism
Contact: Vice-secretary General: Ven. Hui-Chuang

Amida Society
Amitabha Buddhist Discussion Group of Monterey

Address: CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Pure Land Buddhism
Affiliation: Bodhi Monastery
Phone: (831) 372-7243
EMail: ewenchang@netzero.net
Spiritual Director: Ven. Master Chin Chieh
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Amitabha Buddhist Society of U.S.A.

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Tradition: Mahayana, Pure Land Buddhism
EMail: info@amtb-usa.org
Spiritual Director: Ven. Master Chin Kung

An Lac Mission-Ventura Buddhist Study Center

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Phone: (805) 659-9751, (805)816-8799
EMail: missionanlac@yahoo.com
Website: http://www.venturabuddhistcenter.net
Spiritual Director: Ven.Thich Thong Hai
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Ananda Dharma Center

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Tradition: Vajrayana, Tibetan Gelugpa
Affiliation: Tibetan Gelugpa
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Website: www.anandadharma.org
Executive Director: Brian Li  EMail (Phone: 408-805-1522)

Arcata Zen Group

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Tradition: Mahayana, Soto (Susuki Roshi)
Affiliation: Berkeley Zen Center  
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Contact: Michael Twombly (President)  
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Spiritual Director: Mayle Kushin Seisho, Founding Abbot

Aro Ter Lineage

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Tradition: Tibetan, Nyingmapa, Aro Ter lineage  
EMail: ogdor@hotmail.com  
Website: http://www.aroter.org/  
Founders: Ngak'chang Rinpoche and Khandro Déchen

Asian Classics Institute, Los Angeles (ACI-LA)

Address:   CA  
Tradition: Tibetan, Gelugpa  
Affiliation: Asian Classics Institute  
EMail: briansmith@aci-la.org  
Website: http://www.aci-la.org  
Teachers: Brian K. Smith, Summer Moore  
Spiritual Director: Geshe Michael Roach  
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EMail: office@atiling.org  
Website: http://www.atiling.org  
Main Contact: Kerstin Hall   EMail (Phone: 707 632 5629)  
Teacher: Jigme Tromge Rinpoche  
Spiritual Director: Chagdud Tulku Rinpoche

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Spiritual Directors: Ken and Elizabeth Sawyer  
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Bao Phap Monastery

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Tradition: Mahayana
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Fax: (626) 572-8741
EMail: thichvienly@yahoo.com
Teachers: Ven. Thich An Hue, Dr. Claude Ware, Ph.D,
Spiritual Director: Ven. Thich Vien Ly

Bay Area Buddhism

Tradition: Non-Sectarian
Website: http://bayareabuddhism.blogspot.com/
Notes and Events:

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Bay Zen Center

Address: 689 62nd Street  Oakland CA 94609
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Phone: (510) 596-3087
Website: http://www.bayzen.org
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Bell Spring Foundation

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Contact: Bob Roberts
Berkeley Buddhist Monastery
Address: 2304 McKinley Avenue, Berkeley, CA 94703  CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Ch‘an (Zen)
Affiliation: The City of Ten Thousand Buddhas
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Contact: Rev. Heng Sure

Berkeley Buddhist Priory
Address: 1358 Marin Avenue, Albany, CA 94706  CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Soto Zen Buddhism
Affiliation: Order of Buddhist Contemplatives
Phone: (510) 528-1876 510
EMail: prior@BerkeleyBuddhistPriory.org
Website: http://www.BerkeleyBuddhistPriory.org
Spiritual Director: Rev. Kinrei Bassis
Teacher: Rev. Kinrei Bassi

Berkeley Buddhist Temple
Address: 2121 Channing Way  Berkeley CA 94704
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhism
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)
EMail: bsangha@pacbell.net
Website: http://www.berkeleysangha.org

Berkeley Shambhala Center
Address: 2288 Fulton Street, Berkeley, CA 94704  CA
Tradition: Tibetan, Kagyü lineage
Phone: (510) 841-6475
EMail: shambhal@pacbell.net
Website: http://www.shambhala.org/center/berkeley
Founder: Chögyam Trungpa Rinpoche

Berkeley Zen Center
Address: 1931 Russell Street, Berkeley, CA 94703  CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Soto Zen (Suzuki Roshi)
Phone: (510) 845-2403
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Website: http://www.berkeleyzencenter.org

Blessings, Prosperity & Longevity Monastery
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Tradition: Mahayana, Ch’an (Zen)
Website: http://www.drba.org
Founder: Ven. Master Hsuan Hua

Bo Kwang Buddhist Temples International

Address: 1768 North Glenview Avenue Anaheim CA 92807
Tradition: Mahayana, Zen (Chogye order)
Affiliation: Korean Buddhist taego Order & Mook Rim Society International
Phone: (714) 970-5332 (323) 778-4028
EMail: jongmae@wbu-austria.com
Website: http://www.mook-rim.org
Contact: Ven. Jongmae Kenneth Park or Ven. Hae Moon Ensley
Teachers: Ven. Hae Moon Ensley Jr and Ven. Hae Won Strohal
Spiritual Director: Ven. Jongmae Kenneth Park Ph.D (Abbot)

BodhiPath Buddhist Center, San Luis Obispo

Address: 1945 Solano Street, Los Osos CA 93402 CA
Tradition: Tibetan, Kagyu
Phone: (805) 528-138
EMail: slo@bodhipath-west.org
Website: http://www.bodhipath-west.org
Teachers: Lama Khedrub, Lama Tsonyi, Bart Mendel
Spiritual Director: Shamar Rinpoche
Contact: Andrew Schaffner

Bohyunsah: Samantabhadra Zen Center

Address: & The Temple of Universal Virtue 1932 Highland Blvd., Hayward, CA 94542-1113 CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Dharma-Vinaya Zen (Korean/American)
Affiliation: Korean Chogye-jong (Tsao-Chi Tradition)
EMail: Jsakya@cs.com
Contact: Ven. Yeo Kwang Sunim
Teacher: Ven. Hyun Mook Sunim

Buddha Dendo

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Tradition: Mahayana, Japanese Tendai
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Website: http://www.buddhadendo.org
Main Contact: VK Leary Keisho EMaill (Phone: (707) 295 7733)
Buddha Gate Monastery

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Tradition: Mahayana, Chinese Ch`an (Zen)
Affiliation: Chung Tai Chan Monastery (Master Wei Chueh, Taiwan)
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Buddhist Center Los Angeles

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Tradition: Tibetan, Karma Kagyu
Affiliation: Diamond Way Buddhism
EMail: LosAngeles@diamondway-center.org
Website: http://www.diamondway.org/la/
Spiritual Director: Lama Ole Nydahl
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Buddhist Center San Diego

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Affiliation: Diamond Way Buddhism
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Website: http://www.diamondway.org/sandiego/
Spiritual Director: Lama Ole Nydahl
Contact: Witek Myslinski

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Affiliation: Diamond Way Buddhism
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Website: http://www.diamondway.org/sf/
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Tradition: Mahayana
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America
Phone: 916-383-1831
Fax: (916) 383-2097
Website: http://florinbuddhist.org/home/
Teacher: Rev. Ryo Imamura
Buddhist Church of Fowler

Address: P.O. Box 335, Fowler, CA 93625   CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhism
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)
EMail: buddhistchurch.fowler@worldnet.att.net

Buddhist Church of Lodi

Address: 23 N Stockton St.  Lodi CA 95240
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhism
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)
EMail: hpbthree@earthlink.net
Website: http://www.lodibuddhist.org/
Spiritual Director: Harry Bridge   EMail (Phone: 209.368.5589)

Buddhist Church of Marysville

Address: 125 \"B\" Street, Marysville, CA 95901-1462  CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhism
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)

Buddhist Church of Oakland

Address: 825 Jackson Street, Oakland, CA 94607   CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu (Pureland)
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)
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Buddhist Church of Parlier

Address: 360 Newmark Avenue, Parlier, CA 936481   CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhism
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)
Phone: (209) 646 2864

Buddhist Church of Sacramento

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Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)
EMail: sactobc@sbcglobal.net
Website: http://www.buddhistchurch.com/

Buddhist Church of San Francisco

Address: 1881 Pine Street, San Francisco, CA 94109 Reverend Hiroshi Jokai Abiko,
Resident Minister CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu (Pureland)
Affiliation: BCA (Buddhist Church of America)
EMail: bcsf@sbcglobal.net
Website: http://www.bcsfweb.org
Contact: Chizuko Kakiuchi or Jeff Matsuoka (web)

Buddhist Church of Santa Barbara
Address: 1015 E Montecito Street, Santa Barbara CA 93103 CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhism
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)
Phone: (805) 962 3633

Buddhist Church of Stockton
Address: 2820 Shimizu Drive, Stockton, CA 95203 CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)

Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)
Address: (Headquarters of the BCA organization) 1710 Octavia Street, San Francisco, CA 94109 CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu (Shin Buddhism)
Website: http://www.buddhistchurchesofamerica.com/
Spiritual Director: Bishop Hakubun Watanabe

Buddhist Group Davis (Sacramento)
Address: c/o Alzada Magdalena & Nicole Kissam 717, 7th Street, Davis, California 95616 CA
Tradition: Tibetan, Karma Kagyu, Diamond Way
Phone: (916) 4442588
EMail: Davis-Sacramento@diamondway-center.org
Website: http://www.diamondway.org
Spiritual Director: the 17th Karmapa Thaye Dorje

Buddhist Group Nevada City
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Tradition: Tibetan, Karma Kagyu
Affiliation: Diamond Way Buddhism
EMail: NevadaCity@diamondway-center.org
Website: http://www.diamondway.org
Spiritual Director: Lama Ole Nydahl
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Buddhist Group Santa Rosa

Tradition: Tibetan, Karma Kagyu, Diamond Way
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Spiritual Director: 17th Karmapa Thaye Dorje

Buddhist Group Sebastopol

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Tradition: Tibetan, Karma Kagyu, Diamond Way
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Website: http://www.diamondway.org
Spiritual Director: the 17th Karmapa Thaye Dorje
Contact: Josh Greene

Buddhist Group West Los Angeles

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Tradition: Tibetan, Karma Kagyu
Affiliation: Diamond Way Buddhism
Phone: (310) 475 4556
EMail: webmaster@diamondway-center.org
Website: http://www.diamondway.org/la/
Spiritual Director: Lama Ole Nydahl
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Buddhist Meditation Center

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Spiritual Director: Rev.Aparekke Punyasiri   EMail (Phone: 818 768 9382)

Buddhist Peace Fellowship

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Affiliation: International Nonprofit Peace Organization
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Buddhist Temple of Alameda
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Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)

Buddhist Temple of America

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Fax: (909) 988-4191

Buddhist Temple of Marin

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Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhism  
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)  
Phone: (415) 388 1173

Buddhist Temple of Salinas

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Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhism  
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Buddhist Temple of San Diego

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Website: http://www.btsd.net  
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California Vipassana Center - Dhamma Mahavana

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Tradition: Theravada, Vipassana Meditation as taught by S.N. Goenka  
EMail: info@mahavana.dhamma.org

Central Coast Buddhist Fellowship

Tradition: Mahayana  
Affiliation: North American Shin Association (NASBA)  
Website: http://buddhistfaith.tripod.com/california/  
Main Contact: Shanti Johnson
Chagdud Gompa

Address: San Francisco Practice Group, San Francisco, CA   CA
Tradition: Tibetan, Nyingmapa
Phone: (415) 282-6030
Website: http://www.chagdud.org/
Founder: H. E. Chagdud Tulku

Chagdud Gompa

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Website: http://www.chagdud.org/
Founder: H. E. Chagdud Tulku

Chagdud Gompa - P'huntsog Ling

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Chagdud Gompa - Rigdzin Ling

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Website: http://www.chagdud.org/
Teacher: Lama Chödak Gyatso
Founder: H. E. Chagdud Tulku

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Chua Thien An - Desert Zen Center

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EMail: roshidzc@hotmail.com
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Teacher: Thich An Giao Roshi

Chung Tai Zen Center of Sunnyvale

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Spiritual Director: Ven. Jian Hu, Abbot  EMail (Phone: 408-733-0750)

Clear Light Sangha

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Compassion Kadampa Buddhist Center

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Affiliation: New Kadampa Tradition
Phone: 707-293-8096
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Website: www.meditationinhealdsburg.org
Compassion Meditation Center
Address: 17327 Meekland Avenue, Hayward, CA 94541  CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Vietnamese Zen
Phone: (510) 481-7002
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Website: http://www.compassiontemple.org

Dai Dang Monestary
Address: 6323 Camino Del Rey, Bonsall, CA 92004  CA
Tradition: Mayahana
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Teachers: Thich Hue Giac and Thich Tue Tinh
Spiritual Director: Ven. Thich Thanh Tu
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Dalai Lama Foundation
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EMail: info@dlfound.org
Website: http://www.dalailamafoundation.org
Contact: Marsha Clark

DaNeng Buddhist Center
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EMail: info@zengong.org
Website: http://www.zengong.org/
Spiritual Director: Grand Master Shan Fo and Shan Yin

Davis Shambhala Meditation Center
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Website: http://www.shambhala.org/center/davis
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Tradition: Vajrayana, Tibetan, Nyingma  
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Contact: Lama Yeshe Nyima  
Spiritual Director: H. H. Penor Rinpoche

DeepStreams Institute

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Affiliation: Diamond Sangha lineage  
Phone: (415) 487-8742  
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Website: http://www.deepstreams.org  
Teacher: Joseph Bobrow, Roshi

Deer Park Monastery - Clarity Hamlet (for nuns)

Address: 2499 Melru Lane, Escondido CA 92026 USA. and the Order of Interbeing  
Tradition: Mahayana, Zen Buddhist Master Thich Nhat Hahn  
Affiliation: Community of Mindful Living  
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Delano Buddhist Church

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Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)  
Phone: (805) 725 8135

Detroit St Zen Center

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Phone: (323) 954-8945  
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Contact: Yuko Conniff
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Dewanchen Study Group

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Dhamma Mahavana

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Tradition: Theravada, Vipassana, S.N. Goenka
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Website: http://www.mahavana.dhamma.org

Dhammadharini Vihara - a women's monastic retreat residence in Fremont, CA

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Affiliation: North American Bhikkhuni Association
Phone: (510) 791.2331
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Spiritual Director: Senior advisors of the North American Bhikkhuni Association
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Dharma Drum Mountain - Los Angeles

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Dharma Drum Mountain Davis
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Dharma Eye Zen Center

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Tradition: Mahayana, Soto Zen
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Website: www.maithrivihara.org
Teachers: Ven. Aparekke Punyasiri, Ven. T. Chandarathana
Teacher: Ven. Aparekke Punyasiri
Spiritual Director: Ven. Aparekke Punyasiri EMail (Phone: 818 768 9382)

Manzanita Village / Ordinary Dharma

Address: P.O. Box 67, Warner Springs, San Diego, CA 92086 CA
Tradition: Non-Sectarian, Mixed - Vipassana, Zen, Social Justice, Engaged Buddhism
Affiliation: Thich Nhat Hanh
EMail: cr@fivechanges.org
Website: http://www.manzanitavillage.org
Teachers: Michele Benzamin-Miki, Caitriona Reed
Spiritual Director: Caitriona Reed

Metta Forest Monastery (Wat Mettavanaram)
Address: P.O. Box 1409, Valley Center, CA 92082   CA
Tradition: Theravada, Thai forest tradition, Dhammayut, Ajaan Lee
Phone: (612) 988-3474
Website: http://www.mettaforest.org
Teacher: Ajahn Thanissaro Bhikkhu (Geoffrey DeGraff)

Mettananda Vihara
Address: 4619 Central Avenue, Fremont, CA 94536 Vipassana Meditation - Mahasi Method   CA
Tradition: Theravada, Burmese
Phone: (510) 795-0405
Teachers: Ashin Kawthida and Ashin Nyarnika
Spiritual Director: Ashin Dhammadji

Middle Land Chan Monastery
Address: 1173 San Bernardino Ave.   CA 91767
Tradition: Mahayana, Linji
Phone: 909-625-0187
EMail: middleland@ctzen.org
Website: www.ctzen.org/middleland
Teacher: Jian Tai Shi
Spiritual Director: Ven. Master Wei Chueh
Notes and Events:

Middlebar Monastery
Address: 2503 Del Rio Drive, Stockton, CA 95204   CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Sotozenshu (for American culture and customs)
Affiliation: loose affiliation with Soto Zen in Japan
Phone: (209) 462-9384
EMail: bjames@oco.net
Teachers: MacDonough Roshi and Brother James
Spiritual Director: Daino Doki MacDonough, Roshi

Ming Ya Buddhist Foundation of Los Angeles
Address: 4371 E. Valley Blvd.   Los Angeles CA 90032
Tradition: Mahayana
Phone: (323) 221-0362

Modesto Valley Heartland Zen

Address: Unity Church, Modesto, CA 95356   CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Soto Zen
Affiliation: Berkeley Zen Center, San Francisco Zen Center
Phone: (209) 535-6750
EMail: modesto@emptynestzendo.org
Website: http://www.emptynestzendo.org
Teacher: Grace Schireson
Contact: Stan
Notes and Events:

The Valley Heartland Zen Group is based in Modesto, about 100 miles southeast of San Francisco, in the Central Valley of California. The group serves residents from the wider Modesto community, including Merced, Stockton, Turlock, and Los Banos. The group meets weekly on Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at The Church of the Brethren, 2301 Woodland Ave in Modesto. The evening session includes two 30 minute periods of zazen (sitting meditation), a brief period of walking meditation, a Zen talk, and tea. In addition, the Valley Heartland Zen Group regularly holds half-day and one-day meditation retreats.

