

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

THE TWELVE STEPS

1. We admitted we were powerless over alcohol -- that our lives had become unmanageable.
2. Came to believe that a Power greater than ourselves could restore us to sanity.
3. Made a decision to turn our will and our lives over to the care of God as we understood Him.
4. Made a searching and fearless moral inventory of ourselves.
5. Admitted to God, to ourselves, and to another human being the exact nature of our wrongs.
6. Were entirely ready to have God remove all these defects of character.
7. Humbly asked Him to remove our shortcomings.
8. Made a list of all persons we had harmed, and became willing to make amends to them all.
9. Made direct amends to such people wherever possible, except when to do so would injure them or others.
10. Continued to take personal inventory and when we were wrong promptly admitted it.
11. Sought through prayer and meditation to improve our conscience contact with God, as we understood Him, praying only for knowledge of His will for us and the power to carry that out.
12. Having had a spiritual awakening as a result of these steps, we tried to carry this message to alcoholics, and to practice these principles in all our affairs.

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THE TWELVE TRADITIONS

1. Our common welfare should come first; personal recovery depends upon A.A. unity.
2. For our group purpose there is but one ultimate authority--a loving God as He may express Himself in our group conscience. Our leaders are but trusted servants; they do not govern.
3. The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking.
4. Each group should be autonomous except in matters affecting other groups or A.A. as a whole.
5. Each group has but one primary purpose-- to carry its message to the alcoholic who still suffers.
6. An A.A. group ought never endorse, finance, or lend the A.A. name to any related facility or outside enterprise, lest problems of money, property, and prestige divert us from our primary purpose.
7. Every A.A. group ought to be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions.
8. Alcoholics Anonymous should remain forever nonprofessional, but our service centers may employ special workers.
9. A.A., as such, ought never be organized, but we may create service boards or committees directly responsible to those they serve.
10. Alcoholics Anonymous has no opinion on outside issues, hence the A.A. name ought never be drawn into public controversy.
11. Our public relations policy is based on attraction rather than promotion; we need always maintain personal anonymity at the level of press, radio, and films.
12. Anonymity is the spiritual foundation of all our Traditions, ever reminding us to place principles before personalities.

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VERMONT AREA 70
FRANKLIN COUNTY

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MEETING LIST

Answering Service
(802) 741-7100

Area 70 Website: aavt.org

District 1 Website:
aavt-district1.org

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS is a fellowship of men and women who share their experience, strength and hope with each other that they may solve their common problem and help others to recover from alcoholism. The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking. There are no dues or fees for membership; we are self-supporting through our own contributions. A.A. is not allied with any sect, denomination, politics, organization or institution; does not wish to engage in any controversy, neither endorses nor opposes any causes. Our primary purpose is to stay sober and help other alcoholics to achieve sobriety.

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Questions for
ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS?

Write:

info@aavt-district1.org

SUNDAY

- O BB D St. Albans 10:30AM**
 Hope & Promises
 Promises Discussion
 (Last Sunday Promises Speaker & Anniversaries)
HA Turning Point Center, 182 Lake Street
-
- O S St. Albans 7:00 PM**
 St. Albans Group Speaker Meeting
HA Northwest Medical Center
 133 Fairfield Street
 Conference Room 1, Crest Road

MONDAY

- O ST D St. Albans 12:00 PM**
 There is a Solution Group
 Big Book Discussion
HA Turning Point Center, 182 Lake Street
-
- O ST St. Albans 6:30 PM**
 Step by Step Group
 Step Meeting, Baptist Church
 29 Congress Street
-
- O ST Montgomery 8:00 PM**
 Trout River Group
 St. Isadore's Parish, Rt. 242
 169 Mountain Road

TUESDAY

- O ST St. Albans 12:00 PM**
 Noon 12 Step Meeting
 1st Congregational Church
 27 Church Street
-
- O BB Enosburg Falls 7:00 PM**
 Missisquoi Valley Group
 Methodist Church, 245 Church Street
-
- O D Swanton 8:00 PM**
 Good Life Group
 Church of the Nativity Parish Center
 65 Canada Street

Meeting Key

B	Beginners	M	Men
BB	Big Book	O	Open
C	Closed	S	Speaker
D	Discussion	ST	Steps
HA	Handicapped Accessible	W	Women

All meetings are non-smoking.

WEDNESDAY

- O D Richford 12:00 PM**
 Living Sober Nooners Group
 Arvin A Brown Library, 88 Main Street
-
- O D St Albans 12:00 PM**
 There is a Solution Group
As Bill Sees It / Discussion
HA Turning Point Center, 182 Lake Street
-
- O D St Albans 5:00 PM**
 Step by Step, *Traditions Meeting**
 Baptist Church (in back), 29 Congress Street
 *Last Wednesday of every month
-
- O B St. Albans 6:30 PM**
 Step by Step, Living Sober Beginners' Meeting
 Baptist Church (in back), 29 Congress Street

THURSDAY

- O D St. Albans 12:00 PM**
 There is a Solution Group
 Slogans/Step 1 Discussion
HA Turning Point Center, 182 Lake Street
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- OD Fairfax 6:00 PM**
 Fairfax Group
 United Church of Fairfax 8 Fletcher Rd
-
- O D St. Albans 7:00 PM**
 Still Alive & Well, Discussion
 Baptist Church (in back), 29 Congress Street
-
- O D Richford 7:00 PM**
 Richford Sobriety Group
 Baptist Church (in back), 30 School Street

FRIDAY

- O D St. Albans 12:00 PM**
 There is a Solution Group
Came to Believe
HA Turning Point Center, 182 Lake Street
-
- O BB D St. Albans 6:30 PM**
 Step by Step Group
 Big Book Discussion (Last Friday, Speaker Meeting)
 Baptist Church, 29 Congress Street

SATURDAY

- O D St. Albans 11:00 AM**
 Just For Today Group
HA Turning Point Center, 182 Lake Street
-
- O D S St. Albans 6:30 PM**
 St. Albans Young People Group
HA Speaker Meeting Turning Point Ctr., 182 Lake St.
-
- O D Georgia 8:00 PM**
 Have No Fear Group (address on next page)

HA United Methodist Church
50 Carpenter Hill Road @ Route 7

DISTRICT 1 MEETING

Last Thursday of every month, 6:30 PM
1st Congregational Church 7 Church Street,
St. Albans

All AA members are welcome to attend service meetings.

Telephone Numbers

Addresses for Mailing AA Contributions:

District 1 (Meetings in Franklin County)
P.O. Box 1216, St. Albans, VT 05478-1216

Area 70 (Meetings in Vermont)
Area 70, P.O. Box 1156, Montpelier, VT 05601-1156

General Service Office (National AA Offices)
General Service Office, PO Box 456
Grand Central Station, New York, NY 10163-0459

Institutional Meetings are held at the Northwest State Correctional Center. Prior clearance is required. Contact District 1 by telephone or in writing for details.