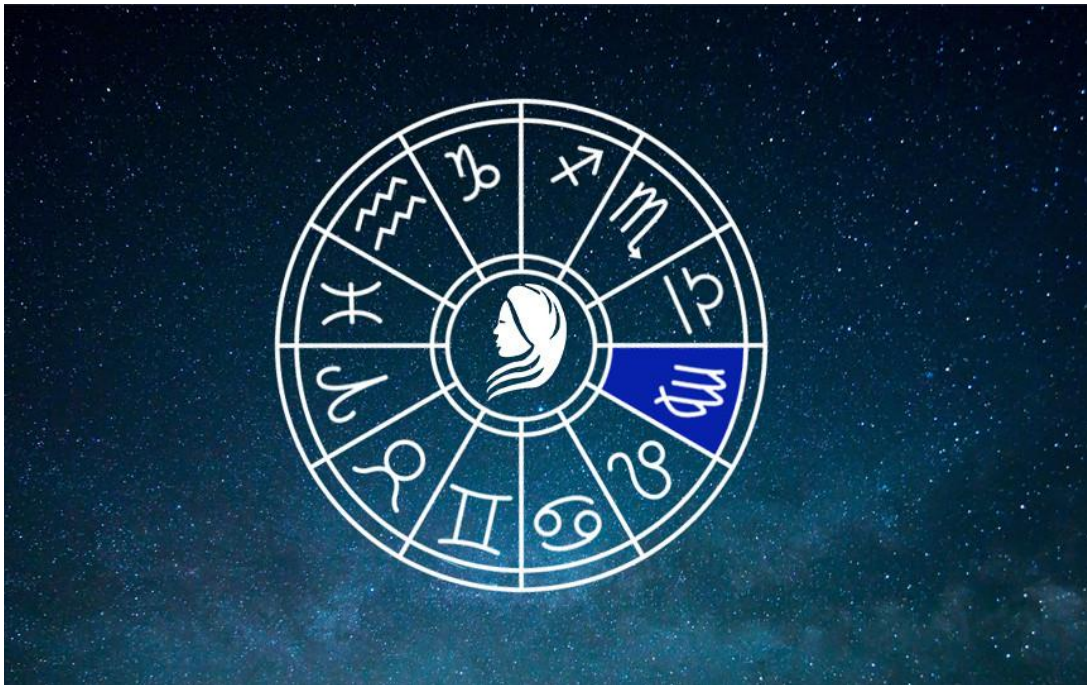




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# Mid-Michigan Pagan Alliance

March 2023 Newsletter



## Monthly Planetary Report

### Time to Make Your Dreams a Reality

by [Heka](#)

This month may be the most supportive month for our growth all year long. I'm not saying it's going to be easy, but putting in the work now will be worth it. This month's planetary energy shifts so dramatically that I am confident in saying that our lives will look completely different leaving March than the way we enter this month.

On March 7th, we have a Full Moon in Virgo. This happens in the 16th degree of Virgo. The 16th degree of any sign relates to the Tower card in the Tarot deck. The Tower is about sudden change and the crumbling of structures built on unstable foundations. Things are going to change, it is up to us whether these changes are a benefit or not. Use this moon's

energy to get clear about what we want to manifest. It is a great time to do our purification rituals, clean your home, take a spiritual bath, release the toxicity of the past and start fresh. Create your vision board, the skies are the limits of what can be attained this month. Dream big.

The following day, on the 8th, Saturn enters Pisces. Here we can begin to give structure and substance to our dreams. Saturn is about grounding, structure and form. We can literally pull our dreams from the ethereal realm and bring them into our lives. Make room for the blessings and make sure that your toxic beliefs have been left in the rearview. We can only dream as big as we believe. Saturn will dissolve illusions and help you solidify what you believe.

On the 20th, we reach the Spring Equinox and the Sun enters Aries. This is the astrological new year. It is the beginning of a new cycle. Fiery Aries energy will ignite passion and creativity. The first of two Aries New Moons is the next day, on the 21st. This New Moon will support you in the manifestation of your dreams. The life you want is waiting for you to call it in, the Aries energy will help you say it with your chest.

On the 24th, Mars moves into Cancer. Mars is weakened in watery Cancer. The forceful push forward seems to stall in Cancer, where it will be for the next 3 weeks. The key to this uncomfortable period is not to force things, let your energy be nurtured. The seeds we planted under the new moon need time to root in.

On the 30th, Saturn lends support and you will see your ideas solidify. Make this month count.

Blessed be!



### **Supportive Crystals and Herbs this Month**

By **Melissa Sammons**

Pisces

Amethyst is the birthstone of Pisces. Commonly known for spirituality, intuition, protection and inner peace.

By inspiring self-reflection and get to the bottom of their feelings, and encouraging healing.

Ametrine balances Pisces, helps with thinking outside the box, reaching goals and getting rid of bad habits.

Lapis Lazuli helps Pisces sun signs to communicate more effectively and efficiently. Making themselves clear no matter the topic. Boosts creativity and reduces stress levels.

Herbs that stimulate memory and reduce stress are great for Pisces. Rosemary, lavender, basil, poppy, passion flower and mugwort.



## Witch Tip of the Month

Shared by [Morgana Moonwater](#)

Andy Smith, a folk artist, shared this tip at the First Metaphysical Church in Davidson.

On the Spring Equinox, shove both of your thumbs in the Earth and let the Mother balance your energies.



## Ostara - The Spring Equinox

by **Morgana Moonwater**

This turn of the wheel of the year brings us to the halfway point between the winter and summer solstices. It marks the beginning of spring. This time of balance has been celebrated by many cultures throughout history and is still celebrated today by witches and magical practitioners in some form all over the world.

In the Pagan world this high Sabbath is often celebrated as Ostara. Ostara is the Latin name of the Saxon fertility goddess, Eostre. In ancient Greece she was referred to as Eos, or Aurora. You would be correct if you heard its tones reflected in the Christian holiday of Easter.

The themes and energies embraced by pagans at this time are balance, fertility, abundance, hope, and inspiration. Ostara celebrates both the sun and the earth. For these reasons, bunnies, early blooms, seeds, and the egg that symbolizes sacred life are the symbols. The Romans transitioned these images to the Christian holiday period however the cohesiveness to their representations and symbolism does not translate.

## Upcoming Events

Stay tuned as we will be posting about our 2nd Annual Pagan Camp Out happening June 16-18, 2023

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