Monterey Peninsula Buddhist Church

Address: 1155 Noche Buena Avenue, Seaside, CA 93955   CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhism
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)
EMail: mpbt@hotmail.com
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Mook Rim Buddhist Society International

Address: 1768 North Glenview Avenue, Anaheim Hills, CA 92807   CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Founded by Korean Zen (Chogye) but practice all traditions.
EMail: jongmae@usc.edu
Website: http://www.mook-rim.org
Teachers: Ven. Jongame Park and other senior members
Spiritual Director: Ven. Master Hyun San

Mountain Source Sangha

Address: 2818 Russell Street, Berkeley CA 94705   CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Soto Zen; Suzuki Roshi lineage
Affiliation: San Francisco Zen Center
Phone: (510) 649-0663
EMail: taigendan@earthlink.net
Website: http://www.mtsource.org  
Teacher: Taigen Dan Leighton  
Contact: Taigen Leighton

Mountain Spirit Center

Address: 8400 Juniper Way, Tehachapi, CA, 93561  CA  
Tradition: Mahayana, Korean Zen, Chogye Order of Korean Buddhism  
Affiliation: Kwan Um School of Zen  
Phone: (661) 822-7776  
EMail: mountainspirit@starband.net  
Website: http://www.mountainspiritcenter.net  
Teachers: Mu Ryang Sunim, Ji Hyang Sunim  
Spiritual Director: Zen Master Seung Sahn

Mountain Stream Meditation Center

Address: P.O. Box 4362 Auburn, CA 95604  CA  
Tradition: Theravada, Vipassana, Insight Meditation  
Affiliation: Spirit Rock Meditation Center  
EMail: info@mtstream.org  
Website: http://www.mtstream.org  
Spiritual Director: John M. Travis  
Contact: Mary or Stuart

Mountain View Buddhist Temple

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Tradition: Mahayana, Japanese Shinshu Buddhism  
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)  
EMail: mvbt@aol.com  
Website: http://www.bcacoast.org/mtview/announce.html

Mt. Baldy Zen Center

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Nagaradhamma Temple

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Tradition: Theravada, Thai  
Affiliation: Thai Bhikkhus Council of USA

Nalandabodhi - Bay Area study Group
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Tradition: Vajrayana, Tibetan, Nyingmapa/Kagyu  
Affiliation: Nalandabodhi Inter  
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Website: http://www.nbsfbayarea.org/  
Main Contact: Jaime Soltys  EMail  (Phone: (609) 221-9170)  
Spiritual Director: Dzogchen Ponlop Rinpoche

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Nicniren Buddhist Temple of San Jose (Myokakuji Betsuin)

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Affiliation: Nichiren Shu Shuumuin, Tokyo 146-8544, Japan  
EMail: SRYuei@aol.com  
Website: http://www.sjnichiren@nichiren-shu.org  
Teachers: Rev. Ryuei McCormick, Rev. Arnold Matsuda  
Spiritual Director: Ven. Ryusho Matsuda  
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Affiliation: , Soto Zen  
Phone: 415 861 6352  
EMail: nrothman@pacbell.net  
Teacher: Philip Whalen  
Spiritual Director: Issan Dorsey  (Phone: deceased)

Northern California Koyasan Temple

Address: 1400 U Street, Sacramento, CA 95818  CA  
Tradition: Mahayana  
Affiliation: Shingon Buddhist International Institute  
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EMail: sasahi@shingon.org  
Website: http://www.koyasan.org/nckoyasan/  
Contact: Rev. Seicho Asahi
Northridge Center

Address: 9325 Lasaine Avenue, Northridge, CA 91325  CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Japanese Soto Zen
Affiliation: San Francisco Zen Center
Phone: (818) 349-7708
EMail: info@northridgezentencenter.org
Website: http://northridgezentencenter.org/
Spiritual Director: Peter Schneider

Nyingma Centers

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Phone: 510-981-1987
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Website: http://www.ningma.org
Director Dharma Publishing: Arnaud Matiland  (Phone: 707-847-3717)
Director Tibetan Aid Project: Rosalyn White  (Phone: 510-848-4238)
Main Contact: Leigh Deering  (Phone: 510-981-1987)
Teacher: Nyingma Institute
Spiritual Director: Tarthang Tulku

Nyingma Institute

Address: 1815 Highland Place, Berkeley, CA 94709  CA
Tradition: Tibetan, Nyingma
Phone: (510) 843-6812
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Oakland Zendo - Pacific Zen Institute

Address: 4033 Broadway, Oakland, CA  CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Zen, Harada/Yasutani, Rinzai/Soto
Affiliation: Pacific Zen Institute
Phone: (51) 531-5779
Website: http://www.pacificzen.org
Teacher: David Weinstein
Spiritual Director: John Tarrant, Roshi
Contact: David Weinstein

Ocean Eyes Zen Center
Address: Hae An Soen Won 3941 Long Beach Blvd, Long Beach, CA. 90807-2817 CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Korean Chogye lineage of Zen Master Seung Sahn
Phone: (562) 439-9888 or 988-2289
Website: http://www.oezc.com
Teacher: Zen Master Ji Bong (Dr.Robert Moore)

Orange County Buddhist Church

Address: 909 South Dale Street, Anaheim, CA 92804 CA
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Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)
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Ordinary Dharma

Address: Los Angeles, CA 902191 CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Zen, Social Justice, Engaged Buddhism
Affiliation: Thich Nhat Hanh
Phone: (310) 470-8443
EMail: cr@fivechanges.org
Website: http://www.ordinarydharma.org
Teachers: Michele Benzamin-Miki, Caitriona Reed
Spiritual Director: Caitriona Reed

Oxnard Buddhist Church

Address: Tel: (805) 483 5948, Fax: (805) 483 2353 CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhism
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)

Pacific Zen Institute

Address: PO Box 2972 Santa Rosa CA 95404
Tradition: Mahayana
Spiritual Director: John Tarrant

Padma Shedrup Ling

Address: Box 117, Fairfax, CA 94978 36054 Niles Blvd, Fremont, CA 94536 CA
Tradition: Vajrayana, Tibetan,Karma Kagyu and Nyingma
Affiliation: Chumur Monastery,India
Phone: (415) 485-1356
Website: http://padmashedrupling.org/index.html
Spiritual Director: Venerable Chhoje Rinpoche,
Teacher: Phramaha Somchai
Padmasambhava Peace Institute

Address: 23125 Fort Ross Road, Cazadero CA 95421 eg Tsikey Chokling Rinpoche, Namkha Drimed Rinpoche CA
Tradition: Tibetan, Nyingma
Phone: (707) 632 5629
EMail: info@padmapeace.org
Website: http://www.padmapeace.org
Teachers: Jigme Rinpoche and visiting lamas,
Spiritual Director: Jigme Tromge Rinpoche

Palo Alto Buddhist Temple

Address: 2751 Louis Road, Palo Alto, CA 94303 CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhist
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)
EMail: paloaltobt@aol.com
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Palyul Changchub Dargyeling

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Phone: (415) 388-4923
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Website: http://www.palyul.org
Teacher: Ven. Penor Rinpoche

Pasadena Buddhist Church

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Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhism
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)
Phone: (818) 798 4781

Pine Mountain Buddhist Temple

Address: 941 Lockwood Valley Road Maricopa CA 93252
Tradition: Mahayana, Soto Zen
Affiliation: Order of Buddhist Contemplatives
Phone: 254-241-6102
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EMail: pinemtnbuddhisttempl@starband.net
Website: www.pinemtnbuddhisttemple.org
Spiritual Director: Rev. Master Houn Phoebe
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Teacher: Rev. Master Seikai Luebke
Teacher: Rev. Leon Kackman
Notes and Events:

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Prajna Buddhist Mission

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Progressive Buddhist Association

Address: 1790-1830 Ranch Road  Azusa CA CA 91702
Tradition: Theravada, Burmese
Phone: (626) 969 5959
Fax: (626) 969 2118
Website: http://www.azusapba.org
Main Contact: Tin M Ko, Charles Maung U, Harry Chin
Spiritual Director: Ven. Mt. Tant Kyi Sayadaw, Bhaddanta Somabuddhi

Pure Land Villiage

Address: 1930A 4th Street  Sacrameno CA 95814
Tradition: Mahayana
Phone: 916.716.2411
EMail: emailenoch@yahoo.com
Website: http://www.HappyForMe.com
Main Contact: Enoch Lee
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Purple Lotus Buddhist School

Address: 33615 9th Street, Union City, CA 94587  CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Mixed
Purple Lotus Temple

Address: 636 San Mateo Avenue, #1, San Bruno, CA 94587   CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Mixed
EMail: webmaster@purplelotus.com
Website: http://www.purplelotus.org/

Ratna Shri Center at Berkeley

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Tradition: Tibetan, Kagyu, Drikung
Phone: (510) 843-2967
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Contact: Ven. Lama Osal Dorje

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EMail: gyaltsen@earthlink.net
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Rattanamoungkhoun Temple

Address: Leon Road, just south of Scott Road, Winchester,California   CA
Tradition: Theravada
Phone: (951) 926-0109
Teacher: Venerable Saveuy Khamphoukeo
Notes and Events:
Info http://www.buddhistchannel.tv/index.php?id=65,6019,0,0,1,0

Reedley Buddhist Church

Address: 2035 - 15th Street, Reedley, CA 93654   CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhism
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)
Phone: (209) 638 2146
Website: ReedleyBC.org

Rigpa - Los Angeles
Address: Los Angeles, CA   CA
Tradition: Tibetan, Nyingmapa (Rigpa)
Phone: (310) 967-4444
EMail: info@rigpa.org
Website: http://www.rigpaus.org/
Founder: Sogyal Rinpoche

Rigpa - Santa Barbara

Address: 865 La Milpita, Santa Barbara, CA 93103   CA
Tradition: Tibetan, Nyingmapa (Rigpa)
Phone: (805) 687-5323
EMail: angelika@silcom.com
Website: http://www.rigpaus.org/
Founder: Sogyal Rinpoche
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Rigpa Berkeley

Address: San Francisco Bay Area, CA 111 New Montgomery St., #403 San Francisco, CA 94105   CA
Tradition: Tibetan, Nyingmapa (Rigpa)
Phone: (415) 777-0052
Website: http://www.rigpabayarea.org
Founder: Sogyal Rinpoche

Rigpa Santa Cruz

Address: Santa Cruz, CA   CA
Tradition: Tibetan, Nyingmapa (Rigpa)
Phone: (831) 429-2336
EMail: info@rigpa.org
Website: http://www.rigpaus.org/
Founder: Sogyal Rinpoche

Rigpa Santa Rosa

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Tradition: Tibetan, Nyingmapa (Rigpa)
Phone: (707) 874-2915
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Founder: Sogyal Rinpoche

Rinzai-ji Zen Center

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Tradition: Mahayana, Rinzai Zen
Rissho Kosei-kai Buddhist Church of Los Angeles

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Website: http://www.buddhistcenter-rkina.org/losangeles.html
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Rocks & Clouds Zendo

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Tradition: Mahayana, Zen, lineage Diamond Sangha/Pacific Zen
Website: http://www.sonic.net/~daterra

Sae Taw Win II Dhamma Foundation

Address: 8769 Bower Street. Sebastopol CA CA, 95472
Tradition: Theravada, Burmese
Affiliation: Tradition of the late Ven. Shwe Baw Gyun Sayadaw
Phone: (707) 824-4456
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Website: http://www.saetawwin2.org
Teacher: Dr. Thynn Thynn

Sakya Dechen Ling

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Tradition: Tibetan, Sakya Lineage
Phone: (510) 465-2202
EMail: info@sakyadechenling.org
Website: http://www.sakyadechenling.org
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Sam Bao Temple

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Affiliation: Fo Guang Shan  
Phone: (510) 818-0077  
EMail: buddhism@pacbell.com  
Spiritual Director: Ven. Master Hsing Yun

Samatha Buddhist Meditation in Northern California  
Address: 2138 Cedar Street Berkeley, CA 94709  
Tradition: Theravada  
Affiliation: Samatha Trust, UK  
Phone: (510) 595-7228  
EMail: samatha_meditation@earthlink.net  
Website: http://www.samatha.org/  
Contact: David Steinsaltz

San Diego Shambhala Meditation Group  
Address: 4060 Adams Ave  San Diego CA 92116  
Tradition: Vajrayana, Tibetan, Kagyü lineage  
Phone: (619) 692-2148  
EMail: info@shambhalasandiego.org  
Website: http://www.shambhalasandiego.org  
Founder: Chögyam Trungpa Rinpoche  
Main Contact: Eric Heinz  
Spiritual Director: Mipham Rinpoche

San Fernando Valley Hongwanji Buddhist Temple  
Address: 9450 Remick Avenue, Pacoima, CA 91331  
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Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)  
EMail: sfvhbtds@yahoo.com  
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San Francisco Buddhist Center  
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Tradition: Non-Sectarian  
Affiliation: Friends of the Western Buddhist Order  
Phone: (415) 282-2018  
EMail: amigo@sfbuddhistcenter.org  
Website: http://www.sfbuddhistcenter.org  
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San Francisco Myoshinji Temple
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Address: 2631 Appian Way, Pinole, CA 94564
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Tradition: Mahayana, Nichiren Shoshu
Affiliation: Head Temple Taisekiji, Japan
Phone: (510) 222-8372
EMail: contact@nichirenshoshumyoshinji.org
Website: http://nichirenshoshumyoshinji.org/

San Francisco Shambhala Meditation Center

Address: 1630 Taraval Street  San Francisco CA 94117
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Affiliation: Shambhala International
Phone: (415) 731-4426
EMail: sf@shambhala.org
Website: http://www.shambhala.org
Main Contact: Seth Bregman, Director
Teacher: Chogyam Trungpa Rinpoche,
Spiritual Director: Sakyong Mipham Rinpoche
Teacher: Sakyong Mipham Rinpoche,

San Francisco Zen Center

Address: 300 Page Street, San Francisco, CA 94102  CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Soto Zen
Phone: (415) 863-3136
EMail: secretary@sfzc.org
Website: http://www.sfzc.com
Founder: Suzuki Roshi

San Jose Buddhist Church Betsuin

Address: 640 N 5th Street, San Jose, CA 95112  CA
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EMail: sjbc@sjbetsuin.com
Website: http://www.sjbetsuin.com

San Jose Myokakuji Betsuin

Address: 3570 Mona Way, San Jose, CA 95130  CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Nichiren Shu
Contact: Bishop Matsuda

San Jose Zen Center

Address: 20600 Mariani Ave., TCM Door, Cupertino CA 95014  CA
Tradition: Mahayana, "American Zen" incl Rinzai and Soto traditions
San Luis Obispo Buddhist Church

Address: 6996 Ontario Road, San Luis Obispo, CA 93405  CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhism
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)
EMail: slobc@kcbx.net
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San Mateo Buddhist Temple

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Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhism
Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)

Sang-ngak-cho-dzong

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Tradition: Tibetan, Nyingma
Phone: (510) 865-1394

Santa Cruz Zen Center

Address: 115 School Street, Santa Cruz, CA 95060  CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Soto Zen
Phone: (831) 457-0206
Website: http://www.sczc.org/home.htm
Founder: Kobun Chino-Roshi

Santa Monica Karma Kagyu Study Group

Address: 1245 10th St. #4 (mail only) Santa Monica CA 90401 (Meets at the 'Clubhouse' at Douglas Park)  CA
Tradition: Tibetan, Karma Kagyu Lineage
Affiliation: KTD (Woodstock, NY)
Phone: (310) 451-4368
EMail: santamonicakksg@earthlink.net
Website: http://www.santamonicakksg.org
Contact: Daniel Kane

Santa Monica Zen Center
Address: 1001B Colorado Blvd., Santa Monica, CA 90815  Steve Strasen or Roger Hawkins  CA
Tradition: Mahayana, Three Treasures Tradition of Taizan Maezumi Roshi
Affiliation: White Plum Asangha founded by Taizan Maezumi Roshi
Contacts: Revs. William Yoshin Jordan and Elisabeth Jikan Hartnett,

Saraha Buddhist Center

Address: 3324 17th Street, San Francisco, CA 94110  CA
Tradition: Vajrayana, New Kadampa Tradition Tibetan
Phone: (415) 503-1187
EMail: epc@kadampas.org
Website: http://www.kadampas.org/
Spiritual Director: Ven. Geshe Kelsang Gyatso
Teacher: Tessa Logan

Sati Center for Buddhist Studies

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Tradition: Theravada
Phone: (415) 646 0530 (voicemail)
Website: http://www.sati.org/

Segyu Gaden Dhargye Ling

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Tradition: Tibetan (Segyu lineage of the Gelugpa School)
EMail: hbc-seb@healingbuddha.org

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Tradition: Tibetan (Segyu lineage of the Gelugpa School)
EMail: HBC-scruz@healingbuddha.org

Senshin Buddhist Temple

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Affiliation: Buddhist Churches of America (BCA)
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Shambala Counseling and Consulting

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Shantideva Sangamaya
Address: 560 S. Stanford Avenue, Suite #205, Los Angeles, CA 90013 Akira Hasagawa, Gary Anderson  CA
Tradition: Non-sectarian
Affiliation: United Assembly of Bodhisattvas (UAB)
Phone: (213) 623-3082
EMail: info@shantideva.net
Website: http://www.shantideva.net
Teachers: Anagarika Dharmakara, Anagarika Dhammadaji, Contact: J.M. Dharmakara Boda

Shaolin Zen

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Tradition: Shaolin Chan Mahayana Buddhism
Affiliation: Shaolin Chi Mantis
Phone: (818) 353-0038
EMail: shaolinZEN@shaolinCOM.com
Website: http://www.shaolinZEN.org
Teachers: Shifu Zhen Shen-Lang and Zhen Ming-Mou
Spiritual Director: Shifu Zhen Shen-Lang

Shasta Abbey

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Tradition: Mahayana, Order of Buddhist Contemplatives
EMail: shastaabbey@shastaabbey.org
Website: http://www.shastaabbey.org
Spiritual Director: Rev. Eko Little, Abb
Contact: Guestmaster

Shinnyo-en Los Angeles

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Tradition: Mahayana, Mahaparinirvana Sutra
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Spiritual Director: Keishu Shinso Ito

Siddhartha’s Intent Western Door

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Spiritual Head: Dzongsar Khyentse Rinpoche
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Silicon Valley Shambhala Meditation Group

Address: 465 Castro Street, Mountain View, CA 94041   CA
Tradition: Tibetan, Shambhala Buddhist
Affiliation: Shambhala International
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EMail: request-info@siliconvalleyshambhala.org
Website: http://www.siliconvalleyshambhala.org/
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Sozenji Buddhist Temple

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Teachings
Buddhist esoteric practice involves the use of mantras, mudras, and visualizations to go from an ordinary state of mind to a higher state. A daily meditation practice is essential to greatly speed the natural self-healing process of the body.

Foundation Practices:

Treasure Vase
Calming and Relaxing
Diamond Wisdom
Dhyana Yoga
Prajna Akasagarbha

Advanced Practices:

Medicine Buddha Dharma
Buddhist Healing Techniques
Black Furious Manjusri Dharma
Ucchusma Vajrapala Sutra
Dharma Instruments
Dharani Cover Mala Dharma

Treasure Vase
This Dharma has been used by many practitioners to keep their bodies warm in the cold Himalayan snows, and cool in the blazing heat of the Gobi desert.

The practitioner develops purity and stillness of being, which brings the body under the complete influence of the mind. When the mind is in complete stillness, the body will not change as the environment changes.

Practice the Outer Qi Generating and Releasing dharma for self-healing and to cultivate the ability to heal others. Learn to adapt to extreme weather with the body warming and cooling meditation techniques.

Calming and Relaxing
The first state of Zen (Chan, or Dhyana) meditation. Learn how to 'enter into state' by eliminating the resisting mind through the practice of Guided Calming, Body Relaxation, Mind Relaxation, and Mind Trancendence.

Diamond Wisdom
The second state of Zen meditation. Learn to 'firm the seed' through the state of motion and stillness, being and non-being, called 'Dhyana'. Contains the Interflow of the Four Links, the Simultaeous Rotation of the Five Wheels, the Illumination of the Nine Suns, and the Observation of One Unified Body.

Dhyana Yoga
The fourth state of Zen Meditation. Attain direct knowledge and insight into the ineffable using the Eight Word Heart Dharma. Tranquil Contemplation, or Diamond
Yoga Method: Calm, Null, Sink, and Fall. Transcendental Meditation, the main content of Dhyana cultivation: Chan, Din, Know, and Wisdom/Insight.

Prajna Akasagarbha
The Prajna Akasagarbha is an esoteric Buddhist healing dharma practice which literally means, "wisdom hidden in the womb of space". This ancient dharma practice of Akasagarbha Bodhisattva, which was hidden in China for centuries, is considered a key to enlightenment, valued for its ability to increase physical vitality and energy, and bring forth rapid spiritual progress.

In essence, it is a sequence of movements (mudras) combined with visualizations and a mantra that help to align the individual to the universe and awaken the sleeping seeds of Alaya consciousness in the body.

The 16 basic mudras, when practiced diligently, will help the practitioner experience the gravitational pulls of the heavenly bodies, grasp the rhythm of nature, and attain health, prosperity, and wisdom. It flows like water and moves slowly with great depth. It is fun to do and suitable for all ages and abilities. Wear comfortable clothing.

Medicine Buddha Dharma
The sanskrit name of the Medicine Buddha is Bhaisajyaraja. The Chinese call him Yao Shi Fo, the Tibetans Sangye Menla, and the Japanese Yakushi. He is a great Master who made many vows to alleviate the suffering of all beings. The Medicine Master Lapis Lazuli Light King Buddha Extinguishing Disaster and Prolonging Life Dharma is for healing, protection, and prevention of illness and disease, as well as for extinguishing disaster, extending life, and bringing forth good luck. Includes separate purifying techniques for food, water and air.

Buddhist Healing Techniques
This workshop contains various meditations, applications, and techniques used by Buddhist healers to handle situations ranging from a simple headache to tumors and cancer.

Black Furious Manjusri Bodhisattva Bodyguardian Dharma
Currently not available to non-disciples. This teaching was brought from India to China in 749 AD, and was traditionally taught only to initiated disciples. This dharma is used for spiritual protection from negative forces, and to extinguish accidents, disasters, and bad fortune. Black Manjusri builds a foundation for advanced Feng Shui, space clearing, and dealing with problems associated with unusual phenomenon.

Davis Buddhist Meditation and Study Group
Address: 27074 Patwin Road  Davis CA 95616
Tradition: Theravada, Peer led Buddhist meditation and study group
Affiliation: Mountain Stream Meditation Center
Notes and Events:

Who and what...
We are a lay Buddhist meditation and study group. We have been meeting regularly since 1994. Generally, we follow a Theravadan practice but all are welcome and will find a comfortable environment for following their Buddhist practice. There is a sitting meditation for 30 minutes, 10 minutes of walking meditation a peer led Dharma discussion and tea / conversation time. Meditation instruction available weekly.
Zafus and zabutons are available.

Where...:
Unitarian Universalist Church of Davis
27074 Patwin Road, Davis, California

Directions:
Patwin Road is 1.5 miles west of Hwy 113 off Russell Blvd. After turning south on Patwin road, the Church is 100 yards on the right. Our group meets in the main hall (through main entrance, then turn right).

When....:
Weekly Meditation - and discussion every Thursday evening: 7:30 to 9:00.
***Beginning March 6, 2008, the time will change to: 7pm to 8:30pm.***
Monthly Potluck - Third Thursday of each month at 6 pm (meet in the kitchen (through main entrance and to the left). 
Monthly 'Morning of Mindfulness' (half-day sitting) - Second Saturday of each month from 9:00 AM to 12:30 AM.

Dharma Bum Center

Address: 541 Second Avenue Suite A San Diego CA 92101
Tradition: Non-Sectarian
Phone: 858.922.8811
EMail: peace@thedharmabums.com
Website: www.thedharmabums.org

DharmaCreek Sangha

Address: PO Box 68 Jenner CA 95450
Tradition: Theravada, Ruth Denison lineage / U Ba Khin
Affiliation: Dhamma Dena
Phone: 707-632-5589
EMail: DharmaCreekSangha@gmail.com
Our Vipassana sangha, in the Forest Monastery tradition, practices mindful awareness within the awesome beauty of nature. We practice being in the moment, in bare receptivity to all that arises, as we kayak in silence at sunset/moonrise on the Russian River, hike mindfully along a redwood canyon, or meditate beside a rushing sun-sparkled creek.

We practice in harmony with the elements and our bodily sensations, to cultivate non-conceptual Being (mindfulness), to realize the truth of our own nature. Just as the waters are ever-changing, as the trees and plants dance with the air element of wind, or as the sun appears and disappears through the clouds and coastal fog, we cultivate our awareness of impermanence, which is reflected in our constantly changing thoughts and feelings, and the arising and dissolving away of all forms. We practice surrender to the moment as it is unfolding, without clinging to any particular object, thought, or sensation--allowing all to arise and pass away within the field of our non-judging awareness.

DharmaCreek Sangha currently offers one weekend women’s sunset/moonrise kayak retreat each month, plus a week-long women’s dharma camp in June. The sangha is located on 200+ acres of beautiful land which is available for guided or solo private retreats, and for small-group use by other spiritual groups upon request.

Dzogchen Buddha Institute

Address: 160-C Donahue Street #200 Sausalito CA 94965-1250
Tradition: Vajrayana, Dzogchen Tibetan
Affiliation: Vajrayana-Dzogchen
Main Contact: Hazlitt Krog EMail (Phone: 415-846-3618)
Spiritual Director: Dzogchen Khenpo Choga EMail (Phone: 702-526-0108)
Notes and Events:

Dzogchen Buddha Institute is the Bay Area organization established in 2002 by Dzogchen Khenpo Choga Rinpoche to provide support and educational programs for the study and practice of Buddhism in the Vajrayana tradition of the Dzogchen Lineage. The Institute hosts Khenpo Choga’s Bay Area teaching events, live Webcasts, meditation retreats, as well as weekly Buddha Path meditation practice.

Dzogchen Community West

Address: 2748 Adeline Street Berkeley CA CA
Tradition: Vajrayana, Dzogchen Tibetan
Affiliation: Dzogchen Community world-wide
Phone: 510-644-2260
EMail: aha@dzogchencommunitywest.org
Notes and Events:

Who/What are the Dzogchen Community West Coast and Dondrub Ling?
Dzogchen Community West Coast is part of a worldwide Dzogchen Community founded by Namkhai Norbu Rinpoche to preserve and further the Buddhist teachings and transmissions of Dzogchen. The Dzogchen Community opened Dondrub Ling in early 2002. We have many events, classes, workshops, teachings, receptions and transmissions from wonderful teachers. Dondrub Ling is a community space which many people have worked hard to make happen. As it takes funds each month to operate we need your help to sustain it.

East Bay Meditation Center

Address: 2147 Broadway Oakland CA 94612
 Tradition: Theravada, open to all
 Phone: 510-268-0696
 EMaiI: eastbaymeditation@yahoo.com
 Website: http://eastbaymeditation.org
 Notes and Events:

Founded in a celebration of diversity, the East Bay Meditation Center welcomes everyone seeking to end suffering and cultivate happiness. Our mission is to foster liberation, personal and interpersonal healing, social action, and inclusive community building. We offer mindfulness practices and teachings on wisdom and compassion from Buddhist and other spiritual traditions. Rooted in our commitment to diversity, we operate with transparent democratic governance, generosity-based economics, and environmental sustainability.

Empty Gate Zen Center

Address: 2200 Parker Street, Berkeley, CA 94704 CA
 Tradition: Mahayana, Korean Zen (Zen Master Seung Sahn)
 Affiliation: Kwan Um School of Zen
 Phone: (510) 845-8565
 EMaiI: info@emptygatezen.com
 Website: http://www.emptygatezen.com
 Guiding Teacher: Zen Master Bon Soeng
 Notes and Events:

Empty Gate Zen Center provides training in Zen meditation within a kind and supportive environment.

We offer a weekly practice schedule and regular monthly retreats, as well as Dharma talks, private interviews and kong-an practice with our guiding teacher, Zen Master Bon Soeng (Jeff Kitzes).
All of our programs are open to everyone, regardless of previous experience or background.

Eureka Mindfulness

Address: PO Box 6865 Eureka, CA 95502  Eureka CA 95502
Tradition: Theravada, Vipassana
Phone: 707-269-7044
EMail: cindeegrace@sbcglobal.net
Main Contact: Cindee (Phone: 707-269-7044)
Notes and Events:

"Eureka Mindfulness" vipassana meditation and discussion group, second and fourth Weds. 7:15pm, First Christian Church 730 K St., Eureka, CA. Wheelchair accessible, fragrance free, beginners welcome. Info: 707-269-7044.

Fa Yun Chan Temple

Address: 439 8th St.  Oakland CA 94607
Tradition: Mahayana, Chan
Phone: 510-452-8982
EMail: xinxin_shi@yahoo.com
Main Contact: Ven. Xin Xin  EMail (Phone: 510-452-8982)
Teacher: Ven. Xin Xin
Notes and Events:

Wednesdays, 1-4pm: Chanting the Sutra of Amitabha and recitation of the name of Amitabha Buddha

Saturdays & Sundays, 2-4 pm: Chanting the Lotus Sutra

Welcome to join us for our Dharma activities.

Free DVD/VCD's and CD's of Dharma teachings in Chinese and Cantonese to take.

Free books of Buddhist teachings in Chinese and English to take.

Friendship Sangha of the Heart

Address: Unitarian Universalist Church of Ventura 5654 Ralston Street  Ventura CA 93003
Tradition: Mahayana, Thich Nhat Hanh
Main Contact: Neal Ortenberg  EMail (Phone: 805-368-9835)
Notes and Events:

Evening Meditation Every Monday 7:00 - 8:45 pm
The Friendship Sangha of the Heart began practicing in 1997 and is inspired by the contemporary and timeless teachings of Thich Nhat Hanh with emphasis on mindfulness practice.

Each evening includes sitting meditation, walking meditation, dharma readings, and dharma sharing with the following special activities each month.

* First Monday of the Month: Recitation and meditation on the Five Mindfulness Trainings (Five Precepts).
* Second Monday of the Month: Introduction to Meditation at 6:30 before the 7pm meditation practice.
* Fifth Monday of the Month (once each season): Silent vegetarian potluck meal at 6:00 before the 7pm meditation practice.

Infinite Smile Sangha

Address: P.O. Box 636  Lafayette CA 94549
Tradition: Mahayana, Zen-inspired
Phone: 415 871 1622
EMail: info@infinitesmile.org
Website: www.infinitesmile.org
Spiritual Director & Teacher: Michael McAlister
Contact: Judy Garvens
Spiritual Director: Michael McAlister  EMail
Notes and Events:

The Infinite Smile Sangha works to integrate a relevant approach to spirituality for 21st century living. Michael McAlister’s Zen-inspired work is currently reaching a global audience by applying teachings of wisdom, compassion, and laughter to this very life.

Insight LA

Address: 2633 Lincoln Blvd. #206  Santa Monica CA 90405
Tradition: Theravada
Affiliation: Spirit Rock Meditation Center
Phone: (310) 774-3325
EMail: programs@insightla.org
Website: http://www.insightla.org
Teacher: Christiane Wolf, MD, PhD
Teacher: Maureen Shannon-Chapple
Main Contact: Insight LA  EMail (Phone: (310) 774-3325)
Teacher: Trudy Goodman
Spiritual Director: Trudy Goodman  EMail (Phone: (310) 774-3325)

Insight Meditation - Modesto
Address: meets at the Unity Church 2467 Veneman Ave. Modesto CA 95356
Tradition: Theravada, Vipassana meditation (mindfulness)
Affiliation: Insight Meditation Center of the Mid-Peninsula
Phone: 209-343-2478
EMail: insightmeditationmodesto@gmail.com
Website: http://insightmeditationmodesto.wordpress.com
Main Contact: Lori Wong  EMail (Phone: 209-343-2478)
Notes and Events:

Meets on Tuesday evenings 6:30-8:30pm at the Unity Church, 2467 Veneman Ave., Modesto.

Insight Meditation South Bay

Address: St. Timothy's Episcopal Church Edwards Hall 2094 Grant Road Mountain View CA 94040
Tradition: Theravada
EMail: sit@imsb.org
Website: http://www.imsb.org
Teacher: Shaila Catherine
Notes and Events:

Weekly meditation group Tuesdays 7:30-9:00pm  Please see imsb.org for schedule of retreats, meditation classes, study courses, and special events.

Jonang Foundation

Address: 182 Howard Street #206 San Francisco CA 94105
Tradition: Vajrayana, Jonang Tibetan Buddhist
EMail: info@jonangfoundation.org
Website: www.jonangfoundation.org
Executive Director: Michael R. Sheehy, Ph.D.  EMail
Notes and Events:

Jonang Foundation is a non-profit organization and online educational resource that supports and promotes understanding of the Jonang Tibetan Buddhist tradition.

We host educational and cultural preservation projects in Tibet, and work with the living Jonang tradition around the world in order to facilitate greater conservation, translation, transmission, and revivification of this little-known lineage of Tibetan Buddhism. Please visit our website (www.JonangFoundation.org) for the latest updates on our projects and programs, and for information about the Jonang, zhentong, and the Kalachakra.

Kadampa Buddhist Temple
Lion's Roar Dharma Center

Address: 1809 19th Street, Suite A  Sacramento CA 95811
Tradition: Vajrayana, Tibetan
Phone: (916) 565-6314
EMail: jinpa@middlewayhealth.com
Website: http://www.lionsroardharmacenter.org
Spiritual Director: Lama Yeshe Jinpa
Notes and Events:

Lion's Roar Dharma Center is a Buddhist practice center in Sacramento, California, USA. We practice the way of Shakyamuni Buddha as passed down through the great synthesizer of Tibetan Buddhism, Lama Tsongkapa, up to the present Dalai Lama. We follow in the lineage of Serajey Monastic University in India.

The core of Buddhist meditation training is based on yoga techniques taught by Shakyamuni Buddha and successive teachers. These techniques include sitting meditation, used to develop calm, awareness, and finally insight, as well as walking meditation. Imaginal practice is also used to creatively work with aspects of our own self nature through imagining Buddhas such as Tara, Chenresig or Vajrasattva. Discussions and Dharma talks help integrate these techniques into our daily life. Please visit our website for meeting times.

Mahakaruna Buddhist Center

Address: 304 Petaluma Blvd. N  Petaluma CA 94952
Tradition: Vajrayana, Tibetan
Affiliation: New Kadampa Tradition
Phone: (707) 766-7720
EMail: info@MeditationInNorCal.org
Website: http://MeditationInNorCal.org
Teacher: Ace Remas
Spiritual Director: Geshe Kelsang Gyatso
Notes and Events:

Mahakaruna Buddhist Center offers instruction and opportunities to practice Kadampa Buddhism. Kadampa Buddhism is a time-honored tradition that for centuries has made Buddha's teachings and meditation practices available to people throughout the world. Kadampa Buddhism is a Mahayana tradition, meaning that our primary meditation is to benefit all living beings.
We offer introductory meditation classes in cities throughout northern California and in Reno, Nevada. We also offer in depth study programs for students committed to studying Dharma. Please see our Locations/Contact page to find class locations. Please see our Calendar to see days and times of classes.

Thank you for your interest in Mahakaruna Buddhist Center. Please contact us if there's any way we can assist you in your study of Dharma.

Metta Forest Monestary

Address: 13560 Muutama Lane   Valley Center CA 92082  
Tradition: Theravada  
Website: http://www.watmetta.org/

Mindful Valley

Tradition: Theravada  
Affiliation: InsightLA, UCLA M.A.R.C., Metta Forest Monestary  
Fax: (310) 666-2648  
EMail: info@mindfulvalley.org  
Website: http://www.mindfulvalley.org  
Meditation Instructor: Jennifer Carson  
Teacher: Daniel Davis  
Notes and Events:

Train the mind, and the heart will see clearly

Our overarching mission at Mindful Valley is to teach practical ways to live with wisdom and compassion in order to alleviate physical, mental and emotional stress and suffering.

We teach the practice of mindfulness as a path to wisdom and compassion to create transformation in healthcare, education, business and personal development.

We reflect our dedication to cultivating liberating insight and caring for the welfare of others through education and community service.

We create collaborative alliances in the San Fernando Valley, Los Angeles, nationwide, and internationally to open new opportunities for study, practice and service.

Mountain Shadow Zendo

Address: at Redlands Aikikai, 721 S. Nevada St., #306   Redlands CA 92373  
Tradition: Mahayana, Soto Zen (Maezumi Roshi)  
Affiliation: Hazy Moon Zen Center, Los Angeles
Weekly Zen chanting service and Zazen meditation, every Sunday morning.

Nichiren Buddhist Sangha of the Antelope Valley

Address: AV Unitarian Universalist Fellowship 44845 Cedar Ave   Lancaster CA 93534
Tradition: Mahayana, Nichiren Shu
Affiliation: Nichiren Order of North America; Nichiren Shu
Phone: 661-947-1753
Fax: n/a
EMail: micheledc@Qnet.com
Website: http://www.avnbs.org/
Teacher: Rev. Ryuei Michael McCormick
Main Contact: Michele Chavez   EMail (Phone: 661-947-1753)

Weekly services on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 pm

Chanting Odaimoku, sutra recitation in shindoku and English, study.

Nyingma Institute

Address: 1815 Highland Place, Berkeley, CA 94709   CA
Tradition: Tibetan. Nyingma
Phone: (510) 843-6812
EMail: Nyingma-Institute@nyingma.org
Website: http://www.nyingmainstitute.com

Notes and Events:

Nyingma Institute has for over 30 years offered classes, courses, retreats and workshops on Tibetan Buddhism and related fields of inquiry to the general public. For those wishing to enter Buddhist study and practice more deeply, one and two year certificate programs on Nyingma studies, Path and Practices, Meditation and Kum Nye Tibetan yoga are offered.

As the primary educational center for the Nyingma group of organizations, Nyingma Institute conducts teacher training programs for our international and US based centers. Nyingma Institute is also home to the Dharma/Prayer Wheel Project and provides support for other Tibetan Buddhist sacred art projects such as the Prayer Flag Project.
Please see Nyingma Institute web site for more information on the classes, study courses and projects of Nyingma Institute.

One Bodhi Tree

Address: 423 Glide Avenue  West Sacramento CA 95699  
Tradition: Non-Sectarian  
Phone: 9167053261  
Fax: 9169142008  
EMail: ravi.verma@onebodhitree.org  
Website: http://www.onebodhitree.org  
Secretary: Christina Baxter  EMail (Phone: 9164555699)  
Main Contact: Ravi Verma  EMail (Phone: 9167053261)  
Teacher: Ravi Verma  
Spiritual Director: Geshe Thupten Phelgye  EMail (Phone: 9164208750)

Pure Mind Center

Address: 606 Natoma Street (Cross street is 7th street)  San Francisco CA  
Tradition: Mahayana, Linji Chan (Rinzai Zen)  
Affiliation: Chung Tai Zen Center of Sunnyvale  
EMail: puremindcenter@gmail.com

Ratna Ling Retreat Center

Address: 35755 Hauser Bridge Road  Cazadero CA 95421  
Tradition: Non-Sectarian  
Phone: 707-337-7060  
EMail: info@ratnaling.org  
Website: www.ratnaling.org  
Main Contact: Toni Nurnberg  EMail (Phone: 707-847-3777 ext. 119)  
Notes and Events:  
As an intentional Buddhist community offering retreats, workshops, conferences and programs in healing and wellness, www.ningma.org

San Fran Dhammaram Temple

Address: 473 11th Ave  San Francisco CA 94118  
Tradition: Theravada  
Phone: (415) 752-2813  
EMail: watsanfran@yahoo.com  
Notes and Events:  
San Fran Dhammaram Temple offers classes on meditation, Thai language, dhamma in everyday life, Buddha\"s life, as well as Buddhist principles. Please
visit our website for more information.

Annually, we collaborate with KPY (http://www.kpyusa.com) in organizing and sponsoring a dhamma retreat in Redwood Valley.

Santa Monica Karma Thegsum Choling

Tradition: Vajrayana, Karma Kagyu Tibetan
Phone: 310-451-4368
EMail: santamonicaktc@earthlink.net
Website: www.SantaMonicaKTC.org
Teacher: Venerable Bardor Tulku Rinpoche
Spiritual Director: 17th Karmapa
Notes and Events:

Santa Monica KTC is a registered non-profit, founded in Santa Monica to provide the community with meditation instruction and practice. New comers are welcome to contact us to find out about the dates and times we meet.

We are under the guidance of Karma Triyana Dharmachakra (www.kagyu.org)

Shimmering Void Zen Center

Address: 3312 Century Drive   Bakersfield CA 93306
Tradition: Mahayana, Non-Sectarian
Affiliation: None
Phone: 661-330-9332
EMail: mathprof@pacbell.net
Website: http://shimmeringvoid.com
Main Contact: Julie Cartwright
Teacher: Rafael Espericueta
Spiritual Director: Rafael Espericueta
Notes and Events:

We offer a daily sitting schedule, and occasionally day long sitting retreats.

See our website for further details.

Sixth Patriarch Zen Center

Address: 133 Halsey Ct.  Hercules CA 94547
Tradition: Mahayana, Lineage of Kusan Sunim. Teacher: Hyunoong Sunim
Affiliation: Korean Rinzai Zen
Phone: 510 245-2400
Fax: 510 245-1155
EMail: sixthpat@zenhall.org
Website: http://www.zenhall.org
Teacher: Jaguang

Notes and Events:


Sri Ratana International Buddhist Meditation Center.

Address: 806 N Normandie Avenue  Los Angeles CA 90029
Tradition: Theravada
Phone: 323 6630282
EMail: bogollesumana@yahoo.com
Teacher: Venerable B.Sumana
Main Contact: Venerable B.Sumana
Spiritual Director: Venerable P.Chandavimala

Notes and Events:

Sri Ratana international Buddhist center is non secretarian open for any Buddhists in Los Angeles area, We serve for many field, Meditation, Sunday school for children, housewarming, funeral service, chanting, and counselling,

Meditation on Sunday, 3-5 pm,

everything is free of charge donations are well come

All service are done by Sinhalese and English.

All beings be well happy and peaceful.

Tendai Jiko-ji Temple

Address: 504 Fayne Lane  Redondo Beach CA 90277
Tradition: Mahayana, Vajrayana, Tendai
EMail: jion@tendai-lotus.org
Spiritual Director: Rev. Jion Prosser  EMail

Notes and Events:

Established in the early 1980's as a Tendai Buddhist outreach temple by Archbishop Jiko Kohno, spiritual director of the Osaka Jiko-ji temple and author of the book, Right View, Right Life; Insights of a Woman Buddhist Priest.

The Laughing Buddha Sangha

Address: 2046 Fourteenth Street  Santa Monica CA CA 90405
Tradition: Theravada, Sri Lanka Amarapura Nikaya
The LAUGHING BUDDHA SANGHA offers a very eclectic "Inquiry into Self\" practice - combining the calm observation approach of traditional Vipassana Mindfulness with the \"crazy wisdom\" irrationality of Zen Non-Duality which short-circuits the obsessive self-absorbed, self-identified mind.

Newcomers: Beginners very welcome! You will be very patiently guided. Newcomers are asked to please inquire first by phone to see if this group is possibly even for you. This sitting group encourages highly inquisitive, unflappable people with a natural, deep love of learning – who relish the abstract, and even the absurd - with a genuine taste for the indefinable \"existential\" stuff.

Experienced Meditators who are seeking a much deeper questioning into Self - and a de-mystifying, open-minded, caring \"conversation\" into Wisdom, Empathy and Spiritual Reality in our Western life-style + some poetry and laughing! Our practice is informed by traditional Theravada Buddha Dharma for clarity of view.

"BUDDHA: The JOYOUS ICONOCLAST" Study Series – offers a much more outside-the-box-Buddhism! Heart-filled \"heresy\" for a more maverick spirited inner-quest – for nourishing an iconoclast intelligence and compassionate critical thinking with a caring heart – thru some refreshing, risky, even radical spiritual considerations of Reality by developing a Dharma \"informed\" mind.

The Open Meditation Class is 7:30 - 9:30 PM, Monday Evenings and Includes: Guided Instruction - a 35 minute Silent Meditation - Dharma text study with Q&A dialogue - Metta-style \"Loving-Kindness\" Meditation with sacred poetry to conclude. The Core Study Group meets with Akasa on Tuesday evening, The Zen-Men Group on Thursdays. Sangha Shabat one Friday evening a month. Please Phone for Details.

Akasa Levi was one of the few Americans of the \"counter-culture\" generation that lived a decade in Asia during the 70\'s, to be directly with the last living spiritual teachers of the pre-global era. He was a Buddhist forest monk for six years - trained and ordained into the Theravada monastic lineage by the revered Maha Nayake Ananda Maitreya of Sri Lanka. Originally a Vajrayana initiate of Lama Thubten Yeshe and Zopa Rinpoche at Kopan, Nepal - and later, a Vipassana student of S.N. Goenka and Anagarika Munindra in Bodhgaya, India - and practicing Non-Duality Advaita in satsang with Nisargadatta Maharaj in Bombay. Akasa is a Bodhi-Acharya \"lineage-holder\" of the Theravada teaching-transmission. He is known for his spontaneity and wry unpredictable humor.
For more information email Akasa at AkasaLeviZZ@msn.com, call 310-450-2268.
You can also visit his webpage at http://zentrance.com

University Buddhist Association at UCLA

Tradition: Non-Sectarian
EMail: buddhist@ucla.edu
Website: http://www.studentgroups.ucla.edu/buddhist/index.html
Staff Member: Eric EMail
Main Contact: Eric EMail
Teacher: Ven. Kusala Bhikshu
Notes and Events:

Bringing the Sangha to the University
In order for students to meet and learn about a variety of Buddhist traditions, the UBA sponsors guest speakers from many of the local temples in Southern California to come and speak at UCLA.

* Bringing the Students to the Community
  The UBA utilizes the passion of young Buddhists to reach out into the larger community and become connected beyond our college years. We sponsor field trips, retreats, and community service to forge the bonds that can last a lifetime.

* Bringing Buddhism to the Discussion
  The Buddhist teachings offer a perspective not found elsewhere, and a set of responsibilities unique to the religion. The UBA participates in interfaith events and dialog to make the Buddhist voice heard and understood.

For more information, please visit:

* Blog: http://www.theuba.blogspot.com/
* Website: http://www.studentgroups.ucla.edu/buddhist/index.html
* E-mail: buddhist@ucla.edu

Vimala Sangha

Tradition: Mahayana, Zen, in the tradition of Shunryu Suzuki Roshi
Phone: 415.381.3015
EMail: vimalasangha@earthlink.net
Website: http://www.vimalasangha.org
Teacher: Lewis Richmond
Notes and Events:

The Vimala Sangha (Vimala Zen Center) is a Buddhist group based in Mill Valley, California, under the spiritual guidance of Buddhist teacher Lew Richmond. It takes
its name from Vimalakirti, the householder whose wisdom was said to surpass that of all the Buddha's other great disciples.

Vimala Sangha's forms of practice and methods of inquiry are illuminated by the American experience, and respectful of all the teachings and schools of Buddhism.

Our schedule of events is available at http://www.vimalasangha.org.

Lewis Richmond's music CDs and music teaching DVD are available at http://www.lewisrichmond.com

Waken Temple

Address: 11657 Lower Azusa Road  El Monte CA 91732  
Tradition: Mahayana  
Phone: +1 626 455 0077  
Fax: +1 626 455 0556  
EMail: contact@wakentemple.org  
Website: http://www.wakentemple.org/  
Spiritual Director: Master Allen Hou  EMail (Phone: +1 626 455 0077)  
Teacher: Master Allen Hou  
Notes and Events:

Buddhism is the Dharma of Compassion, Wisdom and Enlightenment. May all sentients find their own Sunyata, the true Buddha-nature. Thus, understand the Dharmakaya exists within one's own Heart.

Seek the heart and one will find the Truth.

Waken Temple operates daily 9:00AM~4:00PM. Closes on Mondays.

West Covina Buddhist Temple

Address: 1203 W. Puente Avenue, West Covina CA 91790  
Tradition: Mahayana, Jodo Shinshu Buddhism  
Affiliation: Higashi Hongani  
Phone: (626) 913-0622  
EMail: dharma@livingdharma.org  
Website: http://www.livingdharma.org  
Temple Communication Staff: Peter Hata  EMail  
Temple Communication Staff: Frederick Brenion  EMail  
Spiritual Director: Rev. Ken Kawawata  EMail  
Notes and Events:

West Covina Buddhist Temple, located in the East San Gabriel Valley of Southern California, follows the teachings of Shinran Shonin and Shakyamuni Buddha, the essence of which is "Namu Amida Butsu"; when we deeply see the limitations of the
self within (namu), we simultaneously awaken to the unlimited world beyond the self (amida butsu). We hold weekly Sunday Services at 10:00 am, but check our Calendar (http://www.livingdharma.org/Calendar.html) because there are occasional afternoon services. Directions are at http://www.livingdharma.org/Map.html. Everyone is welcome.

Yokoji Retreat Center

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Teacher: Charles Tenshin Fletcher, Roshi

Notes and Events:

Yokoji Retreat Center is the picture of tranquility, set in a remote mountain valley, far away from all the stresses and strains of urban living. Yoga, Tai Chi, leadership, relaxation and spiritual retreats have all been successfully held on our grounds in the past years. The rugged beauty of our environment is perfect for those seeking peace, to reconnect with nature; for those seeking solitude and also those looking to bond over a shared experience.

The Center is set up on ecological principals. Our power is harnessed from the sun and the wind and our water is drawn from an on-site well. The food we serve is 100% vegetarian, and largely organic.

Yokoji Retreat Center is a part of Yokoji-Zen Mountain Center, an accredited Soto Zen Buddhist training facility. As a Zen training center, we run a year-round residential program which attracts people from all over the world. It is these people that will be providing the service for your retreat! Cooking, cleaning, administration, maintenance - this work is a vital part of our daily schedule. Serving others is important to us, so by allowing us to host your retreat or event, you provide us with the opportunity to deepen our own spiritual practice. By choosing Yokoji Retreat Center, you are helping to sustain the spiritual training we provide which forms an irreplaceable part of many peoples lives.

Yokoji-Zen Mountain Center

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We’re a Zen Buddhist training and retreat center located on 160 acres of sacred Native American land and wilderness in the beautiful San Jacinto Mountains of Southern California. We welcome people from all spiritual traditions and walks of life who would like to experience the life changing practice of meditation and awareness.

Yokoji-Zen Mountain Center is open to people in all spiritual traditions and walks of life who would like to experience the life changing practice of meditation and awareness. We offer a regular daily schedule, introductory weekends, silent meditation retreats (sesshin), two intensive training periods a year, and programs in Buddhist studies and related disciplines. Trainees can enter into either full-time residential training or practice at home, coming to the Center for periods of intensive practice and sitting together with one of the affiliated sitting groups in Southern California, Mexico, and the United Kingdom. The Center is also open to private group retreats and invites anyone wishing to experience the dynamic stillness of Zen practice to join us.

Zen Study Center

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Teacher: Ven Thich Tue Giac
Notes and Events:

Zen Study Center was founded by the Vietnamese Buddhist Meditation Congregation in 2005 to provide a warm and peaceful place to study and practice Zen Buddhism. Its primary activities include sitting in meditation, studying Buddhist teachings, and discovering the meaning of Zen practice in everyday life